

### WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT BOARD MEETING

Thursday, September 19, 2024, 9:30 am

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Location: Conference Rooms, 1608 Las Plumas Ave, San Jose

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September 2024

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Director of Economic & Workforce Policy Working Partnerships USA

#### 2. Rajiv Batra

Head of Legal & Compliance Arc

#### 3. Ricardo Benavidez

Director of Social Infrastructure Google LLC

#### 4. George Chao

Director of Strategic Partnerships Manex

#### 5. John (Jack) Estill, Youth Committee Chair\*

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#### 6. Joseph A. Flynn

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### 7. Michael Hill, Business Services Committee Chair\*

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Applied Materials

#### 8. Van T. Le\*

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#### 9. Maria Lucero

Deputy Division Chief, Region I Northern Division, Workforce Services Branch Employment Development Department, State of California

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Director of Training Pipe Trades Training Center UA Local 393

#### 12. Rafaela Perez

Employment Services Director Social Services Agency County of Santa Clara

#### 13. Steve Preminger

Director, Civic and Community Engagement County of Santa Clara

#### 14. Mitesh Shah

Vice-President and Business Unit Head Tech Mahindra

#### 15. Traci Williams\*

Co-chair South Bay Consortium for Adult Education Director East Side Adult Education

#### Ex officio

Sangeeta Durral, Secretary work2future Director

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#### **MEETING AGENDA**

I. CALL TO ORDER & ROLL CALL

5 min 9:35 am end

**II. CONSENT ITEMS (ACTION)** 

5 min

Accept the following:

9:40 am end

- A. Minutes of the June 20, 2024, Board meeting
- B. Preliminary Financial Status Report as of June 30, 2024
- C. San Jose Works Program Report as of August 31, 2024

III. OPEN FORUM

5 min

Members of the public may address the committee on matters not on the agenda.

9:45 am end

#### **IV. BUSINESS ITEMS**

A. Chair's Report

5 min

Priya Smith, Board Chair

9:50 am end

Introduction of new Board member and reports on other matters of interest.

**B.** Director's Report {Information}

5 min

Sangeeta Durral, work2future Director

9:55 am end

Reports on various matters of interest.

C. Amend Annual Board Meeting Schedule (ACTION)

5 min

Priya Smith, Board Chair

10:00 am end

Approve the rescheduling of the November 21, 2024, Board meeting to December 12, 2024, and recommend that the fourth meeting of each future calendar year be scheduled for the second Thursday of December.

#### D. WIOA Programs Report (Information)

30 min

Sangeeta Durral, work2future Director; work2future staff

10:30 am end

Updates on the Workforce Innovation and Opportunities Act Adult, Dislocated Worker and Youth Programs, including, without limitation:

- 1. Client successes
- **2.** The client journey
- 3. Program performance



#### E. Special Projects Report (Information)

Lawrence Thoo, Strategic Engagement Manager

10 min 10:40 pm end

Report on the status of various special projects, including, without limitation, the Subsidized Employment Pathway to Self-Sufficiency project.

#### F. Youth Committee Report (ACTION)

10 min

Jack Estill, Youth Committee Chair

10:50 am end

Approve an amendment to the stipulated age range for certain Youth Committee members appointed from the community.

#### **G.** Business Services Committee Report {Information}

10 min

Michael Hill, Business Services Committee Chair

11:00 am end

Report of the Business Services Committee Chair.

#### H. WIOA Service Provider Procurement Update (Information)

5 min

Dat Luu, Contracts Manager

11:05 am end

Report on the status of the development of a Request for Proposals for WIOA service providers.

#### I. Labor Market Update (Information)

10 min

Lawrence Thoo, Strategic Engagement Manager

11:15 am end

Report on the labor market in and around Santa Clara County.

#### J. Board Elections Preview (Information)

5 min

Lawrence Thoo, Strategic Engagement Manager

11:20 am end

Preliminary information regarding elections at the final Board meeting in 2024.

#### V. OTHER

Announcements, suggested agenda items for a future meeting, other housekeeping.

- A. Fall job fair in collaboration with San Jose City College, November 14, 2024.
- **B.** Annual Community Builder Awards
- C. Other

#### VI. ADJOURNMENT

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Board member: Rajiv Batra

**Location:** 761 Farringdon Ln, Burlingame

**Board member:** George Chao

Location: 7908 Farina Ct., Sarasota, FL

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# Call to Order & Roll Call

# II

# **Consent Items**

#### Accept the following:

- A. Minutes of the June 20, 2024, Board meeting
- B. Preliminary Financial Status Report as of June 30, 2024
- C. San José Works Program Report as of August 31, 2024

Note: Consent items should be acted on as a group without discussion. If a Board member wishes to ask questions or discuss any of the items, s/he should ask for it to be taken out of Consent before a motion is made or there is a vote. The selected item can then be discussed on acted on separately.

**{ACTION}** 

#### WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT BOARD

#### June 20, 2024 9:34 am San Jose Job Center, 1608 Las Plumas Ave, San Jose

#### **MINUTES**

Staff: Durral, Handzar, Luu, Maniaul, Nguyen, Thoo, Walter

Guest: Rosemary Kamei, Vice Mayor, City of San José

#### I. CALL TO ORDER & ROLL CALL

The meeting was called to order at 9:34 am by Chairperson Priya Smith.

#### **Roll Call**

Present: Benavidez, Chao (attended via Zoom in compliance with the Brown Act), Estill, Hill, Le,

Perez, Preminger (left meeting at 11:00 am), Shah, Smith, Takahashi, Williams

Absent: Auerhahn, Batra, Flynn, Lucero, Murphy

All votes by roll call.

#### II. CONSENT ITEMS

**ACTION**: Mr. Preminger moved, Mr. Estill seconded, and the Board voted unanimously to accept:

- A. Minutes of the March 21, 2024, Board meeting
- B. Preliminary Financial Status Report as of May 31, 2024
- C. San José Works Program Report as of May 31, 2024

#### III. OPEN FORUM

Chair Smith opened the floor for public comment. None were noted.

#### IV. BUSINESS ITEMS

#### A. Chair's Report

Priya Smith, Board Chair, reported that she and work2future Director Durral have discussed new ways of sharing data with the Board including the sharing of client success stories.

#### B. Director's Report

Director Durral noted that staff have been focused on wrapping up the current program year and preparing for Program Year 2024-25.

#### C. FY2024-25 WIOA Program Operating Budget

Finance Manager Maniaul presented the Executive Committee-approved proposed WIOA Budget for Fiscal Year 2024-25 for the Board's consideration, as follows:

- 1. WIOA Program Operating Budget of \$7,987,053
- 2. WIOA Administrative Budget in the amount of \$797,863
- 3. Proposed WIOA estimated Rapid Response Funding of \$412,911
- 4. Authorization for staff to transfer funds without additional Board approval, but with
- 5. notification after the fact to the Executive Committee of any such transfers at the

6. Committee's next available meeting:

- a) Between budget line items, if there is no change to the overall amount of the WIOA budget.
- b) Between the Adult and Dislocated Worker Programs, as needed to accommodate changes in the numbers of clients served by the two programs, if the total of the combined budgets is not changed

Director Durral pointed out that despite the significant reduction in funds for direct client services, staff and partners would be working to keep the impact as small as possible and are hoping not to have any.

**ACTION:** Mr. Estill moved, Ms. Williams seconded, and the Board voted unanimously to approve the proposed WIOA Budget for FY 2024-25 as proposed.

#### D. Pathway to Self-Sufficiency Grant

Strategic Engagement Manager Thoo and Board member Perez, Employment Services Director for Santa Clara County Social Services Agency, presented information and answered questions on the Executive Committee-approved recommendation to accept \$2,722,416 in revenue from the County of Santa Clara to establish the Subsidized Employment Pathway to Self-Sufficiency Project to be operated by work2future for a span of two years.

**ACTION**: Mr. Estill moved, Mr. Preminger seconded, and the Board voted unanimously to approve the acceptance of \$2,722,416 in revenue from the County of Santa Clara as recommended. Ms. Perez abstained.

#### E. San José Works 2024-25 Funding

Finance Manager Maniaul presented the Executive Committee-approved recommendation that the Board approve proposed San Jose Works 2024-25 funding, including:

- Acceptance of \$1,774,980 in City of San José funds to support the San José Works 10.0 program.
- 2. Distribution of \$2,124,254 to work2future and \$95,000 to the City's Parks, Recreation and Neighborhood Services Department.

**ACTION**: Mr. Hill moved, Mr. Takahashi seconded, and the Board voted unanimously to approve the acceptance and distribution of San José Works 2024-25 Funding as recommended.

#### F. RFP for WIOA Service Providers

Contracts Manager Luu reported on the process and timeline for the procurement of WIOA Adult, Dislocated Worker and Youth Program service providers for Program Years 2025 (2025-26) through 2030 (2030-31).

#### **G.** WIOA Career Services Report

Adult and Dislocated Worker Program Project Manager Walter and Youth and Training Project Manager Handzar reported on WIOA career services activity and performance.

#### H. Business Services Committee Chair's Report

Business Services Committee Chairperson Hill reported that the committee had elected him to complete the term as committee chairperson following the election of Alan Takahashi to be Board Vice-Chair. He reported on the status of the partnership advancing Registered Apprenticeships in semiconductor manufacturing, which has 30 apprentices hired to date. At Mr. Hill's request, Board Chair Smith reported on the Health Care Sector Partnership initiative which she co-chairs.

#### I. Youth Committee Chair's Report

Youth Committee Chairperson Estill provided information on several action goals the committee has adopted, including an online community resource database partnership with San José Public Library.

#### J. Labor Market Update

Mr. Thoo provided an update through April on the local labor market. He noted that the Employment Development Department was scheduled to release May employment and unemployment data the day after the Board meeting.

#### V. OTHER

Ms. Smith opened the floor for announcements. Mr. Thoo informed the Board that a job fair is scheduled for August 7, 2024, at Mexican Heritage Plaza and a specialized recruiting event at the San José Career Center in the afternoon following the Board meeting. Vice Mayor Rosemary Kamei offered thanks and recognition to the Board and work2future staff on behalf of the San José City Council. Board Member Le, announced a Moon Festival celebration to be held at Andrew Hill High School on September 14, 2024, to raise funds for homeless students on the East Side.

#### VI. ADJOURNMENT

Meeting adjourned at 11:14 am.

Draft: D. Nguyen

Edit Review: D Walter, L. Thoo



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#### PRELIMINARY FINANCIAL STATUS REPORT AS OF JUNE 30, 2024

#### **Key Highlights**

- WIOA formula and Rapid Response carry-over funding from FY2022-2023 is fully spent.
- At the end of the preliminary close as of June 30, 2024, work2future has \$2.8 million from the current Adult, Dislocated Worker, and Youth allocations to be carried over to FY 2023-24 representing:
  - 1. Board-mandated Reserve Account: \$966,071
  - 2. Unallocated Reserve Account of \$346,834
  - 3. Projected estimated overall savings of \$1.5 million

#### **Other Discretionary Funding**

- work2future received \$120,000 from the City of San Jose to assist San Jose residents specifically with On-the-Job (OJT) training in high growth, high demand areas. This funding will support employer-sponsored non-traditional apprenticeships through OJTs.
- work2future received an allocation from the City's General Fund of \$1,712,880 for San Jose Works 9.0, in addition to the carry over funding, net of adjustment of \$955,616 from FY 2022-23 for a total funding of \$2,668,496. For FY23-24, there were 375 participants that were served. As of June 30, 2024, 361 enrolled participants will be served and complete their internship by August 2, 2024. A pending cohort of 15 participants will take place in September/ October 2024. In addition to recruitment, placement and onboarding services, youth also accessed career counseling, supportive services (e.g., bus passes), and entrepreneurship training. Workshops provided included communication etiquette, anti-sexual harassment, anti-discrimination, emotional intelligence, and job readiness.
- Cities for Financial Empowerment (CFE) pledged to provide work2future \$50,000 to support a
   Summer Jobs Connect Program. This will provide banking access and financial empowerment
   training to participants in municipal Summer Youth Employment Programs. A portion of the grant
   will also be used to support the participant wages for the San Jose Works internship program. As of
   June 30, 2024, 5% has been spent. It is anticipated that the remaining funds will be carried over in
   FY24-25.

 work2future foundation awarded work2future \$308,000 in grants and contributions from various sources to support the San Jose Works Program. Below is the list of the funding sources and amounts.

Funding Source	Sponsorship/Contributions	Sub grants
Bank of America		\$153,000
Wells Fargo	\$28,750	
Amazon	\$100,000	
Flagship	\$5,000	
Shipt	\$21,250	

- Google donated \$300,000 for moving costs, tenant site improvements, and technology upgrades to the new work2future San Jose Job Center location. The donation is in relation to Google's commitment to partner with work2future in its efforts to help Santa Clara County residents get the skills and coaching they need to find a new job, get a promotion, or start a new career and to support provision of client services at the new job center. As of June 30, 2024, these funds have been fully spent.
- Google's Downtown West Mixed-Use Plan approved by the City Council on May 25, 2021, includes a Development Agreement citing a total of \$200 million Community Benefits Payment that will be used for investments that go beyond the City's baseline requirements to address the community's top priorities. The City of San Jose has received early payment of \$4.5 million, allocated to various programs. Of the \$4.5 million funding, work2future was allocated \$625,000 for a paid occupational skills training and work experience program. An "Earn and Learn" approach was implemented in this program with a focus on high growth, high wage careers in advanced manufacturing, information technology, health care, or construction and trades. Additionally, \$600,000 was allocated to work2future to provide subsidies for participants of workforce development programs to cover childcare costs required for their participation in the program.

#### WORK2FUTURE FINANCIAL STATUS REPORT AS OF 6/30/24

#### GRANT PERIOD 7/1/2023-6/30/2024

WIOA FORMULA FUNDS	Adult	Dislocated Worker	Youth	RR	TOTAL
	Appn 2505	Appn 2530	Appn 2364	Appn 2983	WIOA FUNDS
I. FUND BALANCE AS OF 6/30/23					
AllOCATION FOR FY2022/2023 PD 14 Stat 3	2,181,118	2,598,599	2,255,378	512,371	7,547,466
Less: Actual Expenditures as of 6/30/23	(1,193,136)	(404,393)	(717,408)	(512,371)	(2,827,308)
Less: Encumbrances/Spending Plan as of 6/30/23	(307,060)	(149,445)	(480,328)	<u>0</u>	(936,833)
Total Actual Expenditures (with Encumbrances) as of 6/30/23	(1,500,196)	(553,838)	(1,197,736)	(512,371)	(3,764,141)
Remaining Funds as of 6/30/23 (\$) - Allocation minus (Actuals + Encumbrances)	680,922	2,044,761	1,057,642	0	3,783,325
Remaining Funds as of 6/30/23 (%)	31%	79%	47%	0%	50%
II. Actual Expenditures/Encumbrances (Funded with balance from FY22/23)					
(a) Remaining Funds for FY22/23 (exclude encumbrances)	987,982	2,194,206	1,537,970	0	4,720,158
Transfer between Adult and Dislocated Worker	400,000	(400,000)	0	0	0
Rescission				0	0
Less: Actual Expenditures as of 6/30/24	(1,387,982)	(1,794,206)	(1,537,970)	0	(4,720,158)
Less: Actual Encumbrances as of 6/30/24	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
Total Actual Expenditures/Encumbrances as of 6/30/24	(1,387,982)	(1,794,206)	(1,537,970)	0	(4,720,158)
Projected Remaining Funds (\$) from FY22/23 Allocation	0	0	(0)	0	(0)
Projected Remaining Funds (%)	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
(b) ALLOCATION FOR FY2023/2024	1,979,440	2,420,374	2,040,659	434,643	6,875,116
Additional Funding			0	0	0
Transfer between Adult and Dislocated Worker	700,000	(700,000)	0	0	0
Rescission	0	0	0	0	0
Adjusted Allocation for FY 2023-2024	2,679,440	1,720,374	2,040,659	434,643	6,875,116
Less: Actual Expenditures as of 6/30/24	(1,654,341)	(927,904)	(1,000,715)	(434,643)	(4,017,604)
Less: Actual Encumbrances as of 6/30/24	(181,294)	(94,423)	(412,763)		(688,480)
Total Actual Expenditures (with Encumbrances) as of 6/30/24	(1,835,635)	(1,022,327)	(1,413,478)	(434,643)	(4,706,084)
Projected Remaining Funds (\$) from FY23/24 Allocation	843,805	698,047	627,181	0	2,169,032
Projected Remaining Funds (%)	31%	41%	31%	0%	32%
				\$66,101	
FISCAL YEAR 22/23 & FY23/24:					
Total Available Funds (FY22/23 balance + FY23/24 Adjusted Allocation)	4,067,422	3,514,580	3,578,629	434,643	11,595,274
Less: Total Cumulative Expenditures/Encumbrance as of 6/30/24	(3,223,617)	(2,816,533)	(2,951,449)	(434,643)	(9,426,242)
REMAINING FUNDS (\$)	843,805	698,047	627,180	0	2,169,032
REMAINING FUNDS (%)	21%	20%	18%	0%	19%
III. Projected Expenditures/Carry Over through June 30, 2024					
Actual Expenditures through June 2024	(3,042,323)	(2,722,110)	(2,538,685)	(434,643)	(8,737,762)
Actual Carry Over through June 2024 (\$)	1,025,099	792,470	1,039,944	(0)	2,857,512
Actual Carry Over through June 2024 (%) with Rapid Response	38%	46%	51%	0%	42%
Actual Carry Over through June 2024(%) without Rapid Response	38%	46%	51%	0%	44%

#### WORK2FUTURE FINANCIAL STATUS REPORT AS OF 6/30/24

Other Discretionary Funds	City of San Jose Youth Summer Program Initiative	San Jose Works (CFE)***	w2f - San Jose Works (Bank of America)	(Wells Fargo)	w2f - San Jose Works (Amazon)	(Flagship)	(Shipt)	Total
I. Actual as of June 30, 2022	General Fund	Contributions	Contributions	Contribution	Contribution	Contribution	Contribution	
	APPN 203W	APPN 209E	APPN 212G	APPN 219B	APPN 217J	APPN 217K	APPN 226J	
Grant Period	04/30/2022 - 4/30/2023	Execution - 4/30/2023	Execution - 6/30/2023	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	
Original Allocation/Available Funds for FY22-23	2,682,070	37,500	84,900	7,500	100,000	5,000	0	2,916,970
Increase/(Decrease)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Adjusted Allocation	2,682,070	37,500	84,900	7,500	100,000	5,000	0	2,916,970
Less: Expenditures as of 6/30/22	(1,597,918)	(37,500)	(84,900)		0	0		(1,720,318)
Less: Encumbrance as of 6/30/22	(955,616)	0	0	0	0	0	0	(955,616)
Total Actual Expenditures/Encumbrances as of June 2022	(2,553,534)	(37,500)	(84,900)	0	0	0	0	(2,675,934)
Available Funds for FY 2023-2024	128,536	0	0	7,500	100,000	5,000	0	241,036
% Remaining	5%	0%	0%	100%	100%	100%	0	8%
II. Actual Expenditures/Encumbrances								
Available Funds for FY2023-2024*	955,616	0	0	7,500	100,000	5,000	0	1,068,116
Funding 23-24	1,712,880	50,000	76,500	0	0	0	21,250	1,839,380
Adjustments	0		76,500	21,250	0	0	0	97,750
Total Available Funding for FY 2023-2024	2,668,496	50,000	153,000	28,750	100,000	5,000	21,250	3,005,246
Less: Expenditures as of 6/30/24	(1,571,548)	(2,500)	0	0	0	0	0	(1,574,048)
Less: Encumbrances as of 6/30/24	(1,093,691)	0	0	0	0	0	0	(1,093,691)
Cumulative Expen/Encumb as of 6/30/24	(2,665,239)	(2,500)	0	0	0	0	0	(2,667,739)
\$ Remaining	3,257	47,500	153,000	28,750	100,000	5,000	21,250	337,507
% Remaining	0%	95%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	11%
III. Actual Expenditures/Carry Over				_				
Actual Expenditures through 6/30/24	(1,571,548)	(2,500)	0	0	0	0	0	(1,574,048)
Actual Carry Over through 6/30/24	1,093,691	47,500	153,000	28,750	100,000	5,000	21,250	1,427,941
Actual Carry Over through 6/30/24 (%)	41%	95%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	48%

# WORK2FUTURE FINANCIAL STATUS REPORT AS OF 6/30/24

Other Funds	Google	Google	Google	Total
	work2future Relocation	WEX and Training	Child Care	Total
I. Actual as of June 30, 2023	APPN 218Q	APPN 222A	APPN 222A	
Grant Period	N/A	N/A	N/A	
Original Allocation/Available Funds for FY22-23	224,251	625,000	600,000	1,449,251
Less: Expenditure/Encumbrances as of June 2023	(132,353)	0	0	(132,353)
Less: Encumbrance	(300)	0	0	(300)
Total Actual Expenditures/Encumbrances as of June 2023	(132,653)	0	0	(132,653)
Available Funds for FY 2023-2024	91,598	625,000	600,000	1,316,598
% Remaining	41%	100%	100%	91%
II. Actual Expenditures/Encumbrances				
Available Funds for FY 2023-2024	91,898	625,000	600,000	1,316,898
Less: Expenditures as of 6/30/24	(91,898)	(397,745)	0	(489,643)
Less: Encumbrances as of 6/30/24	0	(128,469)	0	(128,469)
Cumulative Expenditures as of 6/30/24	(91,898)	(526,214)	0	(618,112)
\$ Remaining	0	98,786	600,000	698,786
% Remaining	0%	16%	100%	53%
III. Actual Expenditures/Carry Over				
Actual Carry Over through 6/30/24	0	98,786	600,000	698,786
Actual Carry Over (%) through 6/30/24	0%	100%	100%	100%



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#### SAN JOSE WORKS REPORT AS OF AUGUST 31, 2024

San Jose Works (SJ Works) is a City of San Jose-funded partnership between work2future and the City's Parks, Recreation, and Neighborhood Services Department (PRNS). SJ Works has two tracks, (i) subsidized, in which the City covers the cost of stipends or wages for youth internships/jobs, and (ii) unsubsidized, in which employers cover the cost of stipends or wages.

#### SJ Works SUBSIDIZED program 10.0 has provided:

- To date, 361 subsidized employment opportunities for youth aged 14–18 years who began orientation on June 5, 2024. Youth had from June 5–August 2, 2024, to complete 120 hours of work experience.
- A pending cohort of 14 youth will partake in a pilot program being launched in the fall/spring.
- Of the 361 participants, 100% of placed youth successfully completed onboarding, attended orientation, and training which includes soft skills, emotional intelligence, financial literacy, career exploration, entrepreneurship, wage theft and prevention, and mentorship.
- A total of 22 non-custodial checking and savings accounts opened through credit union partnership.
- The subsidized model focused increasingly on Priority-Sector industry and In-Demand Occupation internships for high school youth.
- Of the 361 subsidized placements, 131 were in priority sectors—information and communications technology, health care, construction, advanced manufacturing, and business and finance—or indemand occupations outside those sectors.
- Youth were recruited from High School Career Technical Education classes focusing on the priority sectors and related in-demand occupations.
- The remaining 230 subsidized placements were with community centers, libraries, City departments and Council offices, or with nonprofit agencies.
- In addition, 65 mentors and 65 mentees were matched and have participated in our one-on-one mentoring and group sessions.
- Alumni group of mentees and mentors continue to meet once a month.
- Mentors recruited from different companies such as TATA Group, Western Digital, BofA, HPE, Intel, City departments, Boys & Girls Club, and others.

#### SJ Works UNSUBSIDIZED program 10.0 has provided:

- Currently, there are 156 enrollments, of which 60 have been placed.
- The remaining clients have received a service or multiple services such as assistance in job searching, job applications, resume, financial literacy workshop, mock interview, or attended a job fair or interview.

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Additional services provided to participating youth in both subsidized and unsubsidized components included career counseling, job readiness workshops, supportive services (e.g., bus passes), and financial education.

- Participating youth will continue to have access to services such as job counseling, job readiness training, supportive services (e.g., transportation, clothing, etc.) and financial education.
  - Next SJ Works Job Fair will be in partnership with Eastridge Mall for our annual holiday job fair on November 7, 2024.

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Prepared Sep 3, 2024, by Ruby Carrasco, San Jose Works Program Manager

# III

# **Open Forum**

# IV

# **Business Items**

Each of the following items will be taken up separately. Unless otherwise indicated, each is an information and discussion item:

- A. Chair's Report
- **B.** Director's Report
- C. Amend Annual Board Meeting Schedule {ACTION}
- **D. WIOA Programs Report**
- E. Special Projects Report
- F. Youth Committee Report
- **G. Business Services Committee Report**
- H. WIOA Service Provider Procurement Update
- I. Labor Market Update
- J. Board Elections Preview



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#### **CHAIR'S REPORT**

work2future Board Chair Priya Smith will address various matters of interest and introduce newly appointed Board member Daniel Mangan of Sprinkler Fitters UA Local 483. Mr. Mangan was nominated as a representative of labor by the South Bay AFL-CIO Labor Council and appointed by Mayor Matt Mahan to a four-year term ending December 31, 2028.

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#### **DIRECTOR'S REPORT**

work2future Director Sangeeta Durral will report on various matters of interest not itemized on the agenda.

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# Memorandum

TO: WORK2FUTURE BOARD FROM: Priya Smith

**SUBJECT:** Board Meeting Schedule **DATE:** September 12, 2024

Approved Date:

#### **RECOMMENDATION**

Approve rescheduling the November 21, 2024, Board meeting to December 12, 2024, while retaining the meeting start time as 9:30 am, and recommend that in preparing annual meeting schedules for Board consideration, staff propose the fourth and/or final regular meeting of each calendar year generally take place on the second Tuesday of December in future years, barring extenuating circumstances.

#### **BACKGROUND AND ANALYSIS**

In 2019, the work2future Board moved its final meeting of the calendar year, which also served as the Board's annual meeting, from December, when it had traditionally been held, to the third Thursday of November, in keeping with the third Thursday rhythm of regular Board meetings at other times of the year. However, as the third Thursday of November falls a week before Thanksgiving, it has sometimes made it challenging to have a quorum of Board members present. In keeping with this practice, in November last year, the Board approved a 2024 meeting schedule that included the final regular meeting of the year on November 21, 2024, the third Thursday of the month.

In consultation with staff, and after staff conducted an informal poll that indicates that a majority of Board members would be available to meet on that date, I recommend that the Board reschedule the November 21, 2024, meeting Thursday, December 12, 2024, without changing the start time of the meeting.

#### **Community Builder Awards**

Annual presentation of the Community Builder Awards, when work2future recognizes exemplary achievements and contributions of individuals, companies and other organizations, including work2future clients and partners, normally takes place immediately before or after the last Board meeting of the calendar year. Moving the meeting from before Thanksgiving to between Thanksgiving and Christmas will inject an even more celebratory air into the Awards presentation, a bonus.

/s/ PRIYA S. SMITH, MPH work2future Chairperson



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#### **WIOA PROGRAMS REPORT**

Updates related to the Adult, Dislocated Worker, and Youth programs. The presentation will include the following:

- **Client Journey:** Provide an overview of a typical job seeker client journey with work2future, from initial engagement to program exit.
- **Client Stories**: Staff will share impactful stories from clients participating in the Youth and Adult Programs.
- **PY 2023-24 Career Services:** Youth, Adult, and Dislocated Worker Program reports on year-end performance and other areas.

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#### SPECIAL PROJECTS REPORT

Strategic Engagement Manager Lawrence Thoo will report on the status of various special projects, including, without limitation, the Subsidized Employment Pathway to Self-Sufficiency project funded by a U.S. Department of Labor Community Projects grant to the County of Santa Clara Social Services Agency, which will test the effectiveness of extended subsidized employment as a platform for long-term unsubsidized employment that supports economic self-sufficiency.

The Social Services Agency has sub-granted \$2.9 million to work2future to support approximately five months of fully subsidized employment at \$25 an hour for 40 people who face at least one of these barriers to employment:

- Such low income as to qualify for and receive assistance through the Social Services Agency
- Transitioning from homelessness
- Involvement with the criminal justice system requiring intervention and oversight from the County Department of Re-Entry Services
- Refugee resettlement

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#### YOUTH COMMITTEE REPORT

Youth Committee Chair Jack Estill will report on various matters in relation to the Youth Committee, including a discussion to propose amending the stipulation in the November 2022 Board resolution establishing the Youth Committee that its members include at least two individuals who are between the ages of 16 and 24 years at the time of appointment. The matter was included incorrectly as an Action Item on the agenda of this Board meeting. However, Mr. Estill plans to bring a recommendation first to the Executive Committee for discussion and possible recommendation to the Board at a later meeting.



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#### **BUSINESS SERVICES COMMITTEE REPORT**

Business Services Committee Chairperson Michael Hill will report on activities related to the committee and to work2future business services.

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#### WIOA SERVICE PROVIDER PROCUREMENT UPDATE

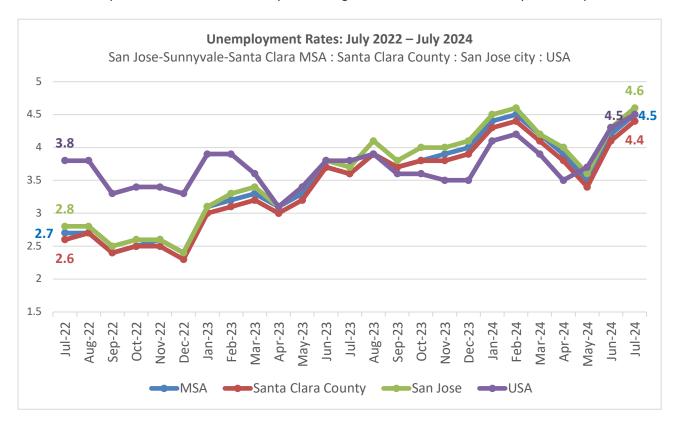
work2future staff will hold community input meetings in preparation for its solicitation for proposals from qualified organizations to provide Adult, Dislocated Worker and Youth Services within the San Jose-Silicon Valley Workforce Development Area. The input meetings are scheduled at different times on Monday, September 30, 2024, at the San Jose Job Center, 1608 Las Plumas Avenue in San Jose. The meetings will be conducted in two sessions, one in the afternoon and one in the evening, to maximize opportunities for all interested parties to have their voices heard. The afternoon session will be held from 1:30pm—3pm and the evening session will be held from 6pm—7:30pm. Outreach for the meetings began September 9, 2024, through email, social media, newsletter, and the work2future website, www.work2future.org.



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#### **LABOR MARKET UPDATE**

The unemployment rate in the San Jose-Sunnyvale-Santa Clara Metropolitan Statistical Area (MSA) was 4.5 percent in July 2024, up from a revised 4.2 percent in June 2024, and above the year-ago estimate of 3.7 percent, the California Employment Development Department announced August 16, 2024. This compares with an unadjusted unemployment rate of 5.8 percent for California and 4.5 percent for the nation during the same period. The unemployment rate was 4.4 percent in Santa Clara County and 4.6 percent in San Jose. It was 6.7 percent in San Benito County which, together with Santa Clara County, makes up the MSA.



Total employment in the MSA saw marginal growth for the year, with a gain of 6,900 jobs (0.6%) between July 2023 and July 2024 to reach 1,164,600. However, the MSA lost 6,200 jobs in the most recent one-month period, June to July 2024. The bulk of job losses came in local government educational services (down 6,400 jobs), coinciding with the end of the school year. Private educational services lost 2,300 jobs in the same period. The large job losses were slightly offset by gains in professional, scientific and technical services (up 1,100 jobs), leisure and hospitality and manufacturing (up 500 each), and healthcare and social assistance (up 300).

Staff will provide a closer look at the labor market's impact on job seekers.





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#### **BOARD ELECTIONS PREVIEW**

The work2future Bylaws stipulate that the Executive Committee is comprised of seven Board members: the Board's chairperson and vice-chairperson, the chairpersons of the other standing committees, the Business Services Committee and the Youth Committee, and three additional members elected by the Board to alternating two-year terms, two in in one term and one in the other.

At the end of October 2023, the single two-year seat became vacant more than a year early when then Executive Committee member Chad Bojorquez left upon the conclusion of his term on the Board. In November 2023, the Board elected Louise Auerhahn, who was due to complete a two-year term on the Executive Committee at the end of December 2023, to serve the remaining year of the committee seat that had been held by Mr. Bojorquez.

Ms. Auerhahn's current term on the Executive Committee will end on December 31, 2024, and the Board must, at its next meeting, which will be the final regular meeting of this calendar year, elect a member to the two-year term on the Executive Committee that will begin January 1, 2025, and continue through December 31, 2026.

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# **Other**

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Adjournment