

**Workforce Development Board**  
Chief Elected Officials Consortium Meeting  
June 11, 2024

The Chief Elected Officials met on June 11, 2024 at 10:30 a.m. at the Sedalia Job Center, 515 South Kentucky Ave, Sedalia, MO and via teleconference.

Presiding Commissioners in attendance were Jim Wheatley, Evan Emmerich, Steve Daleske, Jim Stone, Joe Wilson, Troy Matthews and Bill Taylor. Associate Commissioner Everette Shields was also in attendance.

Presiding Commissioners not in attendance were Stan Falke, Kenneth Thornton, Becky Plattner, Robert Salmon, Robert Sawyer and Harold Hoflander.

Chair of the Consortium, Jim Wheatley called the meeting to order and asked for a motion to approve the agenda as presented. Mr. Jim Stone made a motion to approve the agenda and Mr. Steve Daleske seconded. The motion carried.

Mr. Wheatley asked for a motion to approve the minutes from the February 28, 2024 meeting. Mr. Jim Stone made a motion to approve the minutes. Mr. Steve Daleske seconded the motion. The motion carried.

**PY223/FY24 Financials:** PY24/FY24 were discussed. The region is on track to meet the 80% required expenditure rate for the year.

**PY23/FY24 Performance:** Current performance standings for the year were reviewed and discussed.

**Booth Financial Monitoring:** Booth visited the office in April; the WDB submitted all requested information. The WDB was not contacted again by the agency until June 10 with an email outlining items to be listed on the monitoring report. The region responded stating clarification was not asked for on any of the identified items causing the WDB to believe there were no questions. Booth will allow the WDB to submit additional information. An exit conference will be scheduled for June 13<sup>th</sup> and a final report will be sent to the WDB for review.

**Annual Goals Progress:** Enrollment goals have been met for the year. Correction returns for approvals has decreased from 151% at the beginning of the year to 36%.

**WDB Office:** The WDB administrative office will be closed by June 30, 2024.

**PY24/FY25 WIOA Allocations:** Allocations for the region were reviewed, the region took a 12.5% reduction in WIOA funding, resulting in a loss of \$140,000. No staff reductions will be necessary for the upcoming year.

**Funding Discussion:** WIOA funding trends were reviewed and discussion were held regarding how to address the continuous decline. Several topics were reviewed including the merging of regions. Further discussions will be held.

**Next Meeting Date:** The next meeting will be Tuesday, September 10, 2024 at 10:30 at the Sedalia Missouri Job Center.

**Miscellaneous:** There were no miscellaneous items to discuss.

Mr. Jim Wheatley asked for a motion to adjourn the meeting. Mr. Bill Taylor made a motion to adjourn the meeting. Mr. Joe Wilson seconded the motion. The motion carried.