

ARWDB COMMITTEE MEETING
March 22, 2023 Meeting Summary

Members Present

Ms. Angelia O’Neal
Mr. Trey Ragsdale
Ms. Mandy Chapman
Mr. Jamal Jessie
Ms. Tangela Jones
Mr. Robert Duffield
Mr. Larry Vincent
Mr. Murphy Talmadge
Ms. Angel Rollins
Mr. Jonathan Turner

Members Absent

Ms. Yolanda Virden
Ms. Stephanie Rooks
Ms. Liz Campbell
Ms. Sonia Carruthers
Mr. Randy Hayes
Mr. James Jackson III
Mr. Kent Mason
Mr. Aundra Walthall
Ms. Margie Ensley
Ms. Deirdra Cox

ARWDB Board Co-Chairman, Angela O’Neal, called the Committee meeting to order at 10:37 a.m.

1. Welcome

Rob LeBeau, ARC, welcomed everyone especially two new Committee members: Angel Rollins, TCSG and Jonathan Turner, Lineage Logistics. Rob also gave a brief safety briefing.

There not being a quorum, no votes could take place.

2. Board Member Orientation

Rob went through his presentation which included the history and background of the ARWDB.

3. Consent Agenda

No comments/revisions were suggested for Dec. 7, 2022 meeting summary

4. Action Items

- Approve the Updated Support Services Policy
- Approve an Update to the Registered Apprenticeship Policy
- Approve the Updated Rapid Response Policy
- Approve a Contract Extension for One-Stop Operator, Career Services, and Youth/NextGen Services

5. ARWDB Reports

One Stop Manager's Report

- Ursula Amey-Reid gave the report.
- The Customer Experience survey rating for February was at 100%
- One Stop partner meetings continue to draw over 35 partners each month
- One Stop Center usage for February was 304 while phone calls were 254

6. Executive Committee

- There are two openings on the Committee which Jamal Jessie and Angel Rollins volunteered for fill
- The vice chair position is vacant and will need to be filled

7. Next Gen Committee

- Met in February and discussed the provide contract extensions
- Larry Vincent also volunteered to serve as the Committee vice chair

8. Business Service Committee

- Henry Charlot mentioned the need for a co-chair and two additional members.

9. Career Services Committee

- Currently developing the cost of the mobile unit which should have the generator installed and ready for use in May

10. Directors Report

- Unemployment rate for Georgia is 3.4% while the national average is 3.9%
- There is grant funding that needs to be spent by June 30
- There will be an IJJA Summit on April 19. The Build Georgia: A Workforce Partnership meeting will be by invitation only and will focus on preparing Georgia's workforce for future projects which will be implemented with the large funding from the Federal government.
- The ARWDB consultant Rocket Camp is currently running an ad campaign on Instagram and Facebook with good results. Over 650,000 impressions and 15,000 clicks were made which bring the average cost to \$.77 per click. Very good results. The campaign will run through March 31.
- There are currently two bills in the Georgia Congress that would allow for virtual participation at ARWDB Committee meetings.

11. Next full board meeting will be May 24, 2023

The meeting was adjourned at 12:11 p.m.