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**SECTOR STRATEGIES & CAREER PATHWAYS  
COMMITTEE MEETING**

**Thursday, July 7, 2022**

**1:00 p.m. – 2:30 p.m.**

*Due to the COVID-19 pandemic, protecting the health and welfare of the community is a priority. The meeting was held remotely, with Board members and staff participating via an online meeting venue.*

**MINUTES**

**ATTENDEES:**

Cary Miyashiro, Committee Chair, Quad D Solutions  
April Acquavella, Committee Vice Chair, HI Carpenter's Apprenticeship & Training Fund  
Alan Hayashi, WDC Chair, Consult 808  
Chase Nomura, Executive Director, Maui County Workforce Development  
Collette Miyamoto-Kajiwara, HIDOE-HI Core/Store Front  
Courtney Suma, Kapolei High School  
Daintry Bartoldus, DOH Council on Development Disabilities  
Dina Yoshimi, Director of Hawaii Language Roadmap-University of Hawaii Manoa  
Dion Dizon. AFL-CIO  
Erin Yagi, Hawaii P-20  
Faustino Dagdag, Leeward Community College & SHRM Hawaii  
Gail Izumigawa, Waipahu High School  
Ian Kitajima, Oceanit  
Jackie Kaina, Kauai County Economic Development Board  
Janet Kim, UHM-COE  
Keala Peters, Chamber of Commerce Hawaii  
Keri Shimomoto, HIDOE-Teacher Induction Center  
Kira Higa, Human Resources, Hawaiian Telcom  
Kristy Nishimura, HIDOE-Alternative Learning Program  
Lorna Woo, IUPAT District Council 50  
Nicolette van der Lee, UHCC  
Stacie Higgins, Hawaii P-20  
Tammi Oyadomari-Chun, UHCC, AVP-Academic Affairs  
Troy Sueoka, HIDOE-CTE  
Vangie Casasas, HIDOE-CTE  
Warren Kawano, Hawaii P-20, Director, Career Pathway Strategy

**STAFF:**

Harrison Kuranishi, WDD, Interim Executive Director  
Daven Kawamura, WDD  
Katrina Ramos, WDD

**I. Call to Order & Chair Updates**

The meeting was called to order at 1:00 p.m. by Committee Chair Cary Miyashiro.

Chair Miyashiro identified the committee's goal and customers. Chair Miyashiro also updated the committee on the Workforce Development Diploma.

**II. Approval of Minutes for April 25, 2022, Meeting**

Chair Miyashiro requested a motion to approve the April 25, 2022, meeting minutes. Dina Yoshimi moved to approve the minutes and Keala Peters seconded the motion. There were no objections or abstentions. The minutes were approved unanimously.

**III. Updates and Reports**

- A. Keala Peters presented an update on Sector Strategies Programs, which can be found at this link: <https://labor.hawaii.gov/wdc/files/2022/07/July-Update-Presentation-DLIR.pptx.pdf>
- B. Tammy Oyadomari-Chun and Nicolette van der Lee presented an update on Hana Career Pathways Program and the Good Jobs Challenge Grant Proposal, which can be found at this link: [https://labor.hawaii.gov/wdc/files/2022/07/RWP\\_Update\\_WDC\\_20220707.pdf](https://labor.hawaii.gov/wdc/files/2022/07/RWP_Update_WDC_20220707.pdf)

For training opportunities and to apply online: [uhcc.hawaii.edu/training](http://uhcc.hawaii.edu/training)

- C. Warren Kawano presented an update on Hawaii P-20 Partnerships for Education & Career & Technical Education, which can be found at this link: <https://labor.hawaii.gov/wdc/files/2022/07/Hawaii-P-20-presentation-to-WDC-Sector-Strategies-Com-7.7.22.pdf>
- D. The WDD updates has been deferred to the next meeting.

**IV. Next Meeting**

Next meeting is scheduled for August 4, 2022.

**V. Announcements & Public Testimonies**

There were no announcements or public testimonies.

**VI. Adjournment**

Chair Miyashiro adjourned the meeting at 2:20 p.m.