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WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT COUNCIL'S
SECTOR STRATEGIES & CAREER PATHWAYS COMMITTEE
Thursday, May 2, 2024
1:00 p.m. – 2:30 p.m.

Remote Meeting:

This meeting will be held remotely by Zoom interactive conference technology. Board members, staff, and members of the public may participate in the remote meeting by using the following Zoom link:

<https://us06web.zoom.us/j/83047517999?pwd=nBfZ6pa90SdLixKtBb7jCGDchAj6sT.1>

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Meeting ID: 830 4751 7999

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Physical Meeting:

A physical meeting location will be open to the public and will have an audiovisual connection, which will allow individuals at the physical meeting location to participate in the remote meeting. The address of the physical meeting location is 830 Punchbowl Street, Suite #310 Training Room, Honolulu, HI 96813.

Meeting materials are available for review at: <https://labor-dev.hawaii.gov/wdc/sector-strategies-and-career-pathways-committee/>

Written and Oral Testimony:

Individuals may submit written testimony by U.S. mail or hand delivery at 830 Punchbowl Street, Suite 317, Honolulu, HI 96813 or by email at DLIR.Workforce.Council@hawaii.gov. It is requested that written testimony be received at least 24 hours prior to the meeting. Individuals may provide remote oral testimony during the remote meeting at the Zoom link listed above. Individuals participating at the physical meeting location may also provide oral testimony during the remote meeting.

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AGENDA

- I. Call to Order..... *Chair Cary Miyashiro*
- II. Approval of Minutes
 - a. February 1, 2024 Meeting Minutes
- III. Committee Updates from February 1, 2024 – May 1, 2024..... *Cary Miyashiro, Chair, Sector Strategy and Career Pathways Committee, President, Quad D Solutions*
 - i. Re-cap of Project MFG Hawaii Maritime Welding Competition and Career Discovery – February 23, 2024
Project MFG (not an acronym) is a catalyst that helps elevate the next generation of highly skilled trade professionals by changing mindsets, fostering community preparedness, and challenging how the critical skills needed to succeed in modern advanced manufacturing are taught.
 - a.) Featured schools – Waipahu High School, Hilo High School, Kapaa High School
 - b.) Total students that participated = 20
 - c.) Local industry partners that attended – Airgas, Pearl Harbor Naval Shipyard, Pacific Shipyard International, Samson Trucking, Hawaiian Cement
 - d.) To learn more about Project MFG please visit their website – www.projectmfg.com
 - ii. Re-cap of 2024 State Career and Technical State Organization (CTSO) Conference – January 29th – 31st 2024
 - a.) Background and Goals of the Career and Technical State (CTSO) Conference
 - b.) Total students that participated = 1,700 from across the state
 - c.) Sectors that participated – Business and Marketing, Retail Merchandising, Drone operations, Robotics, Health Science, Emergency Preparedness, Engineering Technology
- IV. Presentation: Olomana School, An Alternative Education School for 7th – 12th Grades.....*Stacey Oshio, Principal, Olomana School*

Olomana High and Intermediate School is an alternative-education school which offers classes in seventh grade through twelfth grade. Located in Kailua, the school is part of the Department of Education.
 - a. Background, vision, and mission statements
 - b. Summary of programs and courses offered
 - c. Agency partners
 - d. Campuses – Olomana Youth Center, Hawaii Youth Correctional Facility, Kapolei

Detention Center, Home Maluhia

- V. Presentation: Lanakila Pacific.....*Rona Fukumoto, President, Lanakila Pacific*

Lanakila Pacific is a Hawaii-based non-profit 501(c)(3) organization which offers assistance programs to individuals with cognitive, physical, social, or age-related challenges.

- a. Overview of Programs
- b. Target groups
- c. Funding sources

- VI. Presentation: Division of Vocational Rehabilitation, Department of Human Services..... *Lea Diaz, Administrator*

The Division of Vocational Rehabilitation (DVR) is Hawai'i's primary agency directly responsible for the employment needs of citizens with disabilities. They are committed to Hawai'i's efforts in establishing a 21st century workforce.

- a. Overview of Programs
- b. Connections of Division of Vocational Rehabilitation (DVR) with the Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act (WIOA)
- c. Current Status of Clients
- d. Funding Sources

- VII. Executive Director's Report from January 18, 2024 to April 18, 2024.....*Bennette Misalucha, Executive Director, Workforce Development Council*

- a. Update on the Status of the State Workforce Development Unified Plan: The State Workforce Unified Plan was submitted on March 4, 2024 as prescribed by US Department of Labor. The next step is to create a dashboard to track the strategies and tactics that were included in the Plan.
- b. Upcoming Events in 2024
 - a.) May 30, 2024 – Quarterly Board Meeting
 - b.) Workforce Development Council Board Training – week of June 24 – 28, 2024
 1. Sunshine Law training
 2. Ethics training
 3. Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act (WIOA) training

- VIII. Announcements and Public Testimony (if any)

- IX. Next Meeting

- a. Thursday, June 6, 2024 at 1:00p.m. to 2:30p.m.

- X. Adjournment