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LEGISLATION COMMITTEE MEETING
MINUTES
Chairperson Yvonne de la Peña

Monterey Tides
Wednesday, April 24, 2019
1:30 p.m. – 2:30 p.m.

Wednesday, February 6, 2019 8 2:37 P.M.

I. Call To Order/ Roll Call

Chairperson Yvonne de la Pena called the meeting to order at 1:35 P.M.

Members present: Yvonne de la Pena, Jack Buckhorn, Paul Von Berg, Luis Ontiveros, Larry Hopkins, Dick Zampa, Chip Martin, Nick Esquivel, and Chief Eric Rood

Absent: Jim Hussey

A quorum was met.

II. Review/Approve Minutes –February 2019

A motion and a second were made to approve the Minutes of February 2019. All approved. The motion carried.

III. Governor's Budget 2018-19 for Apprenticeship

Chair Yvonne de la Pena stated that all of the Governor's budget hearings are going on now and we currently are seeing much changes.

She discussed the RSI hourly rate increases by \$0.21 from \$6.26 to 6.47 or an increase of 3%.

Discussed DAS and fiscal impact on the department and their recent request for additional positions to help in the efforts of reaching the goal of 500k apprentices by the year 2020.

Chair Yvonne de la Pena discussed briefly the budget as we know it.

Schedule:

(2) 5670019-Apprenticeship	\$43,782,000
(3) 5670023-Apprenticeship Training and Instruction	\$35,860,000

Provisions:

3. (a) The funds appropriated in Schedule (2) shall be available pursuant to Article 3 (commencing with Section 79140.) of Chapter 9 of Part 48 of Division 7 of Title 3 of the Education Code.
(b) Pursuant to Section 79149.3 of the Education Code, the reimbursement rate shall be **\$6.47 per hour**.
(c) Of the funds appropriated in Schedule (2), **\$15,000,000** shall be used for the California Apprenticeship Initiative pursuant to Section 79148.1 of the Education Code. Funds appropriated pursuant to this subdivision shall be available for encumbrance or expenditure until June 30, 2022.

4. (a) The funds appropriated in Schedule (3) shall be available pursuant to Article 8 (commencing with Section 8150) of Chapter 1 of Part 6 of Division 1 of Title 1 of the Education Code.
(b) Pursuant to Section 8152 of the Education Code, the reimbursement rate shall be **\$6.47 per hour**.

Percentage Changes in ongoing RSI funding (excluding onetime increases and targeted funding

- Community Colleges: an additional \$934,000 or an increase of 3%;
- K-12: an additional \$1,164,000 or an increase of 3%;
- RSI hourly rate increases by \$0.21 from \$6.26 to 6.47 or an increase of 3%.

Yvonne stated that data is needed to find out what the needs of the new and innovative program and the IACA. At the moment the funding sources for these programs are unknown. She stated that she will be putting some apprenticeship bills

IV. Review of New and Pending Bills

Chairperson Yvonne de la Peña stated that we will discuss the governor's budget at the next meeting in detail.

Chairperson Yvonne de la Peña gave a short report and overview on pre-apprenticeship or apprenticeship budget line items. She stated copies of this report were provided and are made available to apprenticeship community. (Please see the attached document).

Yvonne discussed the need to follow SB 462 (Stern D) Community colleges: Forestland Restoration Workforce Program. The California Community Colleges is developing model curriculum.

Questions and Comments were taken from the apprenticeship community.

V. Additional Items for Discussion

Yvonne stated that she had put together a PowerPoint program to try to explain how apprenticeship works, regulations, oversight and funding and oversight. She stated that she would be happy to share this and make it available for any program that wants to utilize this to fit their standards.

Questions and Comments were made from the apprenticeship community.

Yvonne de la Peña asked the attendees to send her and any information on issues they would like to discuss in the future.

VI. Adjournment

A motion and a second were made to adjourn the meeting. The meeting adjourned at 2:15 p.m.