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STANDARDS, RULES, REGULATIONS & OPERATING
PROCEDURES
COMMITTEE MEETING
MINUTES

Chairperson Jim Hussy

Monterey Tides

Wednesday, April 23, 2019

3:30 p.m. – 4:30 p.m.

I. Call to Order/Roll Call

Acting Chairperson Jack Buckhorn called the meeting to order at 3:34 p.m.

The following Commissioners were present: Jack Buckhorn, Larry Hopkins, Dick Zampa, Chip Martain, Derrick Qualipai, Frank Schetter, Paul Von Berg, Susan Anderson, Yvonne De La Pena, Christopher Christophersen and DAS Chief Eric Rood

Members absent: Jim Hussy

II. Review/Approve Previous Minutes.

A motion and a second were made to approve the minutes of the February 2019 meeting. All were in favor. The motion carried.

Discussion regarding Aram Hodess being nominated to Apprenticeship Hall of Fame.

Discussion on how to nominate to apprenticeship hall of fame – publicity committee and CAC would take actions on recommendations, July council meeting then October for the action,

III. Old Business

- Discussion and Action on revised DAS140 and DAS142 forms
Stated that this action was resolved and has moved forward.
- Discussion and Action on Rule changes required by SB56

Jack Buckhorn stated that SB56 law was passed in 2011. He stated that the CAC did their work and put a package together. It was submitted to OA and unfortunately, it was not accepted. They gave us a year to fix it and make changes and unfortunately it was not completed in time.

Jack Revisions to CAC Rules and Regulations as required under SB 56 were discussed. He stated that they got another package and made corrections and revisions and have resubmitted it to OAL.

Among other things, SB 56:

1. Amended the manner in which DAS is to audit apprenticeship programs
2. Prescribed requirements for Building Trades apprenticeship program applications
3. Required building trades apprenticeship programs to submit specified data monthly to DAS in electronic form

Attorney John Cumming, DIR Director's Office gave a updated status of where we are with the approval of the rule making package that was submitted. He stated that it is currently in review at the DIR budget office looking at the physical and economic impacts. The Secretary of Labor signature would be next.

Lots of discussion from the apprenticeship community.

- Proposed Changes to §230. Notification of Contract Award Information
- CAC consideration of appeals on non-traditional apprentice program applications

Jack Buckhorn stated that an Ad-Hoc committee was created due to AB235. Discussed the review of work processes for new programs. Stated that DAS is creating a form to give more clarity regarding new programs. Chief Rood stated that a summary is being developed of

what the program is trying to accomplish. Who are the partners? Is there labor involved? What are the needs trying to be accomplished? In addition, we are looking into building into our standards that these apprentices will not be dispatched to public works. Currently we are in review of what the law is on that particular issue. In addition, graduates of a non-traditional program do not meet the trained and skilled requirements and have this built into the language of the standards.

Lots of discussion from the apprenticeship community.

- Approval of pre-apprenticeship program applications

Discussed CAC commissioner sitting on the Pre-apprenticeship IACA subcommittee panel. If any commissioner is interested in serving, please let Jack Buckhorn know.

Jack stated that the DAS Chief has the authority to approve these programs. Registered Pre-apprenticeship did not start till January 2019.

To apply as a registered pre-apprenticeship program in the State of California, please email preapprenticeship@dir.ca.gov.

Discussed tracking and looking at the life of that pre-apprentice and see if they became a journey level worker. DAS is working on tracking this information.

IV. New Business

None

V. Adjournment

This meeting adjourned at 4:38pm