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FORUM COMMITTEE MEETING MINUTES

Chairperson Paul Von Berg
Hilton Los Angeles North/Glendale
Wednesday, January 22, 2020
10:30 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.

- I. Call to Order and Roll Call by Commissioner Jack Buckhorn at 10:35 a.m.
 - a. Members present: Jack Buckhorn, Susan Anderson, Nick Esquivel and DAS Chief Eric Rood
 - b. Members Absent: Chip Martin, Christopher Christophersen, Paul Von Berg and Larry Hopkins
- II. Review/approve previous Minute
 - A motion was made and seconded to approve the minutes of the last meeting held on November 6, 2019. Minutes were approved as submitted.
- III. Discussions and suggestions on future Forum topics.

Discussed the forum that will be presented by the DLSE at the CAC scheduled January 23, 2020.

Discussed the previous suggested topics. Commissioners discussed ranking the pervious suggestions below:

- A Presentation from Department of Rehabilitation
- Cal-JAC Pre-Apprenticeship program
- Rebecca Hanson to share on New and Innovative Non-Traditional Apprenticeship Programs.
- Best Practices of Recruitment- Hospitality Apprenticeship program was suggested Culinary and Room Attendant program.
- FTE's vs. RSI funding
- Discussed pre-apprenticeship programs in the prison and prison to employment pipeline.
 - CALPIA instructor presentation.
- Application process for pre-apprenticeship or Veteran hire

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- Marketing and recruitment campaigns for construction trades (AGC-Sacramento)

After previously suggested topics were discussed. Commissioner Buckhorn held a lively discussion of addition forum topics. Suggestions made were:

- To discuss the new Future of Work Commission and the new development of the Department of Better Jobs and Higher Wages (Department) that will develop and align programmatic strategies and service delivery models to better meet California's workforce needs and proactively address the state's future of work challenges.
- Chief Eric Rood stated that this proposed reorganization plan consolidates the workforce functions within the Agency into a new department under a unified executive leadership with a shared vision, mission and policy objectives. The new department will be comprised of existing employment, training, and data collection services currently provided by the California Workforce Development Board (CWDB), Employment Development Department (EDD), the Department of Industrial Relations Division of Apprenticeship Standards (DAS), and the Employment Training Panel (ETP). Chief Rood stated that he would
- A presentation from the Department of Rehabilitation
- Suggestion from the apprenticeship community for Journeymen apprenticeship ratios for federally funded work in the State of California- 5 to 1 ratio.
- Suggestion regarding the growth of various labor platforms to dispatch workers for construction workers. Discuss how it's being regulated in California and CSLB to possibly participate and their role. Discussion of California Assembly Bill 5 (AB5).

IV. Other Items of Interest

None

V. Adjournment

Meeting adjourned at 10:55 a.m.