



Youth Committee APPROVED Minutes

June 10, 2022, at 8:00 A.M. HYBRID

In attendance:

- **WDB Staff:** Carissa Pinkard
 - **Members:** Michael Ford, Francis Miliano, Jean Martin, Gina Guatta, Susan Richeson, John Robbins, Victor DeSantis **(7 members)**
 - **CareerLink® Staff:** Willow Peluso, Melissa VanDoran, Jerrick Ventress
- Not in attendance:** Cindi Moses, Diane Tyson, Cheri Modene, Kimberly Patrick, Valdijah Brown, **(5 members)**

- I. Welcome, Public Comment
- II. Call to Order and Roll Call of Members
- III. Consent Agenda
 - Approval of Minutes for January 2022 meeting

IV. Program Updates

Melissa and Willow shared program updates, struggles, and successes through the 3rd Quarter of PY21 for TANF Youth Program Development and WIOA Out-of-School Youth.

Jerrick shared about WIOA-Out-of-School outreach and the partnership with career navigators. Jerrick shared relationships developed with community organizations and highlights of partnership with Equus and EDSI through this new pilot of one vendor providing outreach and recruitment, while the other provide career navigation.

Mike Moller shared updates for the WIOA In-School Youth Program. Noting updated data, the Devin (Program Manager) provided to him prior to the meeting.

Carissa shared performance and fiscal updates through Quarter 3 of PY21 via a PPT slide

V. Discussion

Carissa shared that the summer months will include workgroups to focus on RFP reviews and committee event ideas and goals for the upcoming PY22.

VI. Adjournment – 9:16am