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DATE: January 06, 2023

TO: LA's Workforce Development System

FROM: Carolyn M. Hull, General Manager (avolyn M. Economic and Workforce Development Department

SUBJECT: WDS INFORMATION BULLETIN №. 23–04 UPCOMING COMMUNITY FORUMS ON THE BIENNIAL MODIFICATION OF THE WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT BOARD'S LOCAL PLAN FOR 2021-24

EFFECTIVE DATE

This directive is effective on issue.

PURPOSE

The purpose of this bulletin is to notify all Workforce Development System (WDS) contractors that the Economic and Workforce Development Department (EWDD) is holding community forums to solicit public input for the biennial modification of the Workforce Development Board's (WDB) Local Plan for 2021-24.

NOTICE

Under the Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act (WIOA), a biennial update of regional and local plans is required to ensure that plans remain current and account for "changes in labor market and economic conditions or in other factors affecting the implementation of the local plan" (29 U.S. Code § 3123). The California Workforce Development Board (State Board) also makes changes to the State Plan that require Local Boards to update their plans to keep them consistent with the policy direction of the State Plan.

This month, EWDD is hosting a number of community forums related to the preparation of the Local Plan Modification. These sessions will provide partners, stakeholders, and community residents an opportunity to provide valuable input to guide EWDD in its process of modifying the Local Plan for 2021-24. The topics to be discussed include:

- Addressing Digital Literacy to Facility Hybrid Service Delivery Models
- Strategic Partnerships to Enhance Service Delivery
- Post-Pandemic Industry Sector Investments

Meetings will be held via Zoom (links embedded dates and times):

- Monday, January 9, 2023 6:00pm to 8:00pm
- Thursday, January 12, 2023 2:00pm to 4:00pm
- Wednesday, January 18, 2023 10:00am to 12:00pm

If you have any questions or need assistance with the Zoom links, please contact Désirée Guzzetta at <u>Desiree.Guzzetta@lacity.org</u>.

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