Work-Integrated Learning Advisory Committee Meeting Minutes Regular Meeting

Via Zoom Meeting/October 21, 2020

Members in Attendance: Representative Sharon Tomiko Santos

Senator Lisa Wellman

Rebecca Wallace, designee to the Superintendent of Public Instruction

Denise Reddinger, representing school counselors

Krista Fox, representing Community and Technical Colleges

Maddy Thompson, Governor's Office

Larry Brown, representing Workforce Board (WTB)

Chris Alejano, representing WTB

Dave Mastin, attending for Gary Chandler representing WTB

Members Not in Attendance: Representative Luanne Van Werven

Senator Ann Rivers

Derek Jaques, representing K-12 Career and Technical Education (CTE)

Educators

Staff to the Committee: Lance Wrzesinski, Office of Superintendent of Public Instruction (OSPI)

Renee Lafreniere, OSPI Roger A. Rich, Jr., OSPI Samantha L. Sanders, OSPI

Shailee Berry, OSPI

Public Attendees*: Alissa Muller, State Board of Education

Brianna Kirschenbaum, School's Out Washington

Dave Wallace, WTB

Dave Mastin, Association of Washington Business

David Beard, School's Out Washington

Ethan Moreno, House of Representatives, ED Committee Staff

Marina Parr, WTB

Natalie Pacholl, SEH America

Anna Nikolaeva, Employment Security Department

Tim Knue, WA-ACTE

Timothy McClain, State Board for Community and Technical Colleges

^{*}Titles may reflect how participants signed in during Zoom-based meeting.

Call to Order: Representative Sharon Tomiko Santos called the meeting to order at 1:15 pm on October 21, 2020. Rebecca Wallace moved to approve the minutes. The motion was seconded by Larry Brown. Prior meeting minutes from July 29, 2020, were approved unanimously by committee members in attendance with three members absent. Denise Reddinger moved to approve the agenda. The motion was seconded by Maddy Thompson and approved unanimously. Attendance was taken using a Chat Box protocol and audible roll call of committee members. Committee members, staff and guests introduced themselves. No public comments were made.

Land Acknowledgement: Recognition of the Traditional Territories of Indigenous Peoples was delivered by Samantha L. Sanders, staff to the committee.

Samantha recognized the racial inequities that exist and invited accountability and partnership in the work of the committee, included the focus on diversity, equity and inclusion.

Scope of Committee: Representative Santos reviewed the scope of the committee, as well as the deliverables listed in legislation including reporting requirements.

Overlap of Terminology, Program and Service Delivery: Rebecca Wallace reviewed an infographic that was intended to depict the interconnectivity between various programs related to the work of the committee. Committee discussion included Alissa Muller's comments as to the intentions of the High School and Beyond Plan.

Focus Group Discussion (5): Attendees were broken into small groups with the intention of capturing information that would inform the findings and recommendations of the committee and the focus of future meetings. Topic prompts included Career Connect Washington, House Bill 1599 Graduation Pathways, and Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act funding.

Small Group Share Out: Each small group was given an opportunity to share their discussion with the larger group and was asked if there were any other programs or policies that the committee wanted to hear about for the purposes of informing policy change recommendations.

Future Meeting Planning: The committee was reminded of the November and December meeting dates. The co-chair, Representative Santos, expressed an interest in securing dates for the remainder of the fiscal year in attempts to better plan.

Public Comment, Final Announcements and Conclusion of Meeting: During public comment, Tim Knue mentioned that WA-ACTE will be hosting a fall conference in November. Senator Lisa Wellman moved to adjourn the meeting. The motion was seconded by Rebecca Wallace and the meeting was adjourned at 3:41 pm.