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Atlantic County Workforce Development Oversight Committee October 23, 2019

Attendance

Dasha Brown	Jerry Delrosso	Paul McClellan	Karen McCormick
Ren Parikh	Diana Strelczyk	Natalie Devonish	Marian Woodson
Fran Kuhn	Dhara Bachman	Rita Condry	Jim Waters

Minutes

This meeting was called to order at 2:39pm by Fran Kuhn, Executive Director. During his opening statements Fran discussed the resignation of the former Executive Director and the expectations of this committee moving forward.

One Stop Report-Marian Woodson

Currently the participation rate is 16.5% which has decreased from the month of August; this drop is due to customers becoming employed. Fran Kuhn added that the end of season is partly the reason as well. Caseloads are smaller therefore the numbers should increase.

**Employment & Training:**

Orientation 107 Eligible 52 Now Show 55

Career Beacon

9:30am Schedule 28 Attended 26

1:30pm Schedule 22 Attended 19

**NJ Youth Corp-** No changes from the last report

**Sumer Youth**

Los 100 Worksites 32 Participants 70 In School 52 Out of School 18 Hired 7

**Workfirst NJ**

TANF: CSA Referral 16 Referred to vendor 39 Youth works 2 Employment 20

Sanctions 44

GA: CSA Referral 12 Referred to vendor 11 Employment 3 Sanctions 17

SNAP: Eligibility Referred 250 Referred Vendors 52 Disqualified 97

All youth ages 18-24 will be referred to the Out of School program. The SNAP process will be revamped; Fran Kuhn added that disqualifications had not been imposed however as of 10/1/2019 this is effective. Jerry Delrosso inquired of the number of customers that get employed and are the numbers being tracked: Fran Kuhn responded that the case managers should be able to track these numbers.

## Youth Works

ACSS In School 28 AC Boys & Girls 0 Ideal 9 Stockton Out of School 7  
Fran Kuhn requested the employer list form Stockton representative Diana Strelczyk.

## Testing

Tasc 23 CASAS 93  
Stockton and Ideal bill for the customers they test at their facility.

## Learning Lab

Referred 12 Enrolled 14 Completion 4 WLL 1 Employed 3

## Learning Link

New Enrolled 9 Total Enrolled 27 HSE 1 Post Sec. Edu. 2

## ESL

Stockton 10 ResCare 3 Tanf 1 GA 2 SNAP 10

New enrollment are defined as participants that have attended the Learning Lab. Fran Kuhn added that the grant is generated and will begin; the one concern is the referrals.

## Vendor Outcome

Stockton: Referrals 55	LOS 30	TANF 9	GA 12	SNAP 26	No Show 26
ResCare: Referrals 36	LOS 13	TANF 11	GA 1	SNAP 1	No Show 13

## Job Development

Chamber: Referral 23	LOS 23	Employment 7
Stockton: Referral 19	LOS 18	Employment 14

Employment Service- According to Paul McClellan LWD Manager, recruitment is low; there is an up-take of mental health customers and outreach is being done. Ex-offenders are also getting employed. Marian Woodson added that she has asked the case managers to escort customers to DVR.

Ren Parikh reports that Ideal is in the process of obtaining a C.O. for a building located near the One Stop which will make it easier for our customers.

Adjourned 4:17pm.

