



STATE WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT BOARD

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Mission:

The Iowa State Workforce Development Board oversees the development and implementation of the state workforce development plan. The SWDB ensures that state workforce regions have the resources to support employment programs across the state.

PUBLIC MEETING NOTICE

Date:

Thursday, June 11, 2026

Time:

11:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.

Place:

DMACC Urban Campus
Student Life Building
1144 7th Street
Building 7
Room UC07-171
Des Moines, IA

Zoom:

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TENTATIVE AGENDA

1. Call to Order.
2. Roll call to establish quorum by Shelly Evans, Board Administrator.
3. **Action Item:** Approval of Meeting Agenda. (Attachment 1)

4. **Action Item:** Approval of Minutes of March 2, 2026, State Workforce Development Board (SWDB) meeting. (Attachment 2 – Minutes dated 03/2/26)
5. **Action Item:** Approval of Minutes of March 12, 2026, State Workforce Development Board (SWDB) meeting. (Attachment 3 – Minutes dated 03/12/26)
6. Welcome by LuAnn Scholbrock, Chair.
7. Ratification of Executive Committee consultation of the State of Iowa Workforce Pell Grant Program Guidance draft and High-Demand, High-Wage, and High-Skill (H3-aligned) Standard Occupational Code (SOC) Regional Lists for Workforce Pell Grants by Michelle McNertney, Executive Director of the SWDB. (Attachment 4 – Draft Iowa Workforce Pell Grant Program Guidance, Attachment 5 – Workforce Pell H3-aligned SOC Regional Lists)
 - 7.1 – **Action Item:** Motion to ratify Executive Committee consultation and recommendation to the Governor’s Office approval of the State of Iowa Workforce Pell Grant Program Guidance draft and High-Demand, High-Wage, and High-Skill (H3-aligned) Standard Occupational Code (SOC) Regional Lists for Workforce Pell Grants.
8. Discussion of Applications for Workforce Training Program Eligibility for Workforce Pell Grants for the 2026/2027 award year by Ryan Zantingh, Chief, Bureau of Financial Aid, State Authorization and Evaluation, Iowa Department of Education. (Attachment 6 – Applicant List)
 - 8.1 -- **Action Item:** Motion to recommend approval of Applications for Workforce Training Programs to be eligible for Workforce Pell Grants for the 2026/2027 award year.
9. Discussion on appointing Vice Chair for SWDB by LuAnn Scholbrock, Chair.
 - Scott Naumann has volunteered to be the new Vice Chair.
 - 9.1 -- **Action Item:** Motion to nominate and appoint Scott Naumann as Vice Chair of the SWDB.

10. Discussion on appointing a SWDB member to the State Rehabilitation Council by Brandy McOmber, Division Administrator Vocational Rehabilitation Services. (Attachment 7 – Description of SRC and Member Requirements)
11. Discussions on members for SWDB Committees by LuAnn Scholbrock, Chair. (Attachment 8 – Committee Member Lists)
12. Update from Iowa Plains Committee by Kent Heroniums, Committee Chair.
13. Update from Disability Access Committee by Brandy McOmber, Committee Chair.
14. Update from System and Policy Committee by Jack Hasken, Committee Chair.
15. Director's Report.
16. Public Comment. (Public comments will be limited to 3 minutes per speaker and should address only those items on the current meeting agenda.)
17. Adjourn.

ACCOMMODATION:

Accommodation is available upon request for individuals with disabilities. If you need an accommodation, please contact Shelly Evans, Board Administrator, shelly.evans@iwd.iowa.gov, (515) 587-0050.

UPCOMING CALENDAR EVENTS:

- State Workforce Development Board Quarterly Meetings:
 - September 3, 2026 – @ Security National Bank, West Des Moines
 - December 4, 2026 – Virtual