



BOLDER COUNTY WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT BOARD FULL BOARD MEETING

Board Goals

1. *Strengthen Partnerships to address individual and community level issues impacting economic mobility.*
2. *Increase the impact of Workforce Boulder County by attracting and supporting more individuals and businesses to utilize the available resources.*
3. *Align local policies and resources to support access to opportunities for quality, life-long education connected to the future of work.*

Agenda

May 19, 2023, 8:00-9:30AM

LOCATION: 515 Coffman
Longmont, CO
80501
Room 112 North and South

7:45AM Networking and Breakfast

8:10 Welcome Members – Corine Waldau

- In groups of three share one way/tool that your workplace offers to support the mental health of staff

~~**8:20 Consent Item – Corine Waldau**~~

- ~~• Fiscal Report~~

8:30 Board Member Feature – Bernadine Sharp, Boulder Community Health

8:40 Presentation & Conversation: Mental Health Workforce -- Marcy Campbell, Boulder County Public Health

9:15 Director's Update - Erin Jones

9:30 Meeting Adjourned

Board Meeting Minutes: Secretary, Cindy Scurry, was out of town so Jonathan Galindo, Vice Chair, and Board Liaison, Cate Cook, took notes.

- 5/19/23 8:11AM Corine Waldau, Board Chair, adjourned meeting. Started meeting in triads talking about a workplace mental health benefit.
 - Introduction in groups of 3-4 to talk about mental health in the workplace
 - Give an example of a thing in your workplace that helps with mental health
 - Board members introduced themselves and Neil Barker (NCAR/UCAR) introduced himself for his first in person meeting.
- Consent Items were approved through an online vote
 - There were no question on items that were voted on.
- Bernadine Sharp shared about BCH's Talent Funnel: Awareness-Hiring
 - Explained how to create a great work environment and use indeed as a tool for hiring the correct people
 - To increase applicants:
 - Job Descriptions: 500-3,000 words max
 - 5 Key words related to the job in the title
 - Train for online interviews to make people more comfortable
- Marcy Campbell from Boulder County spoke about Mental Health Roadmap in Boulder County
 - Background
 - Behavioral mental health roadmap
 - Areas of focus
 - Systemic Access Issues
 - Continuum of care
 - Criminal Justice
 - Equitable access population
 - Workforce
 - June 14th Community meeting
 - Breakout sessions to discuss challenges
- Directors Updates:
 - Board Summer Happy Hour July 25th or August 8th
 - Calls from Executive Committee this summer
 - Local Area Plan Update: 2024 is the 4-year plan
 - September is Workforce Development Month for those that want to participate
 - Board Openings in IT/Tech, Hospitality/Restaurant and Healthcare

Attendance:

Bernadine Sharp
Bernadette Stewart
Brittany Gratton
Chris Aguilar-Garcia
Claire Cronin
Cliff Pacaro
Corine Waldau
Darlene Bushue
David Lopez
Erik Cornell
Grace Fetter
Janel Highfill
Jeff Sidders (Proxy Becky Virkus)
Jesus Borrego (Proxy Kelly Folks)
Jon Galindo
Karl Gerken
Kristen Moorefield
Matt Wiggins
Nicole Martin

Staff:

Erin Jones
Nora Saenz
Cate Cook
Sara Miller
Lisa Jensen
Barb Larsen
Carrie Wichman
Lindsay Bergman
Raoudha Zeleya

Partners:

Tony Smith
Sharon King
Desiree Firle
Marcy Campbell