

# Los Angeles County WIB-Community College Collaborative

## Policy & Alignment of Boards Subcommittee

January 15, 2015

**Membership (present in italics):** *Marty Alvarado, Kevin Anderson (LA County WIB), Laura Cantu, Yolanda Castro (SELACO WIB), Paul De La Cerda (ELAC), Erik Marvin Da Costa, Phillip Dunn (Foothill WIB), David Eder (LA City WIB), Jim Lancaster (Citrus College), Victoria Minetta (LA City WIB), Patricia Ramos (Santa Monica College), Lucia Robles, Mike Slavich (Rio Hondo College), Erick Serrato (Pacific Gateway WIB),* County Sector Intermediaries (to be invited) and Community College Deputy Sector Navigators (to be invited)

The Policy and Alignment subcommittee met and agreed on the following priorities and next steps:

1. Priority 1: Seek Cross-Representation on Local Workforce Development Boards and Community College Industry Advisory Councils (leads are Kevin A/David E/Victoria Minetta)
  - a. Kevin A and David E to speak to discuss next steps for cross-representation and include a Community College committee member on call
  
2. Priority 2: Regional Industry Sector/Cluster Convening Events in Health and Transportation/Logistics (leads are Eric Serrato and Mike Slavich)
  - a. Goal is one convening event in Spring 2015 and one in Fall 2015 in Health and Transportation/Logistics Sectors
  - b. Eric Serrato and Mike Slavich to speak to discuss next steps
  - c. County Sector Intermediaries and Community College Deputy Sector Navigators will need to be included
  
3. Priority 3: Training/ITRAIN (leads are Patricia Ramos/David Eder/Yolanda Castro)
  - a. Clarify what new Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act says with respect to Community College requirement to be on ETPL
  - b. Develop consensus WIB policy and regional approach to ETPL including issue of direct contracting with community colleges, building on current best practices.
    - i. Eric Serrato to share Pacific Gateway policy as starting point, as it is example of minimally restrictive policy
  - c. Develop shared/common application tool that CCs could use when seeking WIB funds

**Next meeting: 10am on February 25, 2015 either at LA City or County WIB offices**