WORKSOURCE EAST CENTRAL GEORGIA
Local Elected Official Board (LEO) Meeting
Tuesday, February 4, 2020

Meeting Minutes

Board Attendee
Walker Norman, Chairman
John Thigpen
Allen Haywood
Jimmy Andrews
Horace Daniel
Frank Simmons
Willie Blockum
Sistie Hudson
Ken Usry
Warren Pittman

Guest
Robert Hudson
Regina Carter-Gilliam
Alvin Banks
Kimberly Hawkins
Elizabeth Brown

WorkSource ECG Staff
LaTunya Goodwin, Director
Vivian Stewart
Sondra Randall
Mary Stein

Invocation
John Graham

Call to Order
Chairman, Walker Norman called the LEO meeting to order 10 in attendance (Quorum)

Introductions
Introduction of new members of LEO Board – Mayor Allen Haywood City of Sparta and Mayor William (Bill) deGolian City of Washington

Introduction of Imani Coley here at ECGC for Apprenticeship Jump Start Program through McDuffie County School System

Review/Approval of Minutes
Chairman Norman presented the minutes from July 23, 2019 meeting. Sistie Hudson made motion to approve the minutes and Jimmy Andrews seconded the motion. Motion carried.

New Business:

One Stop Operator RFP
Discussion concerning RFP for the One Stop Operator contract – La Tunya explained the One Stop Operator was our mall manager. No questions – Ken Usry made motion to allow RFP to be submitted for proposals and Horace Daniel seconded the motion. Motion carried.
Certification of Comprehensive One Stop

Local Plan Submission
The Local Plan Submission is due by June 30, 2020. The plan is done collaboratively by area 12 and 13 before submitting to the state. Motion was made by John Thigpen and seconded by Horace Daniel. Motion carried.

Future Meeting Dates and Times
There was discussion concerning what is the best time of day and the best month. The decision was made to wait until closer time for the normal meeting and confirm a time and date.

Executive Committee
Mayor Evans is no longer on the board therefore there is an opening on the Executive Committee. Chairman Norman suggested Willie Blockum for this position. John Graham made motion and Sistie Hudson seconded. Motion carried.

LWDB Members/Board Composition Changes
Kimberly Hawkins has made a change in employment. She is no longer with Job Corp and is now in the private sector. Kimberly has expressed an interest in continuing on the LWDB. Other new LWDB members are Ann Henry, LaKeyra Scott and Lori Tuten.

LWDB Consent Agenda and Committee Reports
The state made a change to the Supportive Services Policy. Previously there was a cap of 35% of our allocation that could be spent on Supportive Services. The state has removed the 35% cap. The LWDB has voted and approved this change.

Reports
Please see in your board meeting packet regarding the reports.

Adjournment
Chairman Norman asked for motion to Adjourn. Motion was made by Horace Daniel and seconded by Ken Usry. Motion carried.