As per Executive Order N-29-20 from Governor Newsom, the Employment Connection Committee meeting scheduled for Wednesday, August 18, 2021, will be moved to a live Zoom meeting. Employment Connection Committee and the public may attend the meeting by following the link at:

https://tularewib.zoom.us/j/81204032578

The purpose of the Governor's executive order is to control the spread of Coronavirus (COVID-19) and to reduce and minimize the risk of infection by "limiting attendance at public assemblies, conferences, or other mass events."

1) CALL MEETING TO ORDER

2) PUBLIC COMMENTS (Three minutes per individual/organization, fifteen minutes total). Any member of the public wishing to address the Employment Connection Committee on a specific matter under its jurisdiction, please notify WIB staff of your name and provide a brief description of the subject matter before the meeting. The Employment Connection Committee will not be able to act on any item not appearing on the Agenda.

3) CONSENT ITEMS – All under the Consent Calendar are considered routine and will be approved in one action without discussion. If a Committee member requests that an item be removed from the Consent Calendar, or a citizen wishes to speak on an item, the item will be considered under Action Items.
   a) Approve November 17, 2021, Employment Connection Committee Meeting Minutes

4) ONE-STOP OPERATOR (OSO) ITEMS
   a) Employment Connection Employee Handbook
   b) Employment Connection Partner MOU
   c) America’s Job Center of California (AJCC) Certification Continuous Improvement Plans for the Employment Connection Comprehensive and Affiliate Centers in Tulare County

   Edith Hernandez

5) DISCUSSION/INFORMATION ITEMS
   a) WIB Executive Director Report
   b) Business Services Updates
      • Rapid Response
      • Microbusiness COVID-19 Relief Grant Program
   c) Employment Connection Center and OSO Reports
      The Handout are in packets

   Adam Peck
   John Gonzalez
   Handouts

6) ROUNDTABLE DISCUSSION

7) ECC Meeting Dates – 2022
   May 18, 2022

8) ADJOURN