

**JOINT MEETING MINUTES**



**Mother Lode Job Training Board of Directors &  
Mother Lode Workforce Development Board**  
Thursday, August 15, 2024 (12:00pm)

**Teleconference (Non-voting Attendees):** <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/6067573943>  
Phone audio: (669) 900-9128  
Meeting ID: 606 757 3943

**In-Person (Primary Location):**  
197 Mono Way, Suite B  
Sonora, CA 95370  
(209) 588-1150

**In-Person (Amador Location):**  
1 Prosperity Court  
Sutter Creek, CA 95685  
(209) 267-5590

**In-Person (Calaveras Location):**  
7 Main Street  
San Andreas, CA 95249  
(209) 754-4242

**In-Person (Mariposa Location):**  
5158 CA-140  
Mariposa, CA 95338  
(209) 938-3247

**MLJT BOARD OF DIRECTORS BUSINESS**

**1. CALL TO ORDER**

1.1. Roll call / Establish quorum

BOD Member	Present	Absent
David Goldemberg	X	
Frank Axe		X
Ben Stopper	X	
Danette Toso		X
Tyler Newton	X	

**2. PUBLIC COMMENTS**

*None*

**3. CONSENT CALENDAR**

3.1. Accept the April 15, 2024 meeting minutes

*Minutes Accepted, (M) D. Goldemberg, (S) T. Newton, ayes carried, 2 absent.*

**4. ACTION ITEMS**

4.1. None

**5. INFORMATION/DISCUSSION ITEMS**

5.1. Defer to joint agenda item 12

*See Attachment A*

**WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT BOARD BUSINESS**

**6. CALL TO ORDER**

6.1. Roll call / Establish quorum

<b>Name</b>	<b>Present?</b>	<b>Absent?</b>
Bill Petrone	X	
Bill Redford	X	
Brandon Price	X	
Cory Thomas-Fisk		X
Debra Rockwood	X	
Frank Leschinsky	X	
Jason Wood	X	
John Alexander		X
Kathryn Gallino		X
LaChelle Adams (ALT. Justin Henry)		X
Mark Luster	X	
Mike Lemke		X
Shayn Anderson	X	
Stephen Kautz		X
Tim Hildabrand (Vice Chair)	X	
Tyler Newton (Chair)	X	
Vigi Austin (Remote, Non-voting)		X
Zack Abernathy	X	

**7. PUBLIC COMMENTS**

*None.*

**8. CONSENT CALENDAR**

8.1. Accept the May 16, 2024 meeting minutes

*Minutes approved, (M) Z. Abernathy, (S) T. Hildabrand, ayes carried, 7 absent.*

**9. ACTION ITEMS**

9.1. Approve Plan Year 2022-23 Single Audit Report from Harshwal & Company LLP Audit Report

*Approved, (M) T. Hildabrand, (S) Z. Abernathy, ayes carried, 7 absent.*

**10. INFORMATION/DISCUSSION ITEMS**

10.1. Defer to joint agenda item 12

*See Attachment A*

**BOD & WDB COMBINED BUSINESS**

**11. ACTION ITEMS**

11.1. None

**12. INFORMATION/DISCUSSION ITEMS**

12.1. *Presentation of the Plan Year 2024-25 preliminary Budget (Dave & Amy)*

*Preliminary Budget Summary*

*Dave shared the budget and explained that in 2024-2025 there are 25.5 employees, up from 13.9 in 2016/2017*

*with a budget increase of approx. 1.7 million in that same timeframe. He explained additional incoming contracts and grants that have yet to be executed.*

**12.2. Roles and Responsibilities of the Board of Directors & Workforce Development Board (Dave & Amy)**

*Amy described how WIOA funding influences the operations of Mother Lode Job Training. Dave explained what a JPA is. Amy explained the roles and responsibilities of both the Board of Directors and the Workforce Development Board. Amy updated the board on Mother Lode's role in speaking to the Attorney General and offering best practices and working with local community colleges.*

**12.3. Directors' Report**

*(i) WIOA Performance*

*Amy and Dave explain the WIOA Performance Measures, explaining that MLJT is mostly 100% with the performance measurements.*

*(ii) Industry Partnerships*

*Amy outlined the industry partnerships with MLJT including Motherlode Health Industry Partnership, Forestry Corps, Sierra Resource Management and Columbia College Heavy Equipment Logging Operations (HELO) training.*

*(iii) Sierra Jobs First*

*James explained the transition of CERF to Sierra Job First. He explained funding from Sierra Jobs First allocated for projects. James explained how proposals for projects should be regional and the funding and projects timelines.*

**13. NEXT BOARD MEETING (Calendar attached)**

BOD – October 21, 2024 (Third Monday of the 1<sup>st</sup> month of the quarter @10:00am)

WDB – November 21, 2024 (Third Thursday of the 2<sup>nd</sup> month of the quarter @ 12:00pm)

**14. ADJOURN MLJT BOARD OF DIRECTORS**

**15. ADJOURN WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT BOARD**

<b>COST CENTER BUDGET</b>										
			Amador Career Center	Calaveras Career Center	Mariposa Career Center	Tuolumne Career Center	One-Stop Support	Operations Support (Fiscal)	Workforce Development Board	Total
FTE			2.25	2.25	3.25	6.25	6.50	3.00	2.00	25.50
			8.8%	8.8%	12.7%	24.5%	25.5%	11.8%	7.8%	100.0%
Personnel (Wages & Benefits)			\$ 231,899	\$ 214,673	\$ 310,406	\$ 570,518	\$ 840,854	\$ 369,984	\$ 429,121	\$ 2,967,454
Operating Expenses			\$ 52,941	\$ 52,941	\$ 76,471	\$ 147,059	\$ 152,941	\$ 70,588	\$ 47,059	\$ 600,000
Programs			\$ 140,625	\$ 140,625	\$ 203,125	\$ 390,625			\$ 125,000	\$ 1,000,000
<b>Total Requirements</b>			<b>\$ 425,465</b>	<b>\$ 408,239</b>	<b>\$ 590,002</b>	<b>\$ 1,108,202</b>	<b>\$ 993,795</b>	<b>\$ 440,572</b>	<b>\$ 601,179</b>	<b>\$ 4,567,454</b>
Funding Allocation			\$ 441,032	\$ 441,032	\$ 637,047	\$ 1,225,090	\$ 1,274,093	\$ 588,043	\$ 392,029	\$ 4,998,367
<b>Percent Funding (after adjustments)</b>			<b>8.82%</b>	<b>8.82%</b>	<b>12.75%</b>	<b>24.51%</b>	<b>25.49%</b>	<b>11.76%</b>	<b>7.84%</b>	<b>100.00%</b>
Reserve			\$ 15,567	\$ 32,793	\$ 47,045	\$ 116,888	\$ 280,299	\$ 147,471	\$ (209,151)	\$ 430,912

<b>BUDGET COMPARISON (8 YEARS)</b>											
	PY 2016-17	PY 2017-18	PY 2018-19	PY 2019-20	PY 2020-21	PY 2021-22	PY 2022-23	PY 2023-24	PY 2024-25	YoY (\$)	YoY (%)
	Actuals	Actuals	Actuals	Actuals	Actuals	Actuals	Actuals	Actuals	Budget		
FTE	13.9	15.79	16.08	21.01	21.00	21.50	21.50	23.60	25.50	4.00	18.6%
Personnel	\$ 1,358,120	\$ 1,612,261	\$ 1,802,525	\$ 2,048,683	\$ 2,028,941	\$ 2,192,229	\$ 2,231,374	\$ 2,421,098	\$ 2,967,454	\$ 736,080	33.0%
Operating Expenses	\$ 427,838	\$ 949,914	\$ 778,453	\$ 618,389	\$ 462,562	\$ 594,356	\$ 445,376	\$ 422,440	\$ 600,000	\$ 154,624	34.7%
Programs	\$ 494,318	\$ 739,011	\$ 596,554	\$ 362,095	\$ 411,985	\$ 421,101	\$ 718,014	\$ 703,980	\$ 1,000,000	\$ 281,986	39.3%
<b>Total Requirements</b>	<b>\$ 2,280,276</b>	<b>\$ 3,301,186</b>	<b>\$ 3,177,532</b>	<b>\$ 3,029,167</b>	<b>\$ 2,903,488</b>	<b>\$ 3,207,686</b>	<b>\$ 3,394,764</b>	<b>\$ 3,547,518</b>	<b>\$ 4,567,454</b>	<b>\$ 1,172,690</b>	<b>34.5%</b>
<b>Budgeted Funding (from below)</b>	<b>\$ 2,280,276</b>	<b>\$ 3,301,186</b>	<b>\$ 3,177,532</b>	<b>\$ 3,029,167</b>	<b>\$ 2,903,488</b>	<b>\$ 3,207,686</b>	<b>\$ 3,394,764</b>	<b>\$ 3,547,519</b>	<b>\$ 4,998,367</b>	<b>\$ 1,603,603</b>	<b>47.2%</b>
*Balance (not including reserves for future year)	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 0	\$ 430,913		

<b>FUNDING COMPARISON (7 YEARS)</b>											
	PY 2016-17	PY 2017-18	PY 2018-19	PY 2019-20	PY 2020-21	PY 2021-22	PY 2022-23	PY 2023-24	PY 2024-25	YoY (\$)	YoY (%)
Adult	\$ 453,662	\$ 477,071	\$ 415,020	\$ 427,385	\$ 462,071	\$ 425,365	\$ 385,939	\$ 387,759	\$ 273,200	\$ (114,559)	-29.5%
Amador Probation		\$ 58,681	\$ 59,180	\$ 29,826	\$ 16,592	\$ 58,532	\$ 159,375	\$ 159,403	\$ 189,190	\$ 29,787	18.7%
Calaveras Health Human Services		\$ 4,762	\$ 44,481	\$ 49,248	\$ 33,418	\$ 47,864	\$ 41,291	\$ 6,796	\$ -	\$ (6,796)	-100.0%
CalWORKS Mariposa (assessments)	\$ 18,200	\$ 21,200	\$ 15,500	\$ 18,350	\$ 2,100	\$ 2,271	\$ 33,793	\$ 24,959	\$ 25,000	\$ 41	0.2%
CalWORKS Tuolumne (incl. infrastructure)	\$ 40,142	\$ 43,699	\$ 26,401	\$ 40,316	\$ 21,031	\$ 30,618	\$ 57,058	\$ 66,576	\$ -	\$ (66,576)	-100.0%
CDCR - Service Model Training							\$ 39,285	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	
CERF Catalyst (CSEDD)								\$ -	\$ 87,500	\$ 87,500	
CERF Catalyst (MLJT)								\$ -	\$ 87,500	\$ 87,500	
CERF Planning (CSEDD)								\$ 76,694	\$ 160,000	\$ 83,306	108.6%
CERF Planning (MLJT)								\$ 178,352	\$ 50,000	\$ (128,352)	-72.0%
DHS Mariposa ESEP (W2W)	\$ 87,716	\$ 100,342	\$ 52,703	\$ 66,716	\$ 14,247	\$ 17,352	\$ 41,803	\$ 55,137	\$ 55,000	\$ (137)	-0.2%
Dislocated Worker	\$ 421,264	\$ 290,774	\$ 446,988	\$ 362,860	\$ 397,986	\$ 316,852	\$ 286,609	\$ 283,059	\$ 211,762	\$ (71,297)	-25.2%
DOR Contract									\$ 150,000	\$ 150,000	
Earmark (Fresno)									\$ 125,000	\$ 125,000	
Forestry Corps (CalFire from Fresno)							\$ 11,743	\$ 149,678	\$ 15,000	\$ (134,678)	-90.0%
Forestry Corps (H RTP from Fresno)								\$ 32,003	\$ 150,000	\$ 117,997	368.7%
HELO-Tuol Co									\$ 344,241	\$ 344,241	
High-Road Construction (from Fresno)								\$ 5,078	\$ 330,095	\$ 325,017	6401.1%
High-Road Construction 2 (from Fresno)									\$ 50,000	\$ 50,000	
K-16									\$ 65,441	\$ 65,441	
NDWG - Storm Damage	\$ 19,971	\$ 681,436	\$ 407,413	\$ 58,747			\$ 26,127	\$ 333,725	\$ 840,102	\$ 506,377	151.7%
Pathway Home 3							\$ 390,319	\$ 225,562	\$ 242,051	\$ 16,489	7.3%
Prison to Employment 2.0 - Program							\$ 74,402	\$ 133,757	\$ 40,000	\$ (93,757)	-70.1%
Prison to Employment 2.0 - Technical Assist.							\$ 2,864	\$ 196,050	\$ 126,600	\$ (69,450)	-35.4%
PROWD-Fed - Staff									\$ 200,000	\$ 200,000	
QUEST - National Dislocated Worker							\$ 211,676	\$ 277,193	\$ 344,429	\$ 67,236	24.3%
Rapid Response	\$ 477,815	\$ 312,260	\$ 313,529	\$ 245,344	\$ 478,492	\$ 418,718	\$ 286,046	\$ 221,649	\$ 169,641	\$ (52,008)	-23.5%
Rapid Response Lay-Off Aversion	\$ 106,643	\$ 84,927	\$ 41,779	\$ 59,649	\$ 118,698	\$ 109,956	\$ 84,152	\$ 50,942	\$ 49,888	\$ (1,054)	-2.1%
Regional Plan Implementation 5.0							\$ 82,999	\$ 38,355	\$ 10,500	\$ (27,855)	-72.6%
Regional Equity & Recovery Partnerships (RERP)							\$ 35,552	\$ 254,183	\$ 274,286	\$ 20,103	7.9%
Rural Community AC (RCAC Biomass))					\$ 9,328	\$ 852	\$ 8,277	\$ 1,472	\$ 7,500	\$ 6,028	409.7%
STEPS 2022							\$ 40,722	\$ 1,096	\$ -	\$ (1,096)	-100.0%
STEPS 2023									\$ 24,000	\$ 24,000	
Tuolumne County CalFresh						\$ 1,758	\$ 3,604	\$ 7,289	\$ 6,000	\$ (1,289)	-17.7%
Workforce Accelerator Fund 10.0 (REACH)							\$ 175,312	\$ 57,843	\$ -	\$ (57,843)	-100.0%
Youth (In School)	\$ 38,456	\$ 64,480	\$ 112,356	\$ 64,431	\$ 31,989	\$ 110,097	\$ 32,933	\$ 75,415	\$ 73,610	\$ (1,805)	-2.4%
Youth (Out of School)	\$ 323,603	\$ 348,402	\$ 287,993	\$ 330,057	\$ 245,162	\$ 356,783	\$ 162,726	\$ 247,497	\$ 220,831	\$ (26,666)	-10.8%
<b>TOTAL RESOURCES</b>	<b>\$ 2,280,276</b>	<b>\$ 3,301,186</b>	<b>\$ 3,177,532</b>	<b>\$ 3,029,167</b>	<b>\$ 2,903,488</b>	<b>\$ 3,207,686</b>	<b>\$ 3,394,764</b>	<b>\$ 3,547,519</b>	<b>\$ 4,998,367</b>	<b>\$ 1,450,848</b>	<b>45.2%</b>





# DIRECTORS' REPORT

Mother Lode Board of Directors and Workforce Development Board - Joint Meeting

August 15, 2024

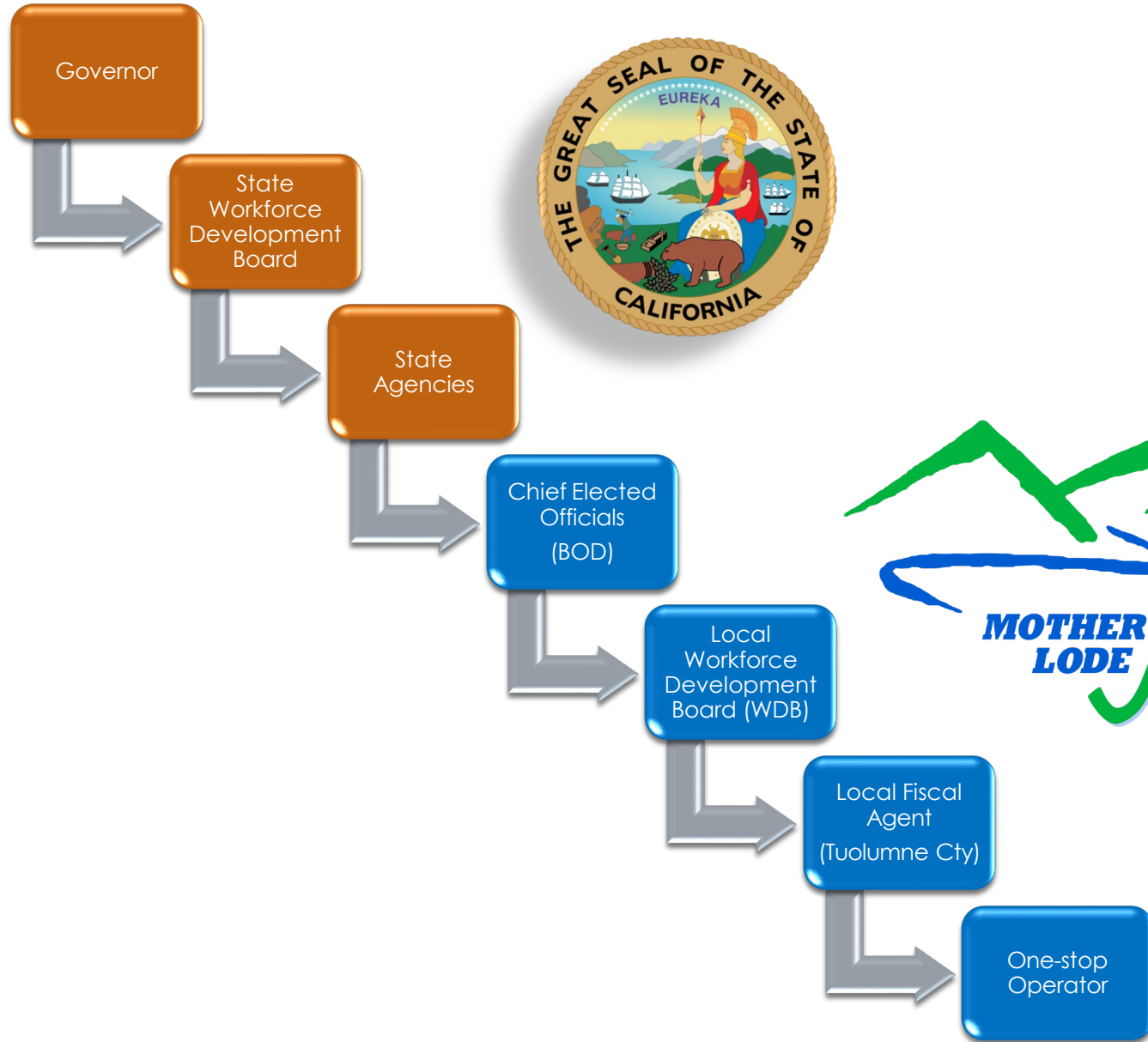


## THE WORKFORCE INNOVATION AND OPPORTUNITY ACT (WIOA)

- Federal legislation signed into law on July 22, 2014.
- Designed to help job seekers access employment, education, training, and support services to succeed in the labor market and to match employers with the skilled workers they need to compete in the global economy.
- Outlines the vision and structure through which state workforce training and education programs are funded and administered regionally and locally.



# WIOA GOVERNANCE ROLES



# MOTHER LODE CONSORTIUM

- One of California's 45 Local Workforce Development Areas (LWDAs)
- One of California's 15 Labor Regions: Middle Sierra
- Serving 4 counties: Amador, Calaveras, Mariposa, Tuolumne



**Source:** CA Workforce Development Board



---

The Mother Lode Consortium, as established through the MLJT Joint Powers Agreement (JPA), shall be the grant recipient and operations entity for the Area, and shall provide staff support to both the WDB and the BOD.

---

## MOTHER LODGE CONSORTIUM IS GOVERNED BY TWO BOARDS

**GOVERNING  
BOARD**

CHIEF LOCAL  
ELECTED OFFICIAL

**(CLEO)**

**WORKFORCE  
DEVELOPMENT**

**BOARD**

**(WDB)**

# MOTHER LODE CONSORTIUM GOVERNING BOARD BOARD OF DIRECTORS (BOD)

CLEO



Tyler Newton

**WDB CHAIR**



Frank Axe

**AMADOR**



Benjamin Stopper  
Chair

**CALAVERAS**



Danette Toso

**MARIPOSA**



David Goldemburg  
Vice Chair

**TUOLUMNE**





# ROSTER

Representation	Name	Company/Organization	Count
A. Business (>50%)			10
Healthcare	Tyler Newton (Chair)	Adventist Health Sonora	1
Healthcare	John Alexander	MACT Health Board	2
Natural Resources	Mark Luster	Sierra Pacific Industries	3
Construction	Mike Lemke	Miramont Homes ( <i>Small Business</i> )	4
Information Technology	Tim Hildabrand (Vice Chair)	Cal.net Inc.	5
Hospitality/Tourism	Vigi Austin	Harrah's Northern California	6
Information Technology	Frank Leschinsky	Volcano Telephone ( <i>Small Business</i> )	7
Manufacturing	Steve Woodward	ARCH Medical Solutions	8
Construction	Cory Thomas-Fisk	Thomas Construction Company ( <i>Small Business</i> )	9
Hospitality/Tourism	Stephen Kautz	Ironstone Vineyards	10
B. Workforce (≥20%)			4
Labor Organization	Debra Rockwood	UNITE-HERE! Local 19	11
Labor Organization	Bill Petrone	Service Employees International Union 1021	12
Labor Organization	Jason Wood	Laborers Local 1130	13
Youth Education & Employment	Bill Redford	Calaveras County Office of Education	14
C. Education (2 Required)			2
Higher Education	Brandon Price	Columbia College	15
Adult Education	Zack Abernathy	Tuolumne County Superintendent of Schools	16
D. Economic Development (1 Required)			1
Economic Development	Kathryn Gallino	Calaveras County Economic Development	17
One-Stop Partners (2 Required)			2
Title III Wagner-Peyser	LaChelle Adams	California Employment Development Department	18
Title IV Vocational Rehabilitation	Shayn Anderson	California Department of Rehabilitation	19





## BUSINESS MEMBER MATRIX

	AMADOR COUNTY	CALAVERAS COUNTY	TUOLUMNE COUNTY	MARIPOSA COUNTY
CONSTRUCTION		MIRAMONT HOMES <del>THOMAS CONSTR.</del>	MIRAMONT HOMES	
HEALTHCARE	MACT	ADVENTIST HEALTH / MACT	ADVENTIST HEALTH / MACT	MACT
HOSPITALITY / TOURISM	HARRAH'S NORTHERN CA	IRONSTONE VINEYARDS		
INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY	VOLCANO TELEPHONE	CAL.NET	CAL.NET	
MANUFACTURING		IRONSTONE VINEYARDS	<del>ARCH MEDICAL SOLUTIONS</del>	
NATURAL RESOURCES	SIERRA PACIFIC INDUSTRIES	SIERRA PACIFIC INDUSTRIES	SIERRA PACIFIC INDUSTRIES	SIERRA PACIFIC INDUSTRIES

# ROLES OF THE BOD AND WDB



# BOD ROLES AND RESPONSIBILITIES

- Annually elect a Chairperson and Vice-Chairperson from among its elected officials.
- Approve budget & maintain financial accountability consistent with local and regional plans.
- Appoint members to the WDB.
- Approve the 4-year Strategic Regional and Local Plans in partnership with the WDB.
- Negotiate with Governor and approve the performance expectations established by the WDB.
- Allocate and reallocate resources in partnership with the WDB.
- Approve the WDB selected One-Stop Operator.
- Direct operational policy, including selection of the Executive Director.
- Approve the MOUs & IFAs established between the WDB and One-Stop Partners.
- Oversee workforce development activities and the entire one-stop delivery system in the local area.
- Use technology to maximize the accessibility and effectiveness of the local workforce development system for employers, workers, and job seekers.

---

# MLWDB

## THE STRATEGIST

Understand Trends,  
Set the Collective Vision



## THE CONVENER

Bring Partners Together,  
Align Services



## THE MANAGER

Design and Manage  
Customer-Centered  
Service Delivery



## THE OPTIMIZER

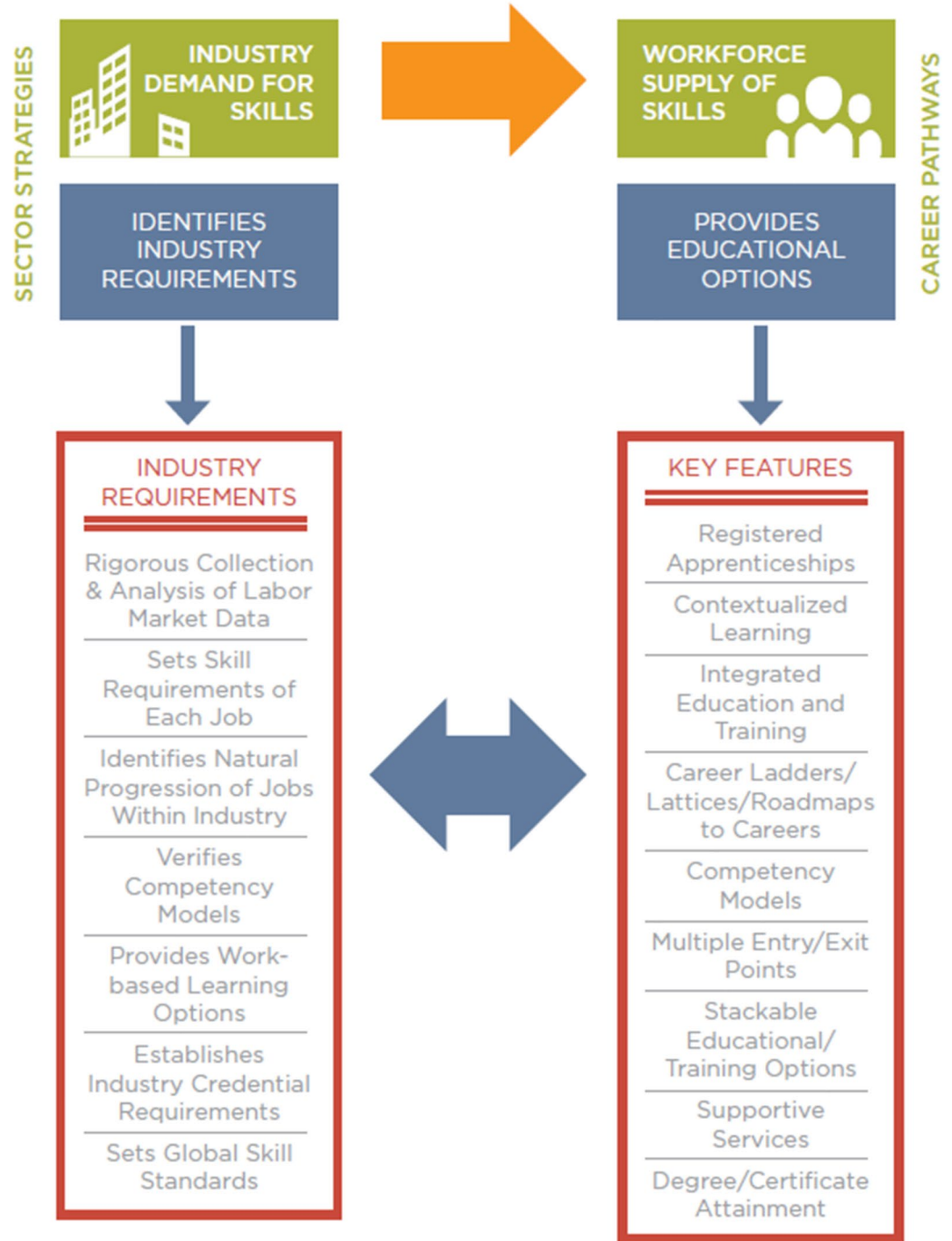
Use Data to Drive Decisions,  
Continuous Improvement





# Strategic Roles

- Create an agile system that identifies and responds quickly to the needs of priority industries and populations
- Define sector partnerships
- Develop career pathways
- Strengthen connections between core programs
- Promote proven and promising practices
- Effectively use technology to streamline systems and processes





# Tactical Responsibilities

- Develop and implement local/regional plan and performance measures
- Develop and align policies with partners and programs
- Develop a One-Stop certification process
- Coordinate an infrastructure cost sharing agreement with partners
- Procure service providers
- Assess Eligible Training Providers and Programs
- Develop a data collection database or management information system



# Our Boards in Action

## AJCC CERTIFICATION IN PROCESS (EVERY 3-YEARS)



### Amador Center

1 Prosperity Court  
Sutter Creek, CA 95685

Tel: (209) 223-3341

Hours: M-F 8:00 a.m.- 4:30 p.m.  
Closed on CA State Holidays  
Manager: Annette Solis-Rios



### Calaveras Center

7 Main Street, PO Box 1002  
San Andreas, CA 95249

Tel: (209) 754-4242

Hours: M-F 8:00 a.m.- 4:30 p.m.  
Closed on CA State Holidays  
Manager: Annette Solis-Rios



### Mariposa Center

5158 CA-140  
Mariposa, CA 95338

Tel: (209) 938-3247

Hours: M-T 8:00 a.m.- 4:30 p.m.  
**Closed for in-person  
services on Fridays**  
Closed on CA State Holidays  
Manager: Sarah Philips



### Tuolumne Center

197 Mono Way, Suite B  
Sonora, CA 95370

Tel: (209) 588-1150

Hours: M-F 8:00 a.m.- 4:30 p.m.  
Closed on CA State Holidays  
Manager: Connie Perreira





CalJOBS™

Job Seekers

Businesses

Online Tools

Governance

More

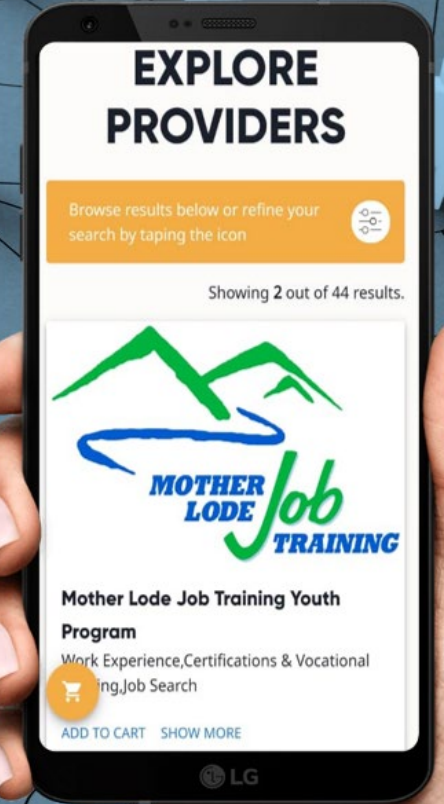
CONTACT US

# R.E.A.C.H.

Find nearby services & resources catered to you.

Get started

Maximizing  
Accessibility  
with  
Technology



Have questions?



# WIOA PERFORMANCE

	ACTUALS			GOALS			PERCENT OF GOAL			
	ADULT	DW	YOUTH	ADULT	DW	YOUTH	ADULT	DW	YOUTH	
<b>PY 2022 (7/1/2022 - 6/30/2023)</b>										
<b>Employment - 2nd Qtr (7/1/2021 - 6/30/2022)</b>	73.1%	74.4%	90.0%	68.0%	62.0%	65.0%	107.5%	119.9%	138.5%	122.0%
<b>Employment - 4th Qtr (1/1/2021 - 12/31/2021)</b>	68.1%	70.8%	83.3%	65.0%	61.9%	60.0%	104.8%	114.4%	138.9%	119.4%
<b>Median Earnings (7/1/2021 - 6/30/2022)</b>	\$8,112	\$8,840	\$8,727	\$7,000	\$6,500	\$3,900	115.9%	136.0%	223.8%	158.5%
<b>Credential Attainment (1/1/2021 - 12/31/2021)</b>	59.1%	82.4%	75.0%	75.0%	72.0%	60.4%	78.8%	114.4%	124.2%	105.8%
<b>Measurable Skill Gains (7/1/2022 - 6/30/2023)</b>	86.8%	100.0%	52.0%	70.0%	75.0%	75.0%	124.0%	133.3%	69.3%	108.9%
							106.2%	123.6%	138.9%	<b>Average</b>



# MOTHER LODE HEALTHCARE INDUSTRY PARTNERSHIP

## INDUSTRY LEADERS



Industry Sector Partnerships and demand-driven training programs



Medical Assistant



Certified Nursing Assistant



Phlebotomy



Patient Access Rep




INDUSTRY-DRIVEN SOLUTIONS &  
CAREER PATHWAYS WITH UPWARD MOBILITY

Forestry  
Corps



*Let's Celebrate!*





**Greater Sierra Forestry Corps  
Graduation**

May 1, 2024  
at 11 o'clock in the morning  
Columbia College Campus - Dogwood Theater

◆

Reception to Follow at the Cellar Bistro  
Please RSVP to [keever@yosemite.edu](mailto:keever@yosemite.edu) by April 24th.



A WIOA Title-I financially assisted program of the U.S. Department of Labor as part of the American Job Center.  
Administration of federal sources.

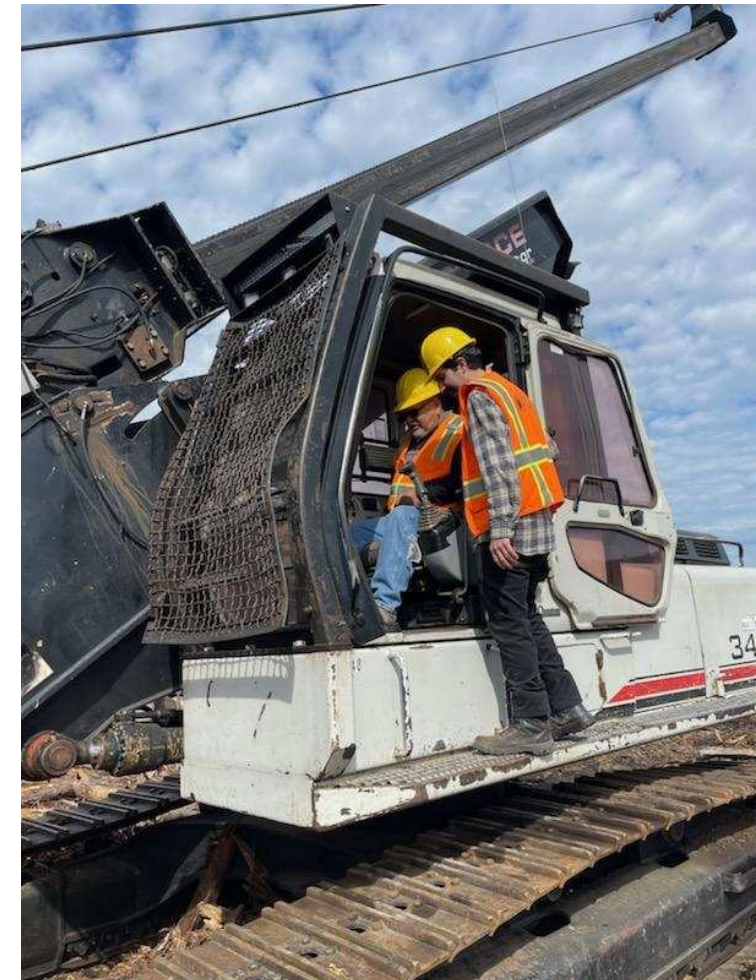




Sector Partnerships, innovative work-based learning, skilled workforce, good jobs, competitive industries!

# HELO (HEAVY EQUIPMENT LOGGING OPERATIONS) TRAINING

Trainer: Sierra Resource Management







## What Is The Sierra Jobs First Initiative?

By [B.J. Hansen](#) Published **Aug 2, 2024 07:00 am**



James Hanson and Alex Bloom

[mymotherlode.com/more/mother-lode-views/Planning-For-Jobs-And-Economic-Development](https://mymotherlode.com/more/mother-lode-views/Planning-For-Jobs-And-Economic-Development)

Sector & Resource Coordination

\$9 Mil



### Priority Industry Sectors to Drive Our Work

- Sustainable Recreation and Tourism
- Natural and Working Lands
- Clean Energy and Energy Resilience
- Sustainable Agriculture, Ranching, and Food Systems
- Community Healthcare

CATALYST	Project Timeline:
RFP/Application Period	Oct 15 – Dec 15
Application Review	January 1 – 31
Virtual Pitch Session	End of February/Early March
Governing Council Votes on Projects	March
Contract Period	March – April





**CA Workforce Development**

**Attorney General's Office**

**Chancellor's Office**



**Leveraging All Resources for  
Successful Reentry  
Oct. 29<sup>th</sup> & 30<sup>th</sup>**

**Reentry Summit Panel  
With CWDB & Labor Org  
Sept. 19<sup>th</sup>**

**Workforce Development &  
Community Colleges  
Collaborating Sept. 24<sup>th</sup>**

COMING NEXT...



America's JobCenter  
of California™



Development of the  
Program Year 2025-2028  
Regional and Local Plans

November

19<sup>th</sup>

9-10:30am

Regional Plan  
Forum

THANK YOU  
FOR MAKING US  
MIGHTY!

