

Finger Lakes Workforce Investment Board
YOUTH COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES
Finger Lakes Works – Geneva One Stop Meeting Room
70 Elizabeth Blackwell Street, Geneva, NY 14456
Monday, January 7, 2008

ATTENDANCE: **Members:** Roy Spring, Bob Doeblin, Barb DelPriore, Jim Tanner, Chris Edgar, Bill Niver, Patty D'Amico, Maggie Herman, Kevin Spillane, Susan Boyce, Sarah Rowe, Peg Birmingham, Kathy Templar, Fabiela Rivera and Jessica Underwood
Staff: Karen Springmeier, Jaimie Martin and Sherri Shoff
Guests: Terri Trickey, Angel Cook, Susan Tomkins, Loree Martin, John Vrabell, Rhonda Halstead and Cathy Jinks
Youth: Nicole Goodwine, Bianca Thomas, Zulelka Rodriguez and Justin Merced

ABSENT: **Members:** Alice Haskins, Anne Smith, Erin Fairben, Heather Carnell, Pat Pavelsky, and Brian Young
Youth: Trisha Castellano
Staff: Kitty Noble
Guests: Barbara McBride, Corky Jarrett, Deb McGrimley, Patty Jo Rumsey and Patty Rockefeller

Mr. Spring called the meeting to order at 5:05pm and welcomed everyone. Introductions followed.

Minutes from November 5, 2007 were reviewed. Ms. D' Amico motioned to approve and seconded by Mr. Doeblin. All in favor; motion approved.

GUEST PRESENTATIONS

- a. Patty D' Amico: Overview of the A Partnership for Youth grant, recruitment has begun through the four counties.
- b. Terri Trickey and Youth Representative: Summer Program Video – The Summer Program consisted of a series of weekly Leadership Activities and Field Trips for 300 Youth from the four counties.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- a. New Youth Systems Coordinator: Welcome Sherri Shoff
- b. Meeting Time Change: Good turnout, day, time (5pm) and dinner. Committee agreed to keep the 5pm meeting time.
- c. 2008 Schedule of Dates: Committee reviewed and agreed.
Monday, March 5, 2008 @ 5pm
Monday, May 5, 2008 @ 5pm

SUB-COMMITTEE UPDATES

- a. **"Finger Lakes Works...with their hands!"**
Will be held on Thursday, October 2, 2008 at Rodham Lott Farms. The next skilled trades meeting will take place on Monday, January 17, 2008 at 1:30pm at the WIB.
- b. **P&E:**
Action Item: Ms. Shoff to schedule an RFP and Youth Counselor meeting.
- c. **Marketing/Website:**
Committee agreed the website needs to be revamped. The WIB Marketing Committee is currently working on the website.
- d. **Youth Focus Group:** Topic not discussed
- e. **Revenue Streams:** Topic not discussed
- f. **Membership:**
Thank you to the youth that attended the meeting.
Action Item: Ms. Shoff to send out Youth Council Strategic Plan and will be a March meeting agenda item.

UPCOMING EVENTS

- a. **TFA Day:** The next TFA Day will be held on April 8, 2008. Volunteers are still needed.
- b. **Youth Employee Recognition Program (YERP):** Looking at May 2008. Danny Wegman was suggested for the keynote speaker for this event. Some location suggestions; HWS Auditoriums and FLCC Lecture Halls/Labs.
Action Item: Ms. Shoff to invite all Chamber of Commerce members to YERP planning meeting.

NEXT MEETING: Monday, March 3, 2008 at **5:00pm, Meeting room B, Finger Lakes Workforce Investment Board.**

Meeting adjourned at 6:13pm.

Respectfully Submitted,
Jaimie Martin
Administrative Assistant