



CRWC Workforce Investment Board Meeting
The Armory
1877 Old Sanford Road
Alamosa, CO
May 7-9, 2014
Meeting Agenda

Wednesday, May 7, 2014

5:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m.

HOT TOPICS! What are the issues impacting Rural Colorado's workforce?

From a local perspective

Agriculture

Mike Jones, Skyline Potatoes

Healthcare

Kathy Rogers, San Luis Valley Regional Medical Center

Tourism

Scott Graber, San Luis Valley Brewing Company

Calvillos Mexican Restaurant
400 Main Street
Alamosa, CO 81101

Thursday, May 8, 2014

8:00 a.m.

Meeting Call to Order

February 2014 Minutes Approval

May 7-9, 2014 Meeting Agenda Approval

Peggy Gair, CRWC WIB Chair

Board Member Introductions & Updates

Christy Gonzales, Board Liaison

8:15 a.m.

National Association of Workforce Board Conference Highlights

Debbie Bell, LEO Chair

Roni Wisdom, SC WIB Chair

Clarke Becker, CRWC Director

Christy Gonzales, WIB Liaison

9:00 a.m. – 10:30 a.m.

Unpacking Data and Developing Labor Market Intelligence

Elizabeth Garner, State Demographer

Discussion Points: How can the CRWC WIB better access and "unpack" data to set programmatic strategies and achieve objectives? What are the benefits to sharing data with industry partners and public officials?

10:30 a.m. – 10:45 a.m.

Refreshment Break

10:45 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.

Visibility In Rural Colorado

LEO Chair, Debbie Bell

Discussion Point: What is our message? How do we get our "message" out there?

12:00 p.m. – 1:00 p.m.

Lunch & Networking

1:00 p.m. – 1:15 p.m.

Youth Council Update

Caren Swales, Youth Council

1:15 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.

Consortium Showcase InfoShop

Take a *tour* of the Consortium by visiting booths highlighting each Rural Consortium region. Learn about best practices, special projects, and services being provided by your colleagues across our beautiful State.

3:00 p.m. – Bus Departs for Tour in the Valley

3:30pm – 4:00pm

Colorado Gators

4:15pm – 5:00pm

Cogentrix Solar Farm

5:30 p.m. – Bus Returns to the Armory

6:30 p.m. – Dinner on your own

Friday, May 9, 2014

8:00 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.

Let's Roll Up Our Sleeves

Discussion Point: From paper to reality. How do we take the information, the data and our energy and make an impact in rural Colorado.

9:30 a.m. – 9:45 a.m.

Refreshment Break

12:30 p.m.

Meeting Concluded

2014 Meeting Schedule
September 24-26, 2014, Location to be determined
November 13, 2014 - GoToMeeting