



Workforce Issuance

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To: Chief Elected Officials
MassHire Workforce Board Chairs
MassHire Workforce Board Directors
MassHire Career Center Directors
MassHire Fiscal Officers
MassHire DCS Operations Managers

cc: WIOA State Partners

From: Diane Hurley, Acting Director
MassHire Department of Career Services

Date: May 11, 2023

Subject: **Appointment of Gregg Weltz as New Region 1 Administrator**

Purpose: To notify MassHire Workforce Boards, MassHire Career Center Operators and other local workforce partners that the Department of Labor (DOL) Employment and Training Administration (ETA) has appointed Gregg Weltz as the new Region 1 Administrator.

Background: Gregg is no stranger to ETA. In his most recent position, Gregg served as President and Executive Director of School & Main Institute, but prior to that he spent 15 years at DOL where he directed ETA's Youth Employment Programs for 10 of those years. Gregg was also instrumental in leading the Department's Prisoner Reentry Initiative and Youth Build transfer from HUD to DOL.

Gregg's passion for his work (particularly around Opportunity Youth) has given him a world of unique opportunities such as serving as the Senior Youth &

Workforce Development Advisor for the U.S. Embassy and the U.S. Agency for International Development in Nairobi, Kenya. It was here, he focused on deepening collaboration and partnership between the U.S. and Kenyan governments in support of increased employment and training for Kenyan youth and young adults.

Action

Requested: Please share with managers, staff and partners as appropriate.

Effective: Immediately