## DEPARTMENT OF CAREER SERVICES WORKTORCE 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:	Alice Sweeney, Director
	MassHire Department of Career Services
Date:	June 4, 2021
Subject:	The Value of Creativity & Collaboration of DWGs – WorkforceGPS Webinar

- Purpose: To notify MassHire Workforce Boards, MassHire Career Center Operators, and other local workforce partners of the WorkforceGPS webinar: <u>The Value of Creativity & Collaboration of DWGs.</u> The webinar is scheduled for Thursday, June 10<sup>th</sup> from 11:00 – 12:30. New Mexico Department of Workforce Services' Deputy Secretary and System Project Coordinator will discuss their collaboration with local partners, government agencies, and the Employment and Training Administration (ETA) to have a major impact on the State's disaster recovery efforts in New Mexico.
- **Background:** This recording will include an interview with the New Mexico Department of Workforce Solutions regarding their experiences developing, modifying, and managing a Dislocated Worker Grant (DWG) project that required significant course correction in light of rapidly changing circumstances. The Deputy Secretary and System Project Coordinator will discuss their collaboration with local partners, government agencies, and ETA to have a major impact on the State's disaster recovery efforts in New Mexico.

WorkforceGPS is an online technical assistance website created to help build the capacity of America's public workforce investment system. Sponsored by the Employment and Training Administration of the U.S. Department of Labor, WorkforceGPS was developed specifically for workforce professionals, educators, and business leaders. WorkforceGPS is free but does require account registration.

Action

**Requested:** Please share this issuance with all appropriate managers, staff and partners.

Effective: Immediately