

Massachusetts Workforce Investment Board
WIOA Steering Committee
Job Seeker & Employer Subcommittee

Performance Measurements Workgroup
June 9, 2015
Meeting Notes

Members in Attendance: Marilyn Boyle (Lead), Les Abramowitz, Rena Kottcamp, Joseph Mello, Brian Newquist, William Noone, Yashira Pepin, Cheryl Ransom, Mina Reddy, Steven Sullivan, Steven Pereira (Fall River for Joseph Viana).

DISCUSSION TOPIC: COMMENTS ON NPRM

The meeting began with introductions and an overview of the commenting process on the WIOA Notice of Proposed Rulemaking. Comments are due before midnight on June 15, 2015.

Review of Selected Comments: The note taker was Marilyn Boyle.

An agenda and relevant selections from comments submitted by other states was provided to the members prior to the meeting. These served as background and as a starting point for discussion.

- The group reviewed points offered by Yashira Pepin in her review of the regulations and already submitted comments.
- The group reviewed excerpts from the documents submitted by other states and by MA agencies that were provided for the meeting.
- The group agreed to echo some comments/recommendations made by other states and to submit comments representing the group's concerns with aspects of the proposed performance reporting regulations.
- Following the meeting, Marilyn received comments from Brian Newquist on behalf of ACLS and from David Buck from Career Source Career Center to be included with the group's comments.
- Marilyn assembled all comments arising from the group's discussion to be submitted on behalf of the group.

NEXT MEETING

A meeting was scheduled for June 15 to gather information on wage record data needed by partner agencies to meet WIOA federal reporting requirements.