



MASSACHUSETTS REHABILITATION COMMISSION STATEWIDE REHABILITATION COUNCIL

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Statewide Comprehensive Needs committee

600 Washington Street, Boston MA 02111

August 16, 2018

1:00 P.M. to 3:00 P.M.

Meeting Minutes

Call to Order/Introductions

- Rich Colantonio, Michael Sp Kevin Goodwin, Graham, Bill Noone. John, Scott Leung,

Approval of Meeting Minutes

- Amendment of next meeting date. From
- Kevin Goodwin made a motion to except the May 17, 2018 meeting minutes with the amendment
- Rich Colantonio seconded the motion
- Committee's majority vote

Old Business

- Caseload to large Sam Special
- Transportation is still a large majority of why persons with disabilities are not gaining employment.
 - o Invite Racheal to come speak to the group
- MRC staff person should be represented at each State Plan Committee meeting
 - o Training on how the timeline works
 - o Kevin Goodwin made a motion to add Order od Selection (OOS) add to the State Plan as a top priority for 2019

New Business:

- Graham reviewed the thing with the committee for input;
- **Section 20 Regional and specific demographic Focus Groups as part of the Needs Assessment Process**
- **Employment-Exploring Partnership**
 - o Invite Racheal to speak about other transportation options across the commonwealth
- **Section 36 New CDNSA components for WIOA**
 - o Look into the school system to see if they refer to career centers
 - o Look into the school system to see if have a satisfaction survey
- **Section 43 Updated list of services available to consumers**

- Update as needed
- **Section 45 Completion of 2017 Provider Survey and Report**
 - Combine Statewide Comprehensive Needs Committee and the Consumer Satisfaction Committees
- **Section 51 Youth/Student Questions**

Other:

Adjournment

1:00 P.M.

- Next meeting date:
 - November 11, 2018