

JEFFERSON/FRANKLIN CONSORTIUM  
WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT BOARD (WDB) MEETING

August 27, 2026  
1:30 P.M.

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Zoom:

AGENDA

- I. Call to order – Robert Francis  
Roll-call: Please type in the chat if you are in attendance.
- II. Minutes of April 23, 2026, meeting  
***-Request** motion to approve April 2026 meeting minutes as presented.*
- III. Workforce Services Report
  - a. Office of Workforce Development (OWD) Update – Megan McEwen
  - b. WIOA Programs Update & Success Story – Trish Davids
  - c. Business Services Team & Success Story– Lora Warner
  - d. Local Rapid Response Update – Trence James
- IV. Jefferson/Franklin Monitoring and Oversight – Mary Brown
  - a. PY'25 Performance Review (07/01/25 – 6/30/26)
  - b. PY'25 OWD Annual Compliance Report (7/01/25 – 6/30/26)
  - c. PY'25 Jefferson/Franklin Sub-State Compliance Monitoring Report (7/01/25 – 6/30/26)
- V. Jefferson/Franklin Consortium Program Year 2026 (7/01/26-6/30/27) Funding Allocation – Mary Brown
  - a. WIOA Adult, Dislocated Worker and Youth Formula Funds (\$442,862, \$149,808, and \$426,570 respectively)
  - b. Department of Social Services SkillUp Funding (\$154,000)
  - c. Business Services (\$80,000)
- VI. Jefferson/Franklin Consortium Program Year 2026 (7/01/26 – 6/30/27) Employment and Training Programs Service Providers and One-Stop Operator – Mary Brown  
***-Request** WDB approval of PY'26 Jefferson/Franklin Consortium service providers and dollar amount as presented.*
- VII. Audit Services – Mary Brown  
***-Request** WDB approval, based on Executive/Finance Committee recommendation, award of contract to the firm of Mueller Oberkfell & Jones, LLC, 3510 Jeffco Blvd., Suite 200, Arnold, MO 63010 for Audit Services for the period of September 1, 2026, to June 30, 2027.*
- VIII. Jefferson/Franklin Consortium WIOA PY'24-PY'27 Local Plan (7/1/24-6/30/28) & One-Stop Certification Updates – Mary Brown

- IX. Workforce Partner Updates
  - a. East Central College – Joel Doecker
  - b. Jefferson College – Chris DeGeare
  - d. Adult Basic Education and Literacy – Alice Whalen
  - e. Adult Basic Education and Literacy – Julie Johns
  - f. Vocational Rehabilitation – Amanda Black
  - g. Economic Development Corporation of Jefferson County – Ben Brown
  - h. Franklin County Economic Development – Aaron Griesheimer
  - j. Jefferson Franklin Community Action Corporation – Cathy Poole
- X. Governor's Conference on Economic Development – September 9-11, 2026, Kansas City, MO
- XI. Civilian Labor Force Data – Robert Francis
- XII. Next WDB meeting will be held October 22, 2026, at 1:30 p.m.