



Innovative Workforce Solutions

**WORKFORCE ARIZONA COUNCIL  
Executive Committee**

Wednesday, November 12th 2025 | 1:00 pm – 3:00 pm

Virtual Meeting

**Zoom Information**

Meeting ID: 814 5568 7758 Passcode: 557163

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1. **Call to Order, Chair Mark Gaspers** (3 minutes)
  2. **Roll Call, Giselle Retana** (2 minutes)
  3. **Call to the Public, Chair Mark Gaspers** (3 minutes per person)
  4. **Approval of minutes from Q3 August 14th, 2024 Executive Committee Meeting, Vote, Chair Gaspers** (2 minutes)
  5. **Welcome: New OEO Leadership, Chair Mark Gaspers** (3 minutes)
  6. **Governance and Compliance, Deseret Romero** (15 minutes)
    - a. **LWDB Job Center Certification (NEW CENTER), Vote**
      - i. **Pima County**
    - b. **2025 Recertification Update**
      - i. **Northeastern Arizona**
      - ii. **Coconino County**
      - iii. **Arizona Tribal Workforce**
  7. **Workforce Arizona Council Annual Report, Vote, Janice Garza** (15 minutes)
  8. **Workgroup Updates, Janice Garza** (10 minutes)
    - a. **Training Effectiveness**
    - b. **Continuous Improvement**
    - c. **Increasing Apprentices**
  9. **Agency Updates:**
    - a. **OEO: Director Mary Foote** (10 minutes)
      - i. **Workforce Arizona Summit: Recap and Next Steps**
      - ii. **2024 - 2034 Industry Employment Projections**
    - b. **DES: Assistant Director Division of Employment And Rehabilitation Services, Anna Hunter** (20 minutes)
      - i. **Recapture & Reallocation**
      - ii. **Unemployment Insurance Benefits**
      - iii. **Rapid Response Update**
      - iv. **TEGL 02-25: Industry-Driven Skills Training Fund [Grant](#) Program**
  10. **Adjournment** (2 minutes)

*Pursuant to A.R.S. § 38-431.02, notice is hereby given to members of the Workforce Arizona Council Executive Committee and to the general public that the Committee will hold a meeting, open to the public, on November 12th, 2025 from 1:00pm-3:00pm. via Zoom.*

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*Under A.R.S. § 38-431.03(A)(3), the Executive Committee may vote to go into executive session, which will not be open to the public, for the purpose of obtaining legal advice on any item on the agenda.*

*At its discretion, the Committee may consider and act upon any agenda item out of order. Members of the Committee may appear by telephone.*

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