

In The Matter Of:
Department of Labor & Training Hearing

Workforce Investment Act
September 7, 2012



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RHODE ISLAND DEPARTMENT OF LABOR AND TRAINING HEARING

IN RE: WORKFORCE INVESTMENT ACT

Date: September 7, 2012

Time: 1:00 p.m.

Place: RI Department of Labor and Training

1511 Pontiac Avenue, Building 73

Cranston, RI 02920

PRESENT:

Pat Leduc-Pelletier

Connie Parks

ORIGINAL

1 (COMMENCED AT 1:00 P.M.)

2 MS. LEDUC-PELLETIER: My name is Pat
3 Leduc-Pelletier. I work at the Department of Labor and
4 Training (DLT). The main purpose of this public hearing
5 is to solicit information and suggestions from Workforce
6 Investment Act (WIA) 167 National Farmworker Jobs
7 Program grantees, other appropriate Migrant and Seasonal
8 Farmworker groups, public agencies, agricultural employer
9 organizations, and other interested organizations
10 regarding the Wagner-Peyser Agricultural Outreach Plan
11 (AOP).

12 On August 14th, 2012, 45 days prior to submission,
13 the draft AOP was provided, via e-mail, to the
14 interested parties. On August 17th, 2012, a notice was
15 placed in the Providence Journal, Rhode Island's major
16 daily newspaper, to inform the public that a 30-day
17 public comment period would be held from August 17th
18 through September 15th, 2012. In addition, the draft
19 AOP was posted to DLT's website. Written comments can
20 be submitted via e-mail to Connie Parks, Chief of Labor
21 and Training Operations. This public hearing is a part
22 of that public comment period.

23 In addition, Rhode Island's WIA/Wagner-Peyser
24 five-year Integrated Workforce Plan and the Senior
25 Community Service Employment Plan are currently being

1 developed. Comments from the public regarding these
2 plans are also welcome.

3 (TIME NOTED: 3:00 P.M.)
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I, Shalena Weber, Notary Public, do hereby certify that I reported in shorthand the foregoing proceedings, and that the forgoing transcript contains a true, accurate, and complete record of the proceedings at the above-entitled hearing.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 10th day of September, 2012.

Shalena Weber 

Shalena Weber, Certified Reporter, Notary Public

MY COMMISSION EXPIRES: September 8, 2016

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