

**Administrative Board Meeting
Wednesday, August 28, 2019**

Present

Joseph Brehler, Chair
Jody Washington, 2nd
Vice Chair
Aaron Stephens
Bob Showers
Bryan Crenshaw
David Pohl

Absent

Adam Hussain
Carol Koenig
Glenn Freeman
Jeremy Garza
Kathie Dunbar
Ryan Sebolt, 1st Vice
Chair

Staff

Becky Powers
Carrie Rosingana
Edythe Copeland
Samantha Bohm

Guests

Dru Mitchell
Jana Bowman
Karen Maas
Kate Snyder
Rachel Rosendale

AGENDA

- ITEM #1 WELCOME**
Chair Joseph Brehler began the meeting at 3:35PM and welcomed everyone.
- ITEM #2 PUBLIC COMMENT**
There was no public comment.
- ITEMS #3-13 UNABLE TO VOTE ON DUE TO LACK OF QUORUM, MOVED TO OCTOBER 23 2019 MEETING AGENDA.**
- ITEM #14 CAITC UPDATE – (for informational purposes only) (Attachment on File)**
Carrie gave information from Anton’s report; he met with ten new leadership leads. Anton worked closely with DTMB, to coordinate employee involvement, as DTMB is a recent member of the CAITC. Carrie gave the dates for the upcoming CAITC meetings.
- ITEM #15 HOT JOBS REPORTS / RAPID RESPONSE REPORT (Attachments on File)**
Carrie encouraged everyone to share the jobs that are available in a number of sectors with various educational and experience requirements. The Rapid Response Report listed Family Video on Waverly and Roma Bakery.
- ITEM #16 COMMUNICATIONS UPDATE (Attachment on File)**
Kate informed that August’s editorial focus was on social media; for employers, job seekers, and for parents. This was done in conjunction with LEAP and CAMW! Promoting the ‘Going Pro Talent Fund’ – the August 22 event was sold out. Additionally, Kate reported that September’s editorial will showcase women in STEM.
- ITEM #17 PRESENTATION: Luke Schroeder, New Americans Navigator (NAN) (Attachment on File)**
Luke’s presentation involved why new Americans have barriers in finding employment. CAMW! started offering these services in November 2018. The NAN aids authorized immigrants in finding employment and offers them assistance in accessing resources. He is the passenger navigating the new American as they captain their ship. Aiding in overcoming barriers that prevent them from finding employment and being employable. NAN can only aid work-authorized immigrants; naturalized citizen, green card holders (LPR), refugees, and asylees. Luke has assisted 106 immigrants in 10 months; from all continents except Antarctica and Australia.

ITEM #18 **CEO REPORT (Attachments on File)**

During the August 22 site visit from Senator Stabenow's staff, Ray Trevino was able to connect with three trade employees that were displaced. Fortunately, each employee had a different future plan for their career path; which represented each type of worker. There were concerns of increasing the speed of the process for individuals that receive and need the benefits available through the program and services. Stabenow's Labor Legislative Assistant Lot Kwarteng, said that speaking with these trades employees had been extremely impactful on what the program does. On a state level, we are still unable to allocate funds. Senator Shirkey is wanting to push the budget that does not include repairing of the roads, while Governor Whitmer is not on board with that. We are able to carry over a certain percentage of previous fiscal year allocations, therefore CAMW! will request adequate cash if it appears a budget will not be passed as of 10/01/2019. Currently, this budget setback has had the largest impact on school systems.

ITEM #19 **OTHER**

There was no other business.

The meeting was adjourned at 4:10PM due to lack of quorum.
The next meeting will take place on October 23, 2019 at 3:30PM.