

**SUBMITTAL TO THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS
COUNTY OF RIVERSIDE, STATE OF CALIFORNIA**



ITEM
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(ID # 6331)

MEETING DATE:

Tuesday, March 27, 2018

FROM : ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT AGENCY (EDA) / WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT
DEPARTMENT AND SUPERVISOR WASHINGTON :

SUBJECT: ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT AGENCY (EDA)/ WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT
DEPARTMENT AND SUPERVISOR WASHINGTON: Riverside County
Workforce Development Board Reappointment of Robert Loeun; All Districts;
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RECOMMENDED MOTION: That the Board of Supervisors:

1. Approve the reappointment of Mr. Robert Loeun to the Workforce Development Board.

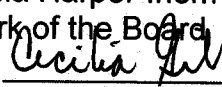
ACTION: Consent

Robert Field, Assistant County Executive Officer/EDA 3/14/2018

MINUTES OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

On motion of Supervisor Jeffries, seconded by Supervisor Perez and duly carried by unanimous vote, IT WAS ORDERED that the above matter is approved as recommended.

Ayes: Jeffries, Tavaglione, Washington, Perez and Ashley
Nays: None
Absent: None
Date: March 27, 2018
xc: EDA, BOS- District 3, Board, Appointee, COB

Kecia Harper-Ihem
Clerk of the Board
By: 
Deputy

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FINANCIAL DATA	Current Fiscal Year:	Next Fiscal Year:	Total Cost:	Ongoing Cost
COST	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0
NET COUNTY COST	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0
SOURCE OF FUNDS: N/A			Budget Adjustment:	
			No	
			For Fiscal Year: 2017/18	

Type of Nomination

Public Sector Representative

Member Name:

Robert Loeun, District Administrator
Department of Rehabilitation

Address:

2010 Iowa Avenue
Building E, Suite 100
Riverside, CA 92507

Telephone:

(951) 782-6666

Term of Appointment:

Full Term ending March 20, 2020

BACKGROUND:

Riverside County Workforce Development Board (WDB) is a private sector led policy and oversight body that supports economic expansion and the development of the regional workforce. The WDB is governed by the Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act of 2014 (WIOA) which mandates that 50% of the members must come from the business community. In addition, WDBs are required to have representation from universities or community colleges and other training providers, as well as economic development and workforce program leaders. This ensures that federal funds for workforce development activities are expended on training and career coaching that meets the needs of the business community. Pursuant to WIOA, the Board of Supervisors, led by the Board Chairman who serves as the Chief Local

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Elected Official (CLEO), is responsible for appointing the WDB members for two year terms.

Mr. Robert Loeun, District Administrator, Department of Rehabilitation has over 22 years of experience serving people with disabilities and helping them return to the workforce. For 16 of those years he worked as a Counselor, Rehabilitation Supervisor and District Administrator. He has assisted individuals with disabilities seeking employment, which resulted in many successes for both the job seekers and the employers. Mr. Loeun has also implemented programs for people with disabilities. He has been committed to and involved with various groups, committees, and organization including but not limited to the American with Disabilities Act (ADA) Taskforce, Autism Committee, and Riverside County Department of Mental Health Adult System of Care Committee, ensuring that individuals with disabilities have a voice and are served. The Department of Rehabilitation collaborates with the WDB to increase disability awareness in the community. As the District Administrator for the California Department of Rehabilitation, Mr. Loeun works in partnership with the WDB to provide services resulting in employment, independent living, and equality for individuals with disabilities.

Mr. Robert Loeun has expressed interest in continuing to serve on the Workforce Development Board (WDB) as the Department of Rehabilitation Representative for All Districts. If reappointed he will serve a two-year term ending March 20, 2020.

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