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



ITEM: 2.8 (ID # 21864) **MEETING DATE:** Tuesday, June 13, 2023

**FROM :** HOUSING AND WORKFORCE SOLUTIONS AND SUPERVISOR JEFFRIES :

**SUBJECT:** HOUSING AND WORKFORCE SOLUTIONS / SUPERVISOR JEFFRIES: Riverside County Workforce Development Board Reappointment of Ricardo Cisneros; All Districts. [\$0]

**RECOMMENDED MOTION:** That the Board of Supervisors:

1. Approve the re-appointment of Ricardo Cisneros to the Riverside County Workforce Development Board.

**ACTION:Consent** 

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#### MINUTES OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

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

Ayes:	Jeffries, Washington, and Gutierrez
Nays:	None
Absent:	Spiegel, Perez
Date:	June 13, 2023
XC:	BOS- District 1, HWS, Board, Appointee, COBMA
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FINANCIAL DATA	Current Fiscal Year:	Next Fiscal Year:	то	otal Cost:	Ongoing Cost	
COST	\$0	\$ 0		\$ 0		\$ 0
NET COUNTY COST	\$ 0	\$ 0		\$ 0		\$ 0
SOURCE OF FUNDS: NA				Budget Adjustment: No		
				For Fiscal Y	'ear:	2023/24

#### Type of Nomination:

Public Sector Labor Representative

#### Member Name:

Ricardo Cisneros Executive Secretary-Treasurer, Central Labor Council AFL-CIO of San Bernardino, and Riverside Counties

### Address:

1074 E. La Cadena Drive, Suite #1 Riverside, CA 92507

Telephone: 909-825-7871

Email: rcisneros@sb-rivclc.org

Term of Appointment: Full Term from April 26, 2023, through April 26, 2025

## BACKGROUND:

Riverside County Workforce Development Board (WDB) is a private sector led policy and oversight body that supports the development of the regional workforce. The WDB is governed by the Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act of 2014 (WIOA) which mandates that more than 50% of the WDB's members must come from the business community. In addition, WDBs are required to have representation from universities or community colleges, economic development, and workforce representatives including labor organizations. 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 Elected Official (CLEO), is responsible for appointing the WDB members for two-year terms.

Mr. Ricardo Cisneros, Executive Secretary-Treasurer for the Central Labor Council AFL-CIO of San Bernardino and Riverside Counties started his career in labor movement in 1996 as a member of the American Federation of State, County and Municipal Employees (AFSCME). He

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worked with students and helped build an organizing committee that later became United Students Against Sweatshops, a nationally recognized student labor organization with chapters in over 250 campuses. In 2006, Mr. Cisneros was handpicked to build a strong, member-driven union in Riverside, Santa Barbara, and Orange Counties where he focused on connecting the community with the United Domestic Workers of America, AFSCME Local 3930, AFL-CIO. His leadership enabled the union chapter to grow from three core activists to hundreds of devoted providers today. As a labor representative, he brings perspective on the future regional needs of business, workforce development, and the community. He has been serving on the Riverside County WDB since 2019.

Mr. Cisneros has expressed interest in continuing to serve on the WDB as a Public Sector Labor Representative for All Districts. If reappointed, he will serve a two-year term commencing April 26, 2023, and expiring April 26, 2025.