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



ITEM: 2.10 (ID # 26077) MEETING DATE: Tuesday, October 01, 2024

FROM : HOUSING AND WORKFORCE SOLUTIONS AND SUPERVISOR CHUCK WASHINGTON

SUBJECT: HOUSING AND WORKFORCE SOLUTIONS/WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT DIVISION (HWS/WDD) AND SUPERVISOR CHUCK WASHINGTON: Riverside County Workforce Development Board reappointment of Alfonso Jimenez; All Districts. [\$0]

RECOMMENDED MOTION: That the Board of Supervisors:

1. Approve the reappointment of Alfonso Jimenez to the Riverside County Workforce Development Board.

ACTION:Consent

Heidi Marshall, Director Jausball

MINUTES OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

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

Ayes:	Jeffries, Spiegel, Washington, Perez and Gutierrez	
Nays:	None	Kimberly
Absent:	None	Clerk of
Date:	October 1, 2024	By:
xc:	HWS/WDD, BOS- District 3, Board, Appointee, COBLW	

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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	5: N/A	Budget Adju	Budget Adjustment: No	
			For Fiscal Ye	ear: 2024/2025

Type of Nomination

Public Sector Representative

Member Name:

Alfonso Jimenez District Administrator Department of Rehabilitation

Address:

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

Telephone: (951) 782-4355 Email: Alfonso.Jimenez@dor.ca.gov

Term of Appointment: March 21, 2024, through March 21, 2026

BACKGROUND:

Riverside County Workforce Development Board (WDB) is a private sector led policy and oversight body that supports the expansion and 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 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 Riverside County Board of Supervisors, led by the Board Chairman who serves as the Chief Local Elected Official is responsible for appointing the WDB members for two-year terms.

Mr. Alfonso Jimenez, District Administrator for the Department of Rehabilitation, has over 17 years of experience in the human services and case management field along with 12 years of management experience. Mr. Jimenez strives for independence and equality for persons with disabilities by advocating to address employment and training needs. At the Department of Rehabilitation, he has assisted with the development and delivery of programs for people with

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disabilities such as the Mental Health Cooperative, Students with Disabilities, and Transition Partnership Programs. He has assisted individuals with disabilities seeking employment, which resulted in success for both the job seekers and employers. Mr. Jimenez has been committed and involved with various groups, committees, and organizations including but not limited to Fresno's Hispanic Chamber of Commerce, the Interagency Council on Homeless for San Bernardino County, and the California Promise program, ensuring that diverse 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 District Administrator for the Inland Empire District within the California Department of Rehabilitation, Mr. Jimenez works in partnership with the WDB to provide services resulting in employment, independent living, and equality for individuals with disabilities.

Mr. Alfonso Jimenez has expressed interest in continuing to serve on the WDB as the Department of Rehabilitation representative for All Districts. If reappointed, he will serve a two-year term commencing March 21, 2024, and expiring March 21, 2026.