

**Workforce Partnership of Greater Rhode Island**

**Youth Council Meeting**

**September 8, 2011**

**Present: Gip Cabral, David Banno, Andrew DeTora, Joseph DiPina, Alberto DeBurgo, Cynthia Farrell, Sharon Gainey, Victoria Gaillard-Garrick, Elizabeth Gilheeny, Sharon Lee, Kathleen Stoddart, Paul Wielgus**

**Absent: Vanessa Cooley, Alexis Devine, Helga Ferreira, Lee Lewis, Lori Marchand, Dorothy Mattiello, Michael Montanaro, Scott Seaback, Andrew Tyska**

**DLT Guest: Maureen Palumbo, Sherri Carello**

**Staff: Christine Grieco, Carlos Ribeiro, Sharon Geoffrey, Kara Aniballi**

**Minutes of April 14, 2011**

**With a quorum present Chair Cynthia Farrell called the meeting to order at 8:50am. Chair Farrell requested the Council to review minutes from April 14, 2011.**

**VOTE: Andrew DeTora made a motion to approve April 14, 2011 minutes. Kathleen Stoddart seconded the motion. The motion passed unanimously.**

## **Chairs Report/Updates**

**Chair Farrell announced to the Council that she is resigning from the Youth Council but will stay a member of the Board of Directors. She then informed the Council Gip Cabral accepted to take on responsibilities as Chair.**

**Chairman Steve Kitchin will ask the Board of Directors to vote on his appointment on September 15, 2011 Strategic Retreat.**

**Chair Farrell proceeded to announce to the Council that two new individuals are interested in joining the Council. More will be known once the Chair receives resumes from the individuals.**

## **JDF Enrollments**

**Carlos Ribeiro presented the JDF reports. As of July 31, 2011, out of the 2200 youth contracted to serve under 2010 JDF funds 120 cases are currently opened and 2080 (94.55%) of youth have been served.**

**As of July 31, 2011, out of the 2196 youth contracted to serve under 2011 JDF funds 883 cases are currently opened and 1313 (59.79%) of youth have been served.**

## **WIA Enrollments**

**Out of the 530 youth contracted to serve under 2010 WIA funds 27 cases are currently opened and 535 (100.94%) of youth have been served, as of July 31, 2011.**

**As of July 31, 2011 out of the 341 youth contracted to serve under 2011 WIA funds 88 (25.81%) have been served and 55 cases are currently opened.**

### **WIA Performance**

**Carlos presented PY10 4th quarter performance data. WPGRI is currently passing all youth areas due to The State Workforce Investment Offices (SWIO) re-negotiating performance standards with the federal government.**

### **JDF Data Collection**

**Carlos presented the Council with the JDF data collection report containing data from April 1, 2007 through June 30, 2011.**

### **Expenditures**

**In Brian Gambardella's absence Carlos presented contract close out reports from PY 2008, 2009, and 2010 JDF and WIA contracts.**

**He also stated WPGRI is with holding payments from Boys and Girls Club of East Providence pending contractor corrective action.**

### **Adjournment**

**There being new or old business Chair Farrell called the meeting to an end at 10:25am.**

**VOTE: Gip Cabral made a motion to adjourn the meeting. Sharon Lee seconded the motion. The motion passed unanimously.**

**Respectfully Submitted**

**Kara Aniballi**