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BOARD MEETING AGENDA

February 15, 2024 | 9:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m. | Meeting No. 268

Location: Association of Washington Business (AWB), 1414 Cherry St SE, Olympia, WA 98501

Parking is limited at AWB, carpooling is highly encouraged.

This is an in-person meeting – please register [here](#) for remote access.

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| 9:00 a.m. | Call to Order
Welcome and Introductions | |
| 9:05 a.m. | Chairs Report
Consent Agenda (ACTION) <ol style="list-style-type: none">Executive Director's ReportMinutes from January 3, 2024, Board Meeting | Tab 1 |
| 9:10 a.m. | SkillsUSA State Leadership & Skills Conference
Karmen Warner, SkillsUSA <ul style="list-style-type: none">Presentation on State Leadership & Skills Conference, March 22 | Tab 2 |
| 9:45 a.m. | Washington Award for Vocational Excellence Updates
Andrew Lenderman and Colleen Seto, Workforce Board <ul style="list-style-type: none">Student Stories<ul style="list-style-type: none">Madelyn Winter, Clark College (pre-recorded video)Jessie Leone, Highline College (remote)Calvin Cha, Western Washington University (remote)Boramy Sam, Everett Community College (remote)Jesus Chavez Lara, Central Washington University (remote)Monroe High School Career and Technical Education Program<ul style="list-style-type: none">Shannon Tarrach, Director of Career and College ReadinessMichelle Dickinson, Career and Technical Education Program ManagerShannon Barksdale, Career and Technical Education Department ManagerMichele Poteet, Administrative Intern and ASL Teacher | Tab 3 |
| 10:45 a.m. | Break | |

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11:00 a.m.	Legislative Update Nova Gattman, Workforce Board	Tab 4
12:00 p.m.	Lunch	
1:00 p.m.	April Sims (Labor) and Kris Johnson (Business) Presentations April Sims, Washington State Labor Council Kris Johnson, Association of Washington Business	Tab 5
2:00 p.m.	Break	
2:15 p.m.	Talent and Prosperity for All Public Comment Review/Governor's Comments Ben Robinson, FirstRule Group <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Any timely comments from public 	Tab 6
4:00 p.m.	Adjourn	