



## RESILIENT LOUISIANA: EDUCATION WORKFORCE TASK FORCE

STATE OF LOUISIANA  
**RESILIENT LOUISIANA COMMISSION**  
**EDUCATION & WORKFORCE TASK FORCE**  
NOTICE & AGENDA

**MEETING**

Wednesday, May 20, 2020, 12:00PM CDT

This meeting will be held via Zoom and available via live stream at [regents.la.gov/live](https://regents.la.gov/live) and members of the public are encouraged to provide comments to [resilientlouisiana@la.gov](mailto:resilientlouisiana@la.gov) or by calling 888.204.5984, code 1755460#.

**Agenda**

1. Call to Order, Roll Call, and Certification for Lack of Quorum
2. Welcome by Co-Chairs  
Ava Dejoie, Secretary, Louisiana Workforce Commission (LWC)  
Dr. Kim Hunter Reed, Commissioner of Higher Education, Louisiana Board of Regents
3. Approval of Minutes
4. Public Comment
5. Update from the LWC on Unemployment Data w/Q&A  
Dr. Ali Bustamante, Chief Economist, LWC
6. Update on EWD Member Survey and Comments  
Susana Schowen, Director of Workforce Initiatives, LED FastStart
7. Sub-Group Reports & Updates w/Q&A  
Task Force Members (facilitated by Co-Chair Reed)
8. RLC Task Force Review Reports  
Task Force Members (facilitated by Co-Chair Reed)



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9. Around the Room – Updates from Education & Training Partners on Action Steps during the Crisis Phase w/Q&A
  - K-12 Subcommittee
  - LAICU Schools – Dr. Kenya Messer
  - University of Louisiana System – Dr. Jim Henderson
  - Southern University System – Dr. Ray Belton
  - Louisiana State University System - Dr. Jason Droddy
  - LCTC System – Dr. Monty Sullivan
  
10. Wrap-Up, Closing Remarks, and Adjournment



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### **CERTIFICATION OF INABILITY TO OPERATE DUE TO LACK OF QUORUM**

In accordance with Executive Proclamation JBE 2020-59, issued by Governor John Bel Edwards on May 14, 2020, the Resilient Louisiana Commission (“RLC”) is providing for attendance at essential commission and task force meetings via teleconference or video conference as allowed during the pendency of the COVID-19 health emergency. Pursuant to Section 2C of JBE 2020-59, the RLC Education and Workforce Task Force will provide attendance for the 12:00PM meeting on Wednesday, May 20 via Zoom/livestream and in a manner that allows for observation and input by members of the public, as set forth in the Notice posted on May 19. The Education and Workforce Task Force would otherwise be unable to operate due to quorum requirements.

Secretary Don Pierson  
RLC Co-Chair