Resolution No. 2019 - 164

RESOLUTION OF THE SOLANO COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS CELEBRATING THE WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT BOARD OF SOLANO COUNTY ON THE GRAND OPENING OF THE NEW FAIRFIELD JOB CENTER

WHEREAS, the Workforce Development Board of Solano County (WDB) works to build and sustain a skilled workforce, support a vibrant economy, and create a shared prosperity for the community of Solano County; and

WHEREAS, the WDB has acted as the administrative entity for Solano County of the federally funded Department of Labor (DOL) workforce development programs since 1983 – as the Private Industry Council of Solano County (PIC) under the Job Training Partnership Act (JTPA); as the Workforce Investment Board of Solano County (WIB) under the Workforce Investment Act (WIA); and as the Workforce Development Board of Solano County (WDB) under the Workforce Innovation & Opportunity Act (WIOA); and

WHEREAS, the grand opening of the new Fairfield Job Center located at 500 Chadbourne Road is the result of a longstanding partnership and co-location of the WDB and workforce partners; and

WHEREAS, on average, the WDB annually serves over 9,000 individuals with basic employment services from Solano County's Job Centers, around 500 individuals with intensive employment services, and approximately 400 employers with talent and business consultation services; and

WHEREAS, the WDB has thus developed the reputation as the "HUB" of hiring activity serving businesses and job seekers throughout Solano County by meeting the talent needs of businesses, and preparing job seekers for employment opportunities that foster economic mobility in our communities; and

WHEREAS, the WDB has been a leading collaborator amongst education providers, local governments, employment service providers, small businesses, labor & construction trades, and local economic development agencies, to institute successful workforce development initiatives that establish a skilled workforce and robust talent pipeline across traditional and emerging industries in Solano County.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Solano County Board of Supervisors does hereby celebrate the Grand Opening of the new Fairfield Job Center and commends the Workforce Development Board of Solano County's efforts to provide services to job seekers and businesses in Solano County.

Dated this 27th day of August, 2019

MONICA E. BROWN, Vice-Chair Solano County Board of Supervisors

ATTEST:

BIRGITTA E. CORSELLO, Clerk Solano County Board of Supervisors

By: Meiger, Chief Deputy Clerk