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**TO:** LA's Workforce Development System

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**SUBJECT: WDS INFORMATION BULLETIN No. 21-06  
WIOA LOCAL PLAN LISTENING SESSIONS**

## **EFFECTIVE DATE**

This information bulletin is effective on date of issue.

## **PURPOSE**

The purpose of this bulletin is to inform the City's WorkSource Centers (WSC) and YouthSource Centers (YSC) of the remaining Local Plan Community Meetings scheduled throughout January and February of 2021.

## **BACKGROUND**

Under WIOA, a biennial update of regional and local plans is required in order to ensure plans remain current and account for "changes in labor market and economic conditions or in other factors affecting the implementation of the local plan" (29 U.S. Code § 3123). The California Workforce Development Board (State Board) has also made changes to the State Plan that require Local Boards update their plans to keep them consistent with the policy direction of the State Plan.

For purposes of the forthcoming planning process, a greater level of meaningful stakeholder, community, and service population participation is required. As such, the State Board has provided additional community engagement requirements to ensure that the interests of client populations are placed at the center of planning conversations as Local Boards move forward and work with stakeholders to modify regional and local plans. Local Boards must post the meeting notice in a prominent, clear location on the Local Board website, in the lobby of office(s), and at America's Job Centers of California (AJCCs) in the board jurisdiction.

## **REQUIRED ACTION**

WSC and YSC staff are encouraged to attend the remaining meetings to provide meaningful input in the Local Plan process. The remaining meetings cover specific topics and are scheduled as follows:

1. Historically Unserved & Underserved Populations  
Wednesday, January 27, 2021  
Evening Session: 6PM to 8PM PST  
[Event Registration Link](#)
2. Sector Clusters & Career Pathways  
Friday, January 29, 2021  
Morning Session 10AM to 12PM PST  
[Event Registration Link](#)
3. The Digital Divide & Modernization of the AJCCs  
Friday, February 5, 2021  
Morning Session: 10AM to 12PM PST  
[Event Registration Link](#)

Please note that these webinar events are hosted on the Microsoft Teams platform. You may join the event via online, desktop or phone application. Please visit Microsoft's webpage for more information on how to install/use this platform:

<https://www.microsoft.com/en-us/microsoft-teams/group-chat-software>

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