



Sidney Job Service Employers' Committee

Meeting Minutes July 19, 2011

Employers Attending

Alicia Clayton – Sidney Public Schools
Renee Goss – Sidney Public Library
Mary Ann Vester – Dawson Community College

Job Service Staff Attending

Jacki Damm – Sidney Job Service
Michelle Barbula – Sidney Job Service

Minutes from last meeting:

Minutes accepted as is.

Treasurer's Report

Checking \$ 2,463.26
Savings \$1,981.34

*Sharon was unable to attend – accepted treasurer's report from last meeting

Old Business

Managing in Montana: Jim Nys and Managing in MT workshop was discussed. JSEC will begin promotion of workshop by e-mailing and faxing workshop poster to members on business list. Clarified that there is no JSEC involvement required and workshop is to serve as a fundraiser only. Discussed having suggestion box at the event to allow attendees to give feedback and to suggest future presentations/workshops they would like to see in the future. In addition to suggestion box, also talked about possibly having a display board at event with information on how to become a local JSEC member.

Managing in Montana discussion prompted group to brainstorm and consider other possible trainings and workshops that could be offered/sponsored through JSEC. Decided that JSEC may want to consider ABC Clinic promotion in 2012.

501©3: Extension granted to 9/22/11. Members present decided to move pre-existing wording from 5.2.1 to page 1 and add additional scripting in order to be in compliance.
*All were in agreement with changes.

Roundtable:

Alicia – Schools are seeing and increase number of students from last year – so far, 15 new student early registrations in 1st grade alone. Interstate Engineering met with school officials and shared information concerning new housing development and projections of possible 570+ new students within the next 3-5 years. Possible 20-30% general population increase in Sidney in the next 2-3 years.

Renee – Library will soon be inspected to determine if new building is more cost efficient and will be reviewing bids on construction.

Hosted Job Service's CACGP meeting the evening of 7/13/11.

Mary Ann – DCC is looking into implementing program for non-traditional students that allows student to convert real-life work experience into college credits. Was originally designed for those age 50+ but would not necessarily be restricted to that age group.

Next Meeting: August 16th - Location to be announced.