



## Pikes Peak Workforce Development Board

**Chairperson:** Zach Barker      **Chairperson Elect:** Vacant      **Secretary/Treasurer:** Daniel Mondragon

### Meeting Minutes

**Date:** Friday, March 6, 2026

**Time:** 8:00 – 9:30 AM (Mountain Time)

**Meeting Format:** In-Person & Virtual

**Location:** Vista Ridge High School

#### **Board Members in Attendance:**

Allison Cortez	Reanna Werner
Andrew Winders	Renee Zentz
Andy Gilliand	Rob Hanni
Bob McLaughlin	Robin Lovewell
Daniel Mondragon	Sandy Hancock
Debbie Miller	Sherry L. Jenkins
Erica Skolasinski (online)	Sunny Bryant
Kim Mauthé	Wendy Swearingen
Lisanne McNew (online)	Zach Barker (online)
Melissa Scruggs	

#### **Board Members Absent:**

Aikta Marcoulier	Jonathan Liebert
Beth Taylor	Jordan Ayers
Francis Vigil	Lynn Vidler
Heather McBroom	Niki Cicak
Jinger Haberer	Stacie Kwitek
Jonathan Liepe	Tamara Moore

#### **Other Attendees:**

Clarke Becker	Commissioner Applegate
Connie Brachtenback	Mark Simmons
Jessica Maiorca	Steve Klaffky
Melissa Jacquez (online)	Petra Randol
Commissioner Bob Campbell	Darlen Wolford
Commissioner Bill Wysong	Lily Orzech
Marcos Pena	

#### **PPWFC Staff:**

Andreanna Trujillo	Cathy Cimino
Amy Reyes	

<b>Meeting minutes submitted by:</b>	<b>Meeting minutes reviewed by:</b>
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Andreanna Trujillo, PPWFC Executive Assistant	Francis Vigil, Board Secretary

Becca Tonn	Traci Marques
Bob Gemignani	

**Board Administration:**

1. Board Administration
  - a. The meeting was called to order at **8:08am**.
  - b. Quorum: Daniel Mondragon established a quorum
  - c. Public Comments: None
  - d. Approve February 6, 2026, Meeting Minutes **(vote requested)**  
Based on First motion by Reanna Werner. Second motion, by Allison Cortez.  
Motion passed.  
Aikta; Niki present; Sunny absent – make the updates
  - e. Officer Election, Chair-Elect, Erica Skolasinski **(vote requested)**  
First motion by Aikta Marcoulier. Second motion, by Sunny Bryant. Motion passed.
  
2. *PPWFC Updates*
  - a. Upcoming Job Fair – 8 companies
  
3. Financial Update – Amy Reyes, *Finance & Budget Manager*
  - a. Page 8 – El Paso/Teller employment rate continues to dip (compared to CO as a hold)
  - b. December – two grants have been expended that ended in December 2025
  - c. WIOA dislocated worker – expenditures were lower – moved due to monitoring – will move additional expenses
  - d. RESEA has been extended to August 2026 – will be expended
  
4. Vista Ridge Welcome & Overview – Sean Norman & Becki Sims
  
5. Testimonial –Vista Ridge CTE Students
  
6. Presentation Panel
  - a. Talent Pipeline Report – Ryan Gedney, *lead author*
  
7. Adjourn/Optional Tour

The meeting was adjourned at **9:30am**. First motion, Niki Cicak . Second motion by Reanna Werner. Motion passed.

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