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**Agenda Item
Regular Meeting of the
Board of Supervisors
Tuesday, April 14, 2026**

COUNTY EXECUTIVE OFFICER:
Esperanza Colio Warren

COUNTY COUNSEL:
Gregory P Priamos

CLERK OF THE BOARD:
Vanessa Delgado

Item Number: 1.14

MEETING DATE: 04/14/2026

DEPARTMENT: HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES AGENCY

AGENDA ITEM PREPARER: Mike Hodges

DEPT HEAD/DIRECTOR: Tracey Belton

SUBJECT:

HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES AGENCY - T. BELTON

Approve the recommendation from the San Benito County Workforce Development Board (WDB) to appoint Ruth Rodgers and Christina Reyes as Private Sector Representatives and Kendra Bobsin as a Public Sector Representative for a three-year term from March 10, 2026 through March 10, 2029.
SBC FILE NUMBER: 939

AGENDA SECTION:

CONSENT AGENDA

BACKGROUND/SUMMARY:

The Workforce Development Board (WDB) requests the appointment of RUTH RODGERS as a Private Sector Representative and CHRISTINA REYES as a Private Sector Representative and KENDRA BOBSIN as a Private Sector Representative. All appointments will be for a three-year term, effective 3/10/2026 through 3/10/2029.

These appointments fulfill required representative categories mandated under the Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act (WIOA). The WDB approved these appointments at its meeting on March 10, 2026. All WDB members serve in a volunteer capacity. The purpose of the Workforce Development Board is to help shape, guide, and set policy for the San Benito County workforce development system in coordination with statewide workforce investment efforts. As board members, individuals provide leadership and strategic direction to ensure the local workforce system meets the needs of job seekers, youth, and employers, while achieving effective outcomes aligned with statewide goals, objectives, and negotiated local performance measures, pursuant to Section 107 of the Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act of July 22, 2014.

In addition, The Workforce Development Board (WDB) provides oversight and direction for the implementation of workforce services delivered through the America's Job Center. These services include work experience programs for youth and adults, vocational training, Rapid Response activities, Lay-Off Aversion Services and business services designed to support the workforce needs of local employers in San Benito County. Business Services at the AJCC connect employers with workforce solutions such as recruitment assistance, candidate screening, labor market information, and training resources. These services help businesses meet their workforce needs by streamlining hiring, developing talent, and supporting employee retention and growth.

FISCAL IMPACT:

No fiscal impact required.

STAFF RECOMMENDATION:

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ATTACHMENTS:

[Agenda Fact Sheet -WDB Appointments](#)

[Christina Reyes WDB Board Application 2026 - Copy Redacted](#)

[Kendra Bobsin WDB Board Application 2026 - Copy Redacted](#)

[Ruth Rogers WDB Board Application 2026 - Copy Redacted](#)

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