Opportunities for Ohioans with Disabilities

OOD Council Annual Report Subcommittee Meeting Minutes

Welcome and Introductions

Annual Report Subcommittee Chair John Moore welcomed everyone to the meeting.

In attendance: John Moore, Annual Report Subcommittee Chair, jw Smith, OOD Council member, Dr, Carolyn Peters, OOD Council Chair, Dr. Matt Sauer, OOD Council Vice-Chair, Susan Pugh, Deputy Director, BVR, Kristen Ballinger, Deputy Director, Employer and Innovation Services, and Matt Lampke, Chief Legal Counsel, Shirley Marchi, OOD Council Liaison

Guests: Jane Alinder, Interpreter, Clayton Waites, Interpreter, Krysta Nash, Interpreter

Discussion of Annual Report Letter

Annual Report Subcommittee members discussed the following items to include in the Annual Report Letter:

1. OOD Council held four meetings in 2020 and two of the four meetings were held virtual through Microsoft Teams and Zoom due to the COVID-19 pandemic.
2. OOD Council held three subcommittee meetings this year.
   1. The Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act subcommittee: This subcommittee drafter a letter for the OOD State Plan. The full Council approved of the letter. The Plan was approved and implemented on Jul 1, 2020.
   2. Vocational Rehabilitation Policy. This subcommittee held its first meeting on July 8 and with he OOD VR leadership, they reviewed the Individualized Plan for Employment and Self-Employment policies, Rehabilitation Technology Policy, Pre-Employment Transition Services, and Transportation to Participate in Services,
   3. Annual Report subcommittee: met to develop the Council’s Annual Report letter
3. OOD Council provided input into the actual instrument of OOD’s Evaluation of Customer Satisfaction, that OOD uses to survey participants to get feedback.
4. OOD Council is looking forward to 2021 to work with OOD on the Comprehensive Statewide Needs Assessment.
5. Dr. Carolyn Peters, Chair participated in the National Coalition of State Rehabilitation Councils phone calls.
6. Dr. Carolyn Peters, Chair attended the National Convention of State Rehabilitation Councils November 2-13, 2020.

Dr. Matt Sauer agreed to draft the Annual Report letter.

Public Comment

None.

Adjourn

Council members adjourned the meeting.