Assembly Committee on Jobs, Economic Development, and the Economy

Leveraging State Resources to Support an Inclusive and Prosperous Economy

Tuesday, March 5, 2019, at the California State Capitol in Room 127 at 9:00 a.m.

FINAL AGENDA

The Assembly Committee on Jobs, Economic Development, and the Economy is convening its second informational hearing of the 2019-20 Session. The hearing will focus on how key local community investments support a prosperous and inclusive economy.

Presentations will include a discussion of the state's role in addressing the increase in disparities among different regions of the state and certain population groups, a case study on how programs are currently being used to support a neighborhood-level sustainable community development strategy, and briefings from two state agencies on how they are using existing program dollars to create triple bottom line outcomes.

I. **Welcome, Introductions, and Opening Statements**

   Chair and members of the JEDE Committee will give opening statements and frame the key issues to be examined during the hearing.

II. **Framework for an Inclusive Economy**

   - ***Lenny Mendonca***, *Chief Economic and Business Advisor to the Governor, and the Director of the Governor's Office of Business and Economic Development.*

III. **Franklin Neighborhood Case Study**

   - ***Dr. Jesus Hernández***, *Principal with JCH Research, and former lecturer in the Sociology Department of the University of California, Davis*

IV. **State Resources and Leveraging Entrepreneurship and Workforce Opportunities**

   - ***Dr. Louise Bedsworth***, *Executive Director of the Strategic Growth Council*

   - ***Drew Bohan***, *Executive Director of the California Energy Commission*

   - ***Laurie Berman***, *Director of the California Department of Transportation*

V. **Public Comment**

   Anyone interested in addressing the Committee may sign-up to speak during the public comment period. A sign-up sheet is located at the back of the hearing room. Written comments may also be submitted to the JEDE Committee Office.

VI. **Closing Remarks**

   Assemblymembers will make closing remarks.