



# Franklin Hampshire

Regional Employment Board, Inc.

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**Mission Statement**  
 To shape, nurture and sustain  
 a regional workforce development system  
 that promotes the economic well-being  
 of business and workers.

**FRANKLIN/HAMPSHIRE REGIONAL EMPLOYMENT BOARD**



DATE POSTED: This box for Town Clerk's use.  
 4/8/13  
 TIME: 7:00 AM (PM)  
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**NOTICE OF MEETING**  
**Thursday, April 11, 2013**  
**8:00 - 10:00 a.m.**  
*(Please arrive at 7:45 for a timely start )*

POSTED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE PROVISIONS OF MGL 30A §§18-25

**GREENFIELD COMMUNITY COLLEGE**  
*President's Conference Room (C201)*  
*One College Drive, Greenfield, MA 01301*  
<http://web.gcc.mass.edu/maps/>  
*Parking in Lots A-E*

**AGENDA**

- I. Call to Order/Welcome (8:00 - 8:20) REB Member
- Introductions
  - Approval of Minutes of February 7, 2013 meeting  
 (vote to approve)
  - Acceptance of past Committee Meeting Minutes  
 (vote to accept)
    - Executive Committee: June 21, & November 8<sup>th</sup>, 2012
    - Performance Oversight Committee: August 30, 2012
    - Youth Services Council: August 16, November 15, 2012 and January 24, 2013

- II. REB Director Evaluation (8:20 – 8:25) Review Committee Representative  
 (Vote to accept recommendation)

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| III. Updates: REB & Career Center <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Quarterly Performance</li> <li>▪ New/Pending Developments</li> </ul>  | (8:25 - 8:35)  | Patricia Crosby<br>Michael Truckey                 |
| IV. Employer Profile: <div style="background-color: #e0e0e0; padding: 10px; margin-top: 5px; text-align: center;"> <b>NEW ENGLAND NATURAL BAKERS</b> </div>  | (8:35 – 8:50)  | Susan Dorais,<br>Director of Human<br>Resources    |
| V. Presentation: <div style="background-color: #e0e0e0; padding: 10px; margin-top: 5px; text-align: center;"> <b>LOCAL FOOD, LOCAL JOBS:<br/>Job Growth and Creation in the<br/>Pioneer Valley Food System</b><br/><br/> <b>Massachusetts Workforce Alliance<br/>In partnership with CISA, Pioneer Valley Planning<br/>Commission, Franklin Hampshire Regional Employment<br/>Board and PVGrows</b> </div> | (8:50 – 9:30)  | Alex Risley<br>Schroeder, MA<br>Workforce Alliance |
| Discussion:  | (9:30 - 9:50)  |  |
| VI. FY'14 Planning <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Budget Outlook</li> <li>▪ FY14 Planning Process</li> </ul>   | (9:50 - 9:55)  | Patricia Crosby<br>Michael Truckey                 |
| VII. Other Business <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Statewide Annual WIB Association Meeting,<br/>May 9-10, Berkshires Cranwell Resort</li> <li>▪ Youth Career Fair – April 24<sup>th</sup>, Northampton</li> </ul>   | (9:55 - 10:00) | REB Member   |
| VIII. Adjourn  | (10:00)        | REB Member   |

REB and Committee Members:  
*Please Put on Calendar*

**REB Annual Meeting**  
**June 6, 2013**  
**8:00 - 10:00 a.m. – Site TBA**

Next Performance Oversight Committee Meeting, May 2, 2013  
8:00 - 10:00 a.m. @ the Northampton Career Center

Next Youth Services Council Meeting, May 16, 2013  
3:00 - 5:00 p.m. @ the Northampton Career Center