

New Innovators' Professional Learning Network

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GEOGRAPHIC SCOPE OF AREA (CITY, SUB-COUNTY, COUNTY, OR MULTI-COUNTY)	Multi-County including: Elkhart, Fulton, Kosciusko, Marshall and St. Joseph Counties Elkhart, Fulton, Kosciusko, Marshall and St. Joseph County workforce area in Indiana.
POPULATION OF AREA	601,000
PRIMARILY URBAN, RURAL, SUBURBAN?	Primarily urban and rural
IS BOARD INCORPORATED?	Yes
NUMBER OF STAFF DEDICATED TO BOARD WORK	9
EMPLOYER OF RECORD FOR BOARD STAFF (i.e., the incorporated board, county government, community college, etc.)	501(c)(3) Incorporated Board The Northern Indiana Workforce Investment Board, Inc. is now WDG is now the Regional Operator for the As a result, we have new email addresses. My new address is
TOTAL BOARD BUDGET	\$5,200,000
WIA DOLLARS BUDGETED FOR BOARD WORK	

PERCENT OF TOTAL WIA ALLOCATION	
LIST NON-WIA FUNDING SOURCES FOR BOARD WORK, IF ANY	City of South Bend Grant 21 st Century Scholars Grant Regional Skill Grants Strategic Skills Initiative
NUMBER OF BOARD MEMBERS	50
STANDING COMMITTEES	Executive Advocacy Incumbent Worker/Skills Systems/Operations Youth
MAJOR BOARD GOALS	<p style="text-align: center;">Economic Growth and Business Development</p> <p>To facilitate the ongoing development of a knowledge-based skilled workforce through life-long learning and skills development required for economic growth and business development in Northern Indiana.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">One Stop Development</p> <p>To establish an employer-focused demand-driven One Stop system that meets workforce development needs in Northern Indiana.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Youth</p> <p>To strengthen the academic, career, and life skills of youth, in Northern Indiana.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Regional Collaboration</p> <p>To identify workforce development issues and create synergies through established resources by convening new partnerships and collaborations to develop solutions that encourage economic growth.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Internal and External Systems</p> <p>To implement quality internal and external systems to support the fulfillment of the Board's vision and mission.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Resource Development</p> <p>To identify, develop and secure appropriate resources to advance the</p>

	attainment of the Board's vision and mission.
Y/N: DOES THE BOARD HAVE....	A firewall between the board's staffing/work and one-stop services? <u>Y</u> Fiscal agent role? <u>N</u>
Y/N: DOES THE BOARD HAVE.....	By-laws? <u>Y</u> Strategic plan for the board's work (as opposed to one for the one-stop's work?) <u>Y</u> Written agreement between board and CEOs? <u>Y</u> Written charter agreement between board and one-stop operator? <u>Y</u> Contract with a competitively procured one-stop operator? <u>Y</u>
IS THE BOARD OR DIRECTOR A MEMBER OF...	NAWB <u>Y</u> NACO <u>Y</u> The Workforce Alliance <u>Y</u> A State WIB Association <u>Y</u> NAWDP <u>Y</u> Other National Organizations: Other State Organizations: INWIBA IHIF