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PacMtn Workforce Development Announces One Workforce-PacMtn WorkSource System Partnership Agreement MOU is Now In Three Week Negotiation Period

Pacific Mountain Workforce Development (PacMtn) is pleased to announce that the <u>PY2020-2024 One Workforce – PacMtn WorkSource System Memorandum of</u> <u>Understanding</u> (MOU), is now in the 3-week negotiation period.

Annually, PacMtn convenes partners to create and establish a system budget for the WorkSource Thurston County Comprehensive Site. Known as the Infrastructure Funding Agreement (IFA), it is included in our system MOU. The system MOU duration is 4 years and ties to our local plan, known as PacMtn Strategic Plan Talent and Prosperity Plan (TAP Plan).

As of 2/23/2023, the draft was released for final negotiations, and will be available for weekly feedback and information sessions on the following dates from 1:30pm- 2:30pm (PST). Information for these sessions can be found on our <u>Events page</u>.

- 02/28/2023
 - 03/07/2023
- 03/14/2023

Final input and closing negotiations will commence on 03/16/2023 and signatures required to meet state deadline are expected by 03/31/2023.

PacMtn Workforce Development, in cooperation with our partners, are excited to work towards finalization of our MOU. We actively encourage any feedback during our informational and weekly feedback sessions, as we are dedicated to progress and development of our region.

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About PacMtn Workforce Development (PacMtn)

PacMtn is a nonprofit organization that is the recognized convener of regional workforce development efforts. The PacMtn Board of Directors, PacMtn elected Official Consortium, and all staff are dedicated to the development of a workforce system that supports business, industry, and all levels of employers and job seekers. PacMtn oversees the regional network of American Job Centers, called WorkSource, which house the demand-driven and integrated system of partners dedicated to developing community prosperity, one job seeker and one employer at a time.

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