

Board Meeting In-Person

Members Present:

Stacie Harrison	Karen Brackett-Browning	Laura Haynes
Nick Maizy	Jesse Spain	Adrienne Robinson
Teresa Curtice	Celeste Tiller	
Mike Geddings	Michael Guidry	
Lindsey Egner	Mike Peek	
Hunter Faile		

Members Absent:

Anthony Parrish	Leslie Brakefield	
Ryant Johnson	Sandra Goodman	
Ashley Hamilton	John McCain	Zack Williams
Kevin Taylor	Linda Sudol	Angela Bagley
Dave Koubek	Shannon Reed	Brian Fulk

Others Present:

Amanda Baker, COG Staff	Randy Imler, COG Ex. Director	Anita Eagle, Equus
Phyllis Anderson, COG Staff	Sharon White, Equus	Chenoa Cornelius, Equus
Christine Grigsby, Equus	Dylan Bolton, York Co. Chamber	Mia Jones, DEW
Kristy Austin, Tri-District Adult Ed.	Amy Carnes, Lancaster Co. Economic Dev.	

The regular meeting of the Catawba Regional Workforce Development Board was held on Thursday, January 15, 2026 at 12:00pm. Mike Geddings, Chair, called the meeting to order at 12:03p.m. Mike reported that a quorum was present. The agenda for the meeting today and minutes from 11/20/2025 were approved.

Committee Reports:

Priority Populations Committee: None to report-Next meeting 1/20/2026

SC Works Strategic Committee: None to report-Next meeting 2/14/2026

Youth Council Committee: Met on 1/12/2026-Phyllis Anderson gave the report

Executive Committee: None to report

Even though his term expires 12/31/25, with York County approval, Mike Geddings will serve until a new member is appointed. And he will continue to serve as Chair until new officers are announced in May 2026, whichever comes first. A nominating committee of 4 individuals volunteered today. They were: Ashley Hamilton, Stacie Harrison, Karen Brackett-Browning and Nick Maizy.

Programmatic

Sharon White presented a programmatic report from Equus: PY25 SC Works Center Highlights: PY 25 Center Traffic, Hiring Events December, WIOA Orientation and Workshops, Key Performance Indicators AD/DW, Youth, PY25 WEX Obligation + Expenditures December 2025 and 4 Success Stories.

Amanda Baker presented the following report: Program Year 2025 Quarter 1 Rolling 4 Quarters Performance Summary WIOA Adult/DW/Youth, PY 25 Adult and Dislocated Worker Budget Modifications Request #1 and the Nomination Committee.

The motion was made and seconded for the PY25 Adult and Dislocated Budget Modification #1 to earmark funds. All were in favor to earmark \$106,300 increase to Adult funds and decrease DW funds.

The nominating committee for new 2026 officers consist of: Ashley Hamilton, Stacie Harrison, Karen Brackett-Browning and Nick Maizy. They will present at the March 19, 2026 meeting.

Other Business

Economic Development update: Teresa Curtice, York County and Amy Carnes, Lancaster County

Chamber update: Celeste Tiller, York County.

Partner and COG announcements were made.

The meeting adjourned at 12:42pm.

The next meeting will be held on Thursday, March 19, 2026 at noon.

Respectfully submitted,

Phyllis Anderson

Enclosed: Power Point
Presentations