

**THE SUMMIT AND MEDINA WORKFORCE AREA COUNCIL OF GOVERNMENTS FOR
OHIO LOCAL WORKFORCE AREA 2
RESOLUTION 2020-17**

A Resolution approving the inclusion of Serrato Corporation, The Ohio Department of Job and Family Services, Ohio Guidestone, and the Summit and Medina Workforce Area Council of Governments as “Additional Partners,” as defined in WIOA Section 121(b)(2), to the SFY 2020/2021 Local Workforce Area 2’s One-Stop Memorandum of Understanding.

WHEREAS, the Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act of 2014 (the “WIOA”) requires the presence of partners providing certain services identified in WIOA Section 121(b)(1) at all American Job Centers (the “AJC”) nationally;

WHEREAS; WIOA Section 121(b)(2) allows entities not identified in Section 121(b)(1) to be included as “Additional Partners” to a Local Workforce Area’s Memorandum of Understanding (the “MOU”), so long as their inclusion is consistent with WIOA’s goals and receives the approval of the Local Workforce Area’s Workforce Development Board and chief elected officials;

WHEREAS, following a review by the Workforce Board staff of the services provided by Serrato Corporation, a recipient of United States Department of Labor (“U.S. DOL”) Job Corps funding, The Ohio Department of Job and Family Services, a recipient of a U.S. DOL Reentry Employment Opportunities Pathway Home grant, Ohio Guidestone, a recipient of Ohio’s Substance Abuse Mental Health Services Administration grant, and the Summit and Medina Workforce Area Council of Governments, a recipient of Ohio’s U.S. DOL Reemployment Services and Eligibility Assessment grant, it is recommended that Serrato Corporation, The Ohio Department of Job and Family Services, Ohio Guidestone, and the Summit and Medina Workforce Area Council of Governments, should be included as “Additional Partners” to the Area 2 State Fiscal Years (the “SFY”) 2020 and 2021 Memorandum of Understanding (the “MOU”), held between Area 2’s AJC Partners, and, further, their presence is recommended at the OhioMeansJobs Medina and/or Summit County centers; and

WHEREAS, the SAMWA COG finds and determines, after reviewing all pertinent information that it is necessary and in the best interest of Area 2 to authorize the inclusion of Serrato Corporation, The Ohio Department of Job and Family Services, Ohio Guidestone, and the Summit and Medina Workforce Area Council of Governments to SFYs 2020 and 2021 Area 2 MOU as “Additional Partners” at the OMJSC Center;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the SAMWA COG that:

SECTION 1

Serrato Corporation, The Ohio Department of Job and Family Services, Ohio Guidestone, and the Summit and Medina Workforce Area Council of Governments are hereby authorized to serve as “Additional Partners” to Ohio Local Workforce Area 2’s American Job Center Partner Memorandum of Understanding in State Fiscal Years 2020 and 2021, and are further authorized to provide services, consistent with WIOA Section 121(b)(2)(B), at the OhioMeansJobs Medina and/or Summit County Centers.

SECTION 2

This Directive shall take effect immediately upon its adoption.

Ayes: 2

Nays: 0

Abstain: 0

Absent: 0

ADOPTED, this 16th day of December, 2020.

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