

**Employment Security Advisory Board Meeting
Connecticut Department of Labor
February 19, 2021
Minutes**

Attendees Via Teleconference

Members: Mark Sullivan, Henry Zaccardi, Sue Garten, Shawn Coyne, Dave Roche.

Agency Staff: Commissioner Kurt Westby, Deputy Commissioner Daryle Dudzinski, Deputy Commissioner Danté Bartolomeo, Jonny Dach, Heidi Lane, Marisa Morello, Steve Lattanzio, Mike Lucente, Carl Guzzardi, Sue Nofi Garcia, Kathy Sledge, Deborah Beaudoin, Juliet Manalan, Amer Khan, Brian Richard, David Ricciuti, Sue Crabb, Chris Lavigne, Kathy Marioni, Ken Petow, Belinda Aletta, Angel Rivera, Patrick Flaherty, Anne Rugens.

Call to Order and Introductions

The Chairman, Mark Sullivan, called the meeting to order at approximately 9:34 a.m.

Approval of Minutes

The Chairman motioned for approval of the January 10, 2020 minutes. All Board members approved the minutes.

UI/ES Division Updates

Commissioner Westby and Deputy Commissioner Dudzinski provided an update on the monumental impact of the pandemic on the state and federal Unemployment Insurance programs, including the impact upon personnel and the effort to provide agency-wide teleworking.

UI Trust Fund Power Point

Jonny Dach, Director of Policy, Governor's Office, provided a slide deck and presentation on House Bill 6633.

Future Agenda Items

The next meetings are scheduled for March 19, 2021, May 14, 2021, and September 17, 2021.

Adjournment

Upon the Chairman's motion, members agreed to adjourn the meeting.