

**TO: Workforce Development Board**

**DATE: 04/13/17**

**FROM: WDB Staff**

**For Discussion**

**For Action**

**For Information**

**SUBJECT: Workforce Development Board Nomination for Membership –  
Mr. Steve Hobbs, Merced Adult School.**

**PROPOSED MOTION(S): Accept the nomination of Mr. Steve Hobbs and forward to the Board of Supervisors for approval.**

**DISCUSSION:** Section 107 (b)(2) of the Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act (WIOA) outlines the criteria for membership on the local Workforce Development Board (WDB). Pursuant to WIOA Section 107(b)(2)(C)(i), a member of the adult education and literacy is required to be on the board to maintain proper board composition.

Mr. Steve Hobbs is the Principal for the Merced Adult School. Mr. Hobbs has extensive experience in developing outreach strategies and participating in events to further adult education in Merced County, with the goal of imparting job skills to participants to increase employability. Mr. Hobbs has, and continues, to work in collaboration with local workforce development efforts to benefit target communities.

**ATTACHMENT(S): Application available at meeting.**