

# Unemployment Insurance Advisory Council

## Meeting

October 15, 2020, 10:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.

### The public may attend by teleconference:

Phone: 415-655-0003 or 855-282-6330 (toll free) or <u>WebEx</u> Meeting Number (Access Code): 145 457 0793 Meeting Password: DWD1

## Agenda

- 1. Call to Order and Introductions
- 2. Approval of Minutes of the August 20, 2020 Council Meeting
- 3. Department Update
  - Lost Wage Assistance Program
- 4. Trust Fund Update Tom McHugh
- 5. Rulemaking Update
  - Emergency Rule 2006, DWD Chs. 127 and 128
    - Work search actions, availability for work, and work available for people filing claims with the unemployment insurance program during the COVID-19 pandemic.
    - Effective May 9, 2020 December 4, 2020
  - Emergency Rule 2011, DWD Ch. 113
    - Waiving interest in limited circumstances for employers subject to reimbursement financing when reimbursements are delinquent due to COVID-19.
    - Effective June 5, 2020 December 31, 2020

- Emergency Rule 2018, DWD Ch. 102
  - Employer contribution rates for 2021.
  - Effective June 29, 2020 November 25, 2020
  - Request for 60-day extension filed with JCRAR
- Emergency Rule 2034, DWD Ch. 120
  - Providing notification of the availability of unemployment insurance to employees at the time of separation from employment.
  - o Effective November 2, 2020 March 31, 2021
  - WebEx hearing will be held November 10, 2020 at 10:00 a.m.
- Scope Statement
- 6. Research Requests
- 7. Future Meeting Dates
  - November 19, 2020
  - No December 2020 meeting
- 8. <u>Public Hearing (by WebEx)</u>
  - Monday, November 9, 2020, 2:00 p.m. 4:00 p.m.
  - Tuesday, November 10, 2020, 4:30 p.m. 6:30 p.m.
- 9. Adjourn

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