

MENDOCINO WORKS

Employment Resource Centers

Resource Center Council Meeting Minutes – Ft. Bragg ERC
310 East Redwood Avenue, Ft. Bragg, CA
February 22, 2001 – 1:00 – 3:00 pm

Present: MPIC: Christine Mullis, Darla Gibson; EDD: Mark Molina; JA: Marjorie Zakula; DOR: Patricia Horner

Introductions & Approval of Prior Minutes

Minutes approved from last meeting.

Rapid Response Marketing Presentation

Christine conducted a PowerPoint presentation providing a synopsis of her recent trip to Palm Springs for the first Rapid Response Roundtable in California, which included a discussion of the upcoming Georgia Pacific layoff in Fort Bragg.

Agency Sharing

Point Arena

- Darla is working on an Open House, tentatively set for this April to market services including MPIC, youth services, mental health, Action Network, JA, and EDD.
- Darla is also working on a resource directory for the South Coast (Navarro, Anchor Bay, Manchester, Gualala, and Point Arena).

JA

- Gearing up for a countywide computer conversion!
- Caseloads are increasing – currently the seven Employment Service Reps are handling about 65 cases each – and they may be going down to six reps soon.

DOR

- Pat will be conducting orientations about rehabilitation, which are open to the public, the last Friday of the month in the mornings.

EDD

- Discussed various ways in which EDD can assist MPIC with getting the word about rapid response services out to those who need it. Mark and Christine to collaborate (Christine will bring a Rapid Response flyer next meeting).
- Mark mentioned that California Parks is gearing up to hire new employees – just seasonal, but could lead to full-time.

Meeting adjourned

Agenda for next time

- Introductions/Approval of Minutes
- Agency Reports / Sharing