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Board of Supervisors launch a Workforce Roadmap



San Bernardino, CA – Thursday morning, Chairman Curt Hagman and the Board of Supervisors participated in the first San Bernardino County Workforce Roadmap that was unveiled to an audience of businesses, employers, educators and community stakeholders, providing them with never-before-released data on economic and labor market trends.

“I am so excited for the Vision2Succeed campaign,” commented Chairman Hagman. “When I first started in my public service in the Workforce Investment Board about 20 years ago, and back then we had the vision that you have accomplished today bringing everyone together to work together for one common goal.”

“By having a skilled workforce it encourages a dynamic economy, and that is why we support Vision2Succeed,” said Board of Supervisors Chairman Hagman. “I encourage our community to get involved in learning experiences and programs that help to propel career growth and lifelong learning. Across the county we have a strong system of schools, colleges and universities as well as training and job resource centers that benefit residents and employers alike.”

On Tuesday, December 18, 2019 Chairman Hagman and the Board of Supervisors adopted another campaign, Vision2Succeed, which is designed to help strengthen the career skills of our local workforce by connecting county residents to opportunities that enhance their qualifications to support existing employers and attract new employers to San Bernardino County.

In June 2011, the Board of Supervisors adopted the Countywide Vision which calls for the collaborative creation of a “complete county,” recognizing that community elements are interrelated and interdependent. Since the Vision was adopted, the Countywide Vision project conducted three successful public-facing campaigns – Vision2Read, which emphasizes literacy, Vision2BActive, which promoted physical activity and Vision4Safety, which promoted public safety and emergency preparedness.

The Workforce Development Department and the Economic Development Agency support the Vision2Succeed campaign and will be working with educational institutions, non-profits and business leaders to promote career exploration programs such as: volunteerism, mentorships, internships and apprenticeships throughout the county. Vision2Succeed.org will serve as a centralized resource location for all career exploration programs offered by public and private agencies and information on career events in the county.

Chairman Hagman earned a Bachelor of Arts Degree in Psychology at UCLA. He and his wife Grace have two children: Jonathan, a recent graduate of UCLA and officer in the Army National Guard, and Elizabeth, a student at Ayala High School. Mr. Hagman’s experience in local and state government, and as a small business owner, has provided him insight into the issues facing his constituency.

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