Roll Call

Members Present:
- Representative Rene Plasencia, Workgroup Chair
- Bob Ward
- Warren Davis
- Tiffany Barfield
- Art Hoelke
- Keantha Moore
- Ted Norman

Others Present:
- Joel Schleicher, Council Chair

Department of Economic Opportunity Support Staff Present:
- Katie Crofoot Liebert
- Nicole Duque
- Katherine Morrison
- Emilie Oglesby
- Monica Rutkowski
- Lorena Clark

Introduction: Welcome, Roll Call and Approval of Minutes
- Representative Rene Plasencia welcomed members and Katie Crofoot Liebert called roll.
- Workgroup members approved the October 18, 2019 meeting minutes as presented.

Presentations
- Ted Norman presented on apprenticeships.

Discussion
- Representative Plasencia opened for discussion to the group. Discussion topics among workgroup members included:
  - Difference between internship and apprenticeship.
  - Preapprenticeships.
  - Financial availability.
  - Awareness of apprenticeships.
  - Perception/misconceptions of apprenticeships.
  - European apprentice model.
  - Criteria and constraints within federal system.
- Goals and strategies discussed:
Survey on apprenticeships.
Identification of barriers.
Education and awareness.
Expanding apprenticeships.
Identifying needs.

Next steps:
- Suggestion to have subject matter expert for the Florida Education and Training Placement Information Program (FETPIP) on the next call.

Public Comment
Katie Crofoot Liebert opened for public comment. No members of the public commented on the call.

Closing
Representative Plasencia and Katie Crofoot Liebert gave closing remarks. Meeting was adjourned.