

**ATLANTA REGIONAL WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT BOARD NEXTGEN COMMITTEE**

*August 6, 2025 2-Day Summary*

**Members Present**

Mr. Anthony Mayor Ford  
Ms. Autumn Andrews  
Mr. Chris Moder  
Ms. Ciara Dunn  
Mr. Jamal Jessie –Chair  
Ms. Jennifer Houston

Ms. Kristy Smith- Co-Chair  
Mr. Robert Hughes  
Ms. Stephanie Rooks  
Ms. Tangela Jones  
Mr. Tim Hemans

**Members Absent**

Mr. Fred Dawkins  
Ms. Mandy Chapman  
Ms. Emma Reynolds-Middleton

Ms. Norma Marquez  
Ms. Leslie Nelson

**Guests**

Ms. Debbie Anglin – HEARTS  
Ms. Kathi Korcyk-Schaefer – Cherokee FOCUS  
Ms. Sonia Carruthers – Cherokee FOCUS

Mr. Scott Levitt – TCSG OWD  
Dr. Yolanda Usry – Gwinnett Tech

**ARC Staff**

Ms. Candice Coppin – NextGen Program  
Ms. Haydn Brathwaite - Finance Manager

Ms. Marsharee O'Connor - NextGen Program  
Mr. Rob LeBeau – ARWDB Director

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The meeting was held at the Atlanta Regional Commission.

Mr. Jamal Jessie called the meeting to order at 12:14 p.m.

Approval of May 8, 2025, meeting notes. Approval of the NGC Members Two-Year Membership Term. Updates on the NextGen Program funding and PY24 Performance. Recognition of Rob LeBeau's service as ARWDB Director. November committee meeting date confirmed.

Meeting adjourned at 1:56 p.m.