

**NEW YORK STATE
APPRENTICESHIP & TRAINING COUNCIL MEETING
December 17, 2024**

AGENDA

11:00 – 11:05 AM: Introductions & Opening Remarks

Esta R. Bigler, Esq., Apprenticeship & Training Council Chairperson

11:05 – 11:20 AM: Commissioner’s Remarks

Roberta Reardon, Commissioner, NYSDOL

11:20 – 11:30 AM: USDOL Office of Apprenticeship Update, Discussion, and Q&A

Charles McNeil, Deputy Regional Director, USDOL Office of Apprenticeship Region 1

11:30 – 11:40 AM: NYSDOL Office for Special Initiatives Update

Melissa Johnston, Manager for the Office of Special Initiatives, NYSDOL

11:40 AM: Break

11:50 – 12:10 PM: Registered Apprenticeship and Public Work

Shaun McCready, Director of the Bureau of Public Work, NYSDOL

12:10 – 12:30 PM: Director’s Report, Discussion and Q&A

Chris Pinheiro, Director, Apprenticeship and Infrastructure, NYSDOL

12:30 – 12:50 PM: Review of New Trades, Recommendations, Discussion and Q&A

Sean Boyle, Workforce Programs Specialist 2, NYSDOL

New Trades

[Bartender](#)

[Care Coordinator](#)

[Nanotechnology Engineering Technician](#)

[Truck Driver, Light \(Last-mile Delivery\)](#)

[General Insurance Associate](#)

12:50 – 1:00 PM: Open Forum & Wrap Up

Esta R. Bigler, Esq., Apprenticeship & Training Council Chairperson