

TO: Workforce Investment Board (WIB)

DATE: 05/12/2005

FROM: WIB Staff

For Action

For Information

For Discussion

SUBJECT: Nomination to the Workforce Investment Board

PROPOSED MOTION(S): Accept the nomination of Larry Pitts to the Workforce Investment Board and forward to the Board of Supervisors for approval.

DISCUSSION: Section 117 of the Workforce Investment Act (WIA) outlines criteria for membership on the local Workforce Investment Board. One of the requirements is that a majority of the members of the Local Board must be representatives of businesses in the local area.

Don Bergman of the Greater Merced Chamber of Commerce has nominated Larry Pitts for membership on the WIB as a Private Business Sector representative. Mr. Pitts is the Operations Manager for Unilever Best Food's Merced plant. Mr. Pitts' approval as a WIB member will keep the WIB in compliance with the WIA requirement that more than 50% of its members represent the Private Business Sector.

ATTACHMENT(S): Application and Nomination will be available at the meeting.