

**TO: Workforce Investment Board**

**DATE: 07/12/07**

**FROM: Executive Committee**

**For Action**

**For Information**

**For Discussion**

**SUBJECT: Workforce Investment Board Appointment – Mr. Lyle J. Wright, UC Merced Small Business Development Center**

**PROPOSED MOTION(S): Accept the nomination of Mr. Lyle J. Wright, Regional Director of the Small Business Development Center network, and forward to Board of Supervisors for approval.**

**DISCUSSION: Section 117 of the Workforce Investment Act (WIA) outlines criteria for membership on the local Workforce Investment Board (WIB). One of the requirements is that representatives of economic development agencies must be on the Board.**

**Dr. Keith Alley, Vice-Chancellor, UC Merced, has nominated Mr. Lyle J. Wright for membership on the WIB. Mr. Wright is the Regional Director of the UC Merced Small Business Development Center. His appointment will restore UC Merced representation on the Workforce Investment Board.**

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