

**TO: WIB Executive Committee**

**DATE: 10/25/04**

**FROM: WIB Staff**

**For Action**

**For Information**

**For Discussion**

**SUBJECT: Combined WIB Meeting / Retreat**

**PROPOSED MOTION(S): Information with possible discussion.**

**DISCUSSION: The January 2005 WIB meeting will be a combined WIB meeting and retreat. To enrich the retreat, all members of the Youth Council will be invited to participate.**

**The retreat will be used to develop and recommend WIB policies concerning Education, Economic Development, and Workforce Housing. The format will include initial presentations of WIB accomplishments pertaining to these three (3) regional strategic issues, followed by workgroups to draft future WIB goals and policy development for these critical workforce development issues.**

**The goal of this retreat is to create firm policy statements, to be presented to political and educational leaders at local, state and national levels through a State of the Workforce report to be published in early Spring 2005.**

**The combined meeting/retreat will be held on Thursday, January 13, 2005, from 8:00am - 1:00pm at a Merced location to be announced.**

**ATTACHMENT(S): N/A**