

STAFF UPDATE FROM PRESIDENT PAUL CARLSEN – June 2, 2020

Team LTC,

Last week I spoke with Jim Golembeski, [Executive Director of the Bay Area Workforce Development Board \(BAWDB\)](#), to get his thoughts on workforce development. Jim provides valuable insights on how this economic downturn is different than others, how many furloughs once labeled as temporary are becoming permanent, how job centers might function differently in the future, what industries might be hardest hit long-term, and what new educational programming opportunities he sees post-pandemic. Jim also provides insight on the federal unemployment supplement and how the demand for workforce training will likely surge around July 25th when that supplement ends.

I hope you find this insightful.

Thanks, Paul Carlsen