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Youth Council	
The Workforce Connection Board	
Serving Boone, Winnebago, and Stephenson Counties	
Meeting Date:	Wednesday, January 20, 2021
Time:	8:30 AM
Location:	Zoom-link above
RSVP to:	ccornelius@theworkforceconnection.org or 815-395-6638

The Youth Council develops and oversees strategies to connect education and career opportunities for youth and young adults. This Council will also provide oversight for Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act (WIOA) and other funded programming, which includes the selection and evaluation of youth service providers and the coordination of youth services.

AGENDA

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| 1. Call to Order | Scott Bloomquist |
| 2. Roll Call | |
| 3. Minutes – Minutes for November 18, 2020 (<i>Action Item</i>) | |
| 4. Digital Divide/Grant Update (Discussion) | Chris Connors |
| 5. Stephenson County Youth RFP | Chris Connors |
| 6. Program Provider Update | ROE 8/Goodwill |
| 7. Skill gap Divide in Youth | Chris Connors |
| 8. Other Business | |
| 9. Public Comment | |
| 10. Next Meeting: March 17th, 2021 8:30 am | |
| 11. Adjournment | |

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