

Mountain Area Workforce Development Board Org Chart

Effective as of 7/1/2021

Member Counties and Municipalities

Buncombe Asheville Biltmore Forest Black Mountain Montreat Weaverville Woodfin	Henderson Flat Rock Fletcher Hendersonville Laurel Park Mills River	Madison Hot Springs Mars Hill Marshall	Transylvania Brevard Rosman
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Board of Delegates

Executive Committee

Chair - Barbara Volk - City of Hendersonville
Vice Chair - Patrick Fitzsimmons - Town of Weaverville
Secretary - Maureen Copelof - City of Brevard
Treasurer - Norris Gentry - Madison County
Past Chair - Larry Harris - Town of Black Mountain
County Delegate - Matt Wechtel - County of Madison
Municipal Delegate - VACANT
Minority Delegate - Preston Blakely - Town of Fletcher
Aging Programs Delegate - Bob Tomasulo



MAWD Board

Chief Elected Official - Chair
 Jake Dalton, Transylvania County Board of Commissioners

MAWD Director
 Nathan Ramsey

Assistant Workforce Director / Regional Business Services Leader
 Barbara Darby

Business Services Representative**
 Marc Czarnecki

Business Services Representative**
 Brandon Priester

Workforce Operations Specialist
 Melissa Wright

Education and Work-Based Learning Coordinator** Christy Cheek

Executive Director****
 Nathan Ramsey

Deputy Executive Director
 Danna Stansbury

Finance

Finance Director
 Charlotte Sullivan

Workforce and Accounting Specialist* Zia Rifkin

Land of Sky Education and Workforce Collaborative - My Future NC

P-20 Executive Director
 Emily Nicholson

myFutureNC Coordinator ***
 Joseph Fox

* 40% of time devoted to MAWDB/workforce

** Part-time/up to 25 hours per week

***Part-time and funded by John M Belk Endowment

****Part-time Workforce