

**Meeting Minutes 9/18/25 @3PM**  
**MassHire South Shore Career Center**  
**Main Conference Room**  
**1515 Hancock Street, Suite 101**  
**Quincy, MA 02169**

- Laura Buckley: Labor Market Data
  - South Shore is stable on Unemployment and Gross Regional Product
  - Biotech is suffering with large layoffs
- India Gerald: Career Center Highlights
  - Welcome back to Reese and JP Silva, returning as Resource Room Attendant and Youth Counselor, respectively
  - Also welcome to new State RESEA Counselor Beverly Mills
    - Beverly worked at JVS previously
  - Starting today, we are hiring for a front desk receptionist and a Career Counselor
  - Thank you to the team for great collaboration and positive attitudes working in the resource room yesterday
- Bob Upton: Adult Services Highlights
  - MassAbility's training funds have been capped at \$7,500 per individual
  - Quincy College is launching a free hospitality management training program starting 10/15 and ESOL for Healthcare starting 10/28
  - Section 30 has eliminated their 20 week deadline
  - Visible Edge is a common choice for our job seekers looking for training, but we need to diversify suppliers to comply with ethics
- Bao Nguyen: State Veteran Employment Updates
  - Veteran Service Fair outside Government Center 9/19
  - MassAbility has a separate Veteran program to assist with accessibility
- Graham Henry: Business Updates
  - New Intern starts next week
- Shinnel Toppin: CTI Program Updates
  - 15 Students still needed across programs