



**EMPLOYEE OWNERSHIP COMMISSION**  
**October 4, 2022, 12:00PM–1:30PM MST**  
***VIRTUAL COMMISSION MEETING MINUTES***

**In Attendance:** J. Briggs, D. Dell, Y. Holguin, J. Wiener, D. Luzietti, C. Arnold, M. Licina, N. Maloney, A. Ortiz, P. Bindel, P. Kern, S. Paletz, K. Taylor, P. Eisner  
**Absent:** Rep. Ricks, K. Siggins, K. Oyler, M. Ji, S. Gripne, C. Le, S. Shoemaker

Section 1	12:00 PM	<p>Welcome</p> <p align="right"><i>J. Briggs</i></p>
Section 2	12:05 PM	<p><b>Guest Speaker: Dr. Keith Taylor, Assistant Professor of Cooperative Extension &amp; Community Economic Development, UC Davis</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Topic &amp; Discussion: <u>Colorado’s Worker Co-op Programming: Advancing a Turnkey System for Growth and Resiliency.</u></li> </ul> <p align="right"><i>J. Briggs, K. Taylor</i></p>
Section 3	12:47 PM	<p><b>EO Partner &amp; Staff Reports</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● CO EO Office Monthly Update - <i>M. Licina</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Marketing Updates - <i>P. Kern</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>■ The Employee Ownership Office is on <a href="#">Facebook</a></li> <li>■ Press release on grant recipients</li> <li>■ Employee Ownership and Co-Op Month</li> <li>■ Employee Owned Business Map on <a href="#">our website</a></li> </ul> </li> <li>○ September WIGS updated with new conversions</li> <li>○ Interested business owner reporting and tracking</li> <li>○ November 2 ESOP Peer Network Event registration is live</li> <li>○ ESOP Communications Committees Peer Network in September focused on experience sharing and how to build a committee</li> </ul> </li> <li>○ EO Grant: Round 3, Program Iteration (<i>discussion</i>) - <i>M. Licina</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>■ Round 3 conversions completed and businesses were awarded funding</li> <li>■ Round 4 is open now and closes November 4, 2022</li> <li>■ Discussion on program iteration for 2023</li> </ul> </li> <li>○ Employee Equity Investment Act (<i>discussion</i>) - <i>N. Maloney</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>■ Opportunity to offer support as other states develop new legislation on employee ownership</li> </ul> </li> <li>● <a href="#">CCWB Monthly Update</a> - <i>P. Bindel</i></li> <li>● <a href="#">RMEOC Monthly Update</a> - <i>A. Ortiz</i></li> </ul>

Section 4	1:25 PM	EO Commissioner Updates (if time permits)
Section 5	1:28 PM	WRAP UP and ADJOURN

*J. Briggs*