
OFFICE OF GOVERNOR RONNIE MUSGROVE
INTEROFFICE MEMORANDUM

TO: GOVERNOR
FROM: RILEY
SUBJECT: COMMENTS MADE REGARDING THE GOVERNOR'S OFFICE DURING 5/9/01 WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT COUNCIL MEETING
DATE 5/16/01
CC: FILE

Comments were made regarding the operations of our office during last week's Workforce Development Council meeting that I thought you would want to be made aware of.

During the course of discussions, the Council suggested that Charles Holder write a letter to the Governor expressing the Council's concern and frustration as to the apparent disconnect between the federal and state workforce development systems (I am preparing a separate memo to you on this matter). Mr. Holder responded that he didn't think it would do any good because the Council probably would not get a response from the Governor's office. He stated that he had called this office to request an appointment with you on behalf of the Workforce Development Council pursuant to the Council's request at its April meeting. He was told that he needed to put the request in writing, which he did. He said that he yet to receive a response to his request.

Recognizing Mr. Holder's discontent, Mr. George Walker stated that the request might have gotten lost in the mail, to which Mr. Holder responded that he had also faxed the request to our office. I told Mr. Holder that I would check into the matter for him. He made repeated remarks during the remainder of the Council meeting as to things getting lost in the mail.

I am awaiting a response from Shanta as to the status of Mr. Holder's request.