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## Workforce Development FY2012 Budget Hearings

The administration is in the process of developing the Governor's budget for FY2012, which will be released in late January. The Executive Office of Labor and Workforce Development (EOLWD) is holding two public hearings regarding the Fiscal Year 2012 Budget. MCAE encourages you to attend the hearings in your region to discuss the importance of adult basic education in your community. MCAE will submit budget testimony on behalf of the ABE field and plans to attend the Boston hearing on Thursday December 16th.

### Hearing 1 - Boston, MA

Thursday, December 16, 2010, 11:00am to 2:00pm  
Charles F. Hurley Building, Miniham Hall  
19 Staniford Street, 6th floor  
Boston, MA

### Hearing 2 - Taunton, MA

Tuesday, December 21, 2010, 4:30pm to 6:30pm  
Taunton Career Center  
75 School Street  
Taunton, MA

EOLWD will be accepting written testimony through December 22, 2010. Please address comments to:

Secretary Joanne F. Goldstein  
Executive Office of Labor and Workforce Development  
One Ashburton Place, Suite 2112  
Boston, MA 02108

## Working Conditions Blog: Join the Conversation

Join the conversation at "[Making a Living \(?\) in Adult Education](#)" and post your comments! Let's continue the conversation about our ABE working conditions! Poor working conditions not only impact ABE practitioners, they impact ABE students!

If you would like to submit your thoughts, send articles or posts to Working Conditions committee blogmaster Jana Pickard-Richardson

(janapr02@gmail.com) or leave a comment on the blog. We're looking forward to hearing from you. [Check it out!](#)

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