# Career and Technical Education Advisory Council

Fairbanks North Star Borough School District 520 Fifth Avenue School District Administrative Center

> Pipeline Training Center Alaska Works Partnership Building 3580 Cartwright Court Fairbanks, AK

> > Tuesday, April 30, 2013 6:00 – 8:00 p.m.

Ginny McDowell, League of Women Voters Warren Smith, Summit Logistics Thomas Hall, FNSBSD Randy Cheap, Alaska Works Partnership Mike Nelson, NPHS Pete Daley, HHS instructor Stacy Hayes, FNSBSD visitor Larry Ehnert, LHS instructor Gwenetta Dunn-Johnson, FNSBSD Melanie Hadaway, FNSBSD Dan Domke, FNSBSD Gina Tran, FNSBSD David Waldo, SOA visitor

#### Absent:

Karen Gaborik, FNSBSD
Pete Lewis, FNSBSD
Joe Deutsch, BEHS instructor
Tom Lemelin, student representative (HHS)
Michele Stalder, UAF/CTC
Vickie Domke, Tamarack Air
Missy Lizotte, DOL
Heather Stewart, FNSBSD

Matt Want, MobileOne Heather Rauenhorst, FNSBSD Gerry Million, NPHS Megan Gooding, AHEC/FMF Peggy Carlson, FNSBSD John Thies, FNSB/WFA Pat Crisenbery, SLR Consulting

Mr. Cheap called the meeting to order at 6:06 PM.

### APPROVAL OF AGENDA

Agenda was approved without objection with the adjustment of moving the Information section to follow Reports section. Move Mr. Daley to beginning of Reports section. Agenda approved with changes.

## APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Approval of March 28, 2013, minutes by Melanie was moved with correction and without objection. Correction to minutes: Omit IT Academy and only include Business.

No public comments.

#### REPORTS

- 1. Mr. Daley spoke about the Math-in-CTE and WorkKeys, which employers use to identify applicants. Mr. Daley developed some Math-in-CTE lesson plans and used them in his class. He mentioned the Applied Math section in WorkKeys and using some practice assignments in his class. He took the WorkKeys himself. The district is reviewing the WorkKeys and identifying ways to help students as the WorkKeys are administered.
- 2. Perkins-funded Professional Development is essential to the district as teachers need current training, which requires out of state travel.
- 3. Construction Academy's last workshop, Scaffold User and Forklift Driver, was held April 2-4 with 7 students obtaining certifications. Construction Academy was provided with \$10,000.00 more and will use

it for the Middle School Construction Awareness workshop on June 3-7, 2013. Mr. Cheap will provide a flyer for ease of advertising to parents and students.

- 4. Youth First application was submitted. Ms. Carol Schumacher and Ms. Barbara Robinson stopped in Fairbanks on their way to Barrow for a check in meeting.
- 5. CTE Curriculum update: Ms. Hadaway stated that on Tuesday the school board should sign off on the curriculum. This summer, Curriculum department will be working on the middle school CTE curriculum. Once the curriculum is approved then it goes into the portal with the SOA.
- 6. High Growth Industry—Ms. Lizotte is absent.
- 7. Employment trends—Ms. Lizotte is absent.
- 8. Local employment needs—Ms. Lizotte is absent.

#### **OLD BUSINESS**

- 1. History of Hutchison was provided by Mr. Domke. With the implementation of the pipeline came a rude awakening as it showed how unprepared the SOA workforce was. The majority of the pipeline workers came from out of state. Hutchison came into existence and fulfilled the need for career and technical training. A priority of the United States of America is career and technical education training. The district is committed to CTE as well. Hutchison is space limited, enrollment this year is huge and waitlisted, excellent programs, and anticipates more integration with CTC. One benefit of CTE is a better understanding of the world. Career and Technical Education can open doors for students.
- 2. Mr. Cheap is interested in promoting CTE. Parental involvement in their children's education varies so how do we reach the other parents who aren't involved. Mr. Cheap suggested an advertisement in the paper about the opportunities of CTE.

#### **NEW BUSINESS**

1. Mining Advisory Board—Mr. Hall asked for a name within the HR departments of Pogo, Ft. Knox, etc.

#### **INFORMATION**

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NO CLOSING COMMENTS FROM COMMITTEE MEMBERS WERE OFFERED

ADJOURNMENT 7:55 PM