



**CONNECTING ASSETS,
DEVELOPING TALENT**

**T3 Joint Meeting of the Business and Advisory Councils
Tuesday November 14, 2017**

Business Council

Members Present:

Edith Suttles
Edythe Hatter-Williams
Jeff Benson
Kate Snyder
Kellie Dean
Kristin Beltzer
Matt Hedberg
Mitch Tomlinson
Robert (Bob) Trezise
Saga Sheth
Sherry Pfaff-Doody
Tim Daman
Tom Mee

Business Council

Members Absent:

April Clobes
Chris Holman
Victoria Meadows

Daryl Adams
Jeff Wesley
Jim Robinson
Lisa Corless
Mark Alley
Matt Rush
Michael Flowers
Mike King
Terry Grimm
Troy Bancroft

Advisory Council

Members Present:

Amy Busch
Cindy Anderson
Dennis Theis
Edith Suttles
Edythe Hatter-Williams
Gene Shanahan
Jack Davis

Jane Doty
Kate Snyder
Kirk Riley
Kristin Beltzer
Mike Vitale
Patrick Harrison
Robert (Bob) Trezise
Sagar Sheth
Scott Duimstra
Stan Kogut
Wayne Petroelje

Advisory Council

Members Absent

Arnold Weinfeld
Brent Knight
Chris Holman
Gary Reid
Hiram Fitzgerald
Jason Vandersteldt

Jim Dravenstatt-Moceri
Karen Steff
Lawrence Hidalgo Jr.
Mark Coscarella
Mike King
Paul Elam
Rosanne Renauer
Scott Koenigsknecht
Teresa Kmetz

Guests

George Pena
Jay LaNew
Michele Strasz
Pat Jackson
Rosanne Allen
Sara Parkinson
Sue Gardner

The meeting was called to order at 3:37 p.m.

AGENDA

ITEM 1

Welcome and Introductions

Mark Cosgrove, Dean of LCC's Technical Careers Division, welcomed everyone and briefly summarized the division. Edith Suttles then welcomed everyone and initiated introductions.

ITEM 2

Minutes of August 8, 2017 Meeting

It was noted that Jane Doty was in attendance at the August 8 meeting and correction will be made to reflect that (attachment on file).

17-06

Advisory Council: Motion was made by Wayne Petroelje, supported by Dennis Theis, to accept the minutes as presented.

Motion Passed Unanimously.

ITEM 3

Presentation on CTE and Early Middle College Enrollments in the Region

CTE - Sue Gardner provided handouts and explained the enrollment data. She introduced George Pena, who talked about the CTE program at the Lansing School District. The goal is to determine how the Advisory Council can assist business with their search for employees. It would be beneficial to have an event for employers to come and chat with students in a central location.

Early Middle College – Sue Gardner explained the programs included and distributed a handout with information. The pilot program currently has 58 students.

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Kate Snyder explained the purpose of each committee with assistance of a PowerPoint presentation.

- a. – Michele Strasz gave an update and the next steps. A handout was of the Michigan Career Pathways Alliance was distributed, which is on the Public Policy agenda. Endorsement by the Business Council was requested by a resolution to support it. Recommendations were reviewed. There was discussion about how this would benefit T3.

17-07

Advisory Council: Motion was made by Jack Davis, supported by Amy Busch, to approve the Michigan Career Pathways Alliance resolution and submit the necessary documentation of support.
Motion Passed Unanimously.

Business Council: Motion was made by Bob Trezise, supported by Kellie Dean, to approve to the Michigan Career Pathways Alliance resolution and submit the necessary documentation of support.
Motion Passed Unanimously.

- b. **Data Committee** – Kate Snyder reviewed data in the PowerPoint.
- c. **Programs Committee** – Kate Snyder talked about the value of career cruising standards and the desire to get all districts on board and encourage use. She also explained MI Bright Future and noted there are currently two pilots in the region. One goal is to increase apprenticeship opportunities.
- d. **Awareness Committee** – Kate Snyder talked about Lansing Gift Camp and Going Pro in the MI campaign. A series of articles about STEAM will launch through the Business Council blog.

ITEM 5 Proposed 2018 Meeting Dates for the Advisory Council

17-08

Advisory Council: Motion was made by Jane Doty, supported by Cindy Anderson, to accept the meeting dates.

Motion Passed Unanimously.

ITEM 6 Other Business

Kellie Dean talked about the Lansing Promise program and will take the Michigan Career Pathways Alliance recommendations to the Lansing Promise board. Edith thanked everyone for staying and Sue for her presentation

ITEM 7 Next Meeting – Tuesday February 13, 2018 at 3:30 pm, 3:30PM - 5:00PM

The meeting adjourned at 5:12 p.m.

17-09

Motion to adjourn by Gene Shanahan, supported by Kirk Riley.

Motion Passed Unanimously