



STATE OF CONNECTICUT
DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION



Manufacturing Committee

November 13, 2017

8:30 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.

Connecticut State Colleges and Universities (CSCU) Board of Regents

61 Woodland Street

Hartford, CT 06105

The meeting for the education in manufacturing committee meeting was held on November 13, 2017. The meeting convened at 8:43 a.m. and the following members were present:

Present: James Lombella-co-chair, Asnuntuck Community College
Melissa Hickey-co-chair, Connecticut State Department of Education
Susan Palisano, CCAT, Education & Workforce Development
Cliff Thermer, Goodwin College
Margaret Van Cott, Asnuntuck Community College
Christine Mahoney, East Granby Public Schools
Richard Dupont, HCC Foundation
Gillian Rondinone, East Hartford Public Schools
Paul Murphy, Mallory Industries
Kathy Marioni, Connecticut Department of Labor
Robert Michalik, Department of Economic and Community

Absent: John Murphy, CTHSS
Kelli-Marie Vallieres-Eastern Advanced Manufacturing Association
Tracy Ariel-Director, Advanced Manufacturing & CT ECO Program
Todd Berch, Connecticut Department of Labor
Chris Foster, Asnuntuck Community College
Robert Segal, Aerospace
Emma Durao, East Granby Public Schools
Pamela Tonello, Capital Workforce Partners
Frank Gulluni, AMSC
John Dague, Enfield Public Schools
Chris DePentima, Pegasus Manufacturing and Chair of ACM
Louis Manzione, University of Hartford
Jamison Scott, Air Handling System

Andrea Comer, CBIA Education and Workforce Partnership
Howard Jenkins, Electric Boat

I. Call to Order:

II. Approval of Minutes from September 18, 2017

Minutes were so moved by Paul Murphy, accepted by Sue Palisano and seconded by Cliff Thermer. All approved.

III. Introductions and Welcome New Members:

No new members to welcome at this meeting.

IV. Best Practices and Program Updates-Committee Updates

Sue Palisano stated that there was no update; the committee needs to meet again to get more information. Christine Mahanoy gave an update on her sub-committee. All revisions she will send to Melissa Hickey.

V. Revision of Legislated 2018 Program Report

Discussion of program report. The committee is to review and send all revisions to Melissa Hickey to be updated. Discussion on wording to be used in the title.

VI. Other Topics: Todd Berch/Manufacturing by Age Presentation

Christine Mahoney to help draft a letter to all superintendents to ask for information.

Motion to develop a guide for networking and career awareness was motioned by Paul Murphy and seconded by Kathy Marioni.

Patrick Flaherty gave presentation, as Todd Berch was sick. Melissa Hickey will email the presentation to the committee.

Paul Murphy and his committee (regarding manufacturing) will give a 30-minute presentation at the next meeting.

Next full meeting will be January 17, 2018, at 2:00 pm at Connecticut State Colleges and Universities (CSCU) Board of Regents, 61 Woodland Street, Hartford, CT.

Meeting adjourned at 10:20 a.m.