

Meeting Name: Auto Body Advisory Committee Meeting

Date & Time: October 20, 2015, 6:00 pm

Campus & Room #: Northland Community & Technical College - Auto Body Classroom

Committee Minutes

Attendees: Kent Wagner, Cody Johnson, Chuck Hoard, Ira Johnson, Dave Flatland, Mike Curfman, Paul Adams, Josh Walton, Allen Louto

Topic	Responsible Party	Discussion/Outcome
1. Call to order	Kent Wagner	-Called meeting to order at 6:45, after a fine meal at 6:00pm
2. Meeting Minutes		-Went over the minutes from last meeting on April 28, 2015 -Cody made a motion to accept minutes, seconded by Josh
3. Advertising	Mike	-Talked about the new article on the Auto Body Program; Chad
Curriculum Present & Future		-Future plans: Aluminum body equipment on Fords -Talked about the new welder -Josh is going to check on test panels from Rydell's to practice welding and repair on aluminum.
5. Job Placement		100% - Great – More techs are needed everywhere
6. Budget	Kent Cody	-Was cut 25% for 2015 - Started was going to be 10%, but changed to 25% -Budget is used up as of this meeting -Been using lower grade of certain materials -Mike suggested asking for more money because of more enrollment than we expected -Kent will put something together -Talked about fit testing -Cody talked about Pilot course with high school students, had 12 now have 15, looks good, lots of interest
7. Recruitment	Cody	-Fargo, Bemidji, Grand Forks, Cody is going on the next three Wednesdays



	Kent Cody	-Talked on Auto Body feature story for looking for new students -Talked on the new text books and online work. Test it on some of the first year students to see how they like it, etc.
8. Enrollment Report		-13 first year -2 post secondary -9 of 10 from last year
9. Equipment		-We are going to check on Detroit Lakes area kids as prospective students for us -Kent talked about CEF grant at SEMA show in November, have been getting some freebies
10. New Committee Members		-We all will look -Donated \$ match from state
11. Tools and Tool Day		-Talked about tools and tool day -Needs to be fixed -We will come up with a new plan -What tools are necessary to start the program -Fee for tools same as books? -Fee for Respo fit test?
12. Adjourned	Ira	Motion to adjourn was made by Ira at 8:22pm, seconded by Cody