



NORTHLAND

COMMUNITY & TECHNICAL COLLEGE

Auto Body Collision Technology Advisory Committee Meeting Minutes, April 19, 2016 NCTC, THIEF RIVER FALLS

1. Preliminary

- a. Cody called the meeting to order at 6:20, seconded by chuck.

2. Introductions

- b. Chuck introduced Mike Curfman, Chuck, Cody Johnson, Kent Wager, Mike Paulson, and Tim Christensen.

3. Additions to agenda

4. Approval of last meeting minutes

- a. We approved minutes from last meeting, Cody seconded by Chuck.

Old Business

1. Lincoln High School Exploration Pilot Course

- a. Tim and Cody talked about the high school students.
- b. 14 total; 5 prospects for the Auto Body program next year. It was a very good experience for all.
- c. Mike is going to talk to Bill Stock about next year for that program.

2. Collision Education Foundation Grant \$50,000

- a. Work on collision Ed Foundation Grant for 2016- Kent talked about the grant.
- b. They talked about the program review we need to finish it.

3. Job Placement

- c. They talked about Job placement, plenty of jobs out there.

4. Curriculum, Present/Future Plans

- a. Cody talked about some new plans for next year.
- b. Some new agendas are going to be in place for first year students to get them ready for second year to keep up with their tasks and keep the interest.

5. Sim-Spray Equipment

- a. Talked about the sim-spray equipment. We have it coming, this is going to be a great tool to have and show each student to spray and practice technique. It also will be a great piece to recruit new students. This tool is one of the best things that NCTC will have and able to obtain. This tool is safe for the art.

New Business

6. PPG Training

- a. PPG training this July for Cody & Kent

7. Enrollment

- a. Cody talked about Enrollment, and what he learned in Wahpeton Tech meeting.
- b. Enrollment this year; 16 total lost 3 picked up 1 new late start.
- c. Our numbers are good compared to others.
- d. 2nd year had 10.

8. Student Recruitment Plans

- a. Minnesota Occ. Grant for high schooler's for next year; good year to bring us more students.
- b. Cody wants to do career day with Sim-Spray etc. Maybe at a local body shop...(Field Trip) Good Idea.

9. New Vehicle Technology Encounters (Ford Aluminum)

- a. Talked about Aluminum Repair, Kent said his class has done a few.
- b. Look into Aluminum Repair System

10. Equipment/Supply Recommendations

11. Student/Program Tool kits

- a. Tools for next year

12. New Committee Members (2-3 positions needed)

- a. Talked about getting new members
- b. LAST; talked about our new Facebook page

Chuck made motion to adjourn, second by Cody.