NCTC Auto Body Advisory Board

April 30, 2024 Meeting called to order 5:45pm

In attendance: Kent Wagner, Chuck Hoard, Cody Johnson, Amanda Hoglo, Mike Paulson, Ira Johnson, Monty Johnson (via phone)

Students: Morgan Rude, Gunnar Sandeen, Kaleb Roussy

Student introductions were made. Monty gave an overview of his position with Northland as Dean of Technical Programs.

Enrollment

Kent shared current enrollment numbers for this year, which is 13. Discussed next years' enrollment and whether 1 or 2 instructors would be beneficial. Discussed one year program. Visited about Auto Mechanics and Welding numbers. Many new faculty coming in.

Budget

Per Kent, the program is doing well as is the college.

Old Business

Car Show Update – Amanda will contact Spudwagon. Social media has started advertising the event. It's on the Community Calendar, KTRF, KSRQ. Mike will make more phone calls. Get on RadioGram.

Program Updates

Monty talked about the bookstore/tools.

Kent is working on the tool list for next year. NCTC will purchase toolkits for the bookstore for student purchase. Looking into local tool suppliers.

Amanda & Mike talked about the North Star Promise. Discussed Oly Tweet & Dondlinger scholarships.

Morgan – Possibly next year adding work shirts for the students.

Cody motioned to adjoin

Monty seconded the motion.