

## CAC CURRICULUM MEETING

MINUTES OF MEETING DATE 03/09/2015

ATTENDANCE: Brock Friedman, Melissa Lane, Trisha Shrode – U-46 Liaison, Seth Rindner, Ian Horn, Lisa Hopp

Meeting called to order. Our program for this month is a presentation about the various CTE – Career & Technical Education programs that exist in the district.

Many staff members contributed time and expertise to this program. The breadth of offerings across the district is impressive. All areas were represented.

- Business Education – Marketing, Accounting, Computer Applications, Web Design, Entrepreneurship
- Career Education
- Family and Consumer Science – Culinary Arts, Fashion and Apparel, Child Development and Education
- Health Care Science – CNA, Anatomy and Physiology, PLTW
- Project Lead the Way – Engineering, Design, Architecture
- Technology Education – Woods, Metals, Auto, PLTW, Production Technology and Manufacturing

### Key Points:

Takes learning and shows a student why – “this is why you need math”

CTE programs in various schools show higher graduation rates than regular students

Learning = Doing

Some of the programs can incorporate a Honors component

Some of the programs lead to ECC credit

Lack of consistency across the district – only 2 schools have the manufacturing program, as an example

Some schools offer a Curriculum night, some do not

Finite amount of students – with more offerings = some classes combined or not running?

The motion to adjourn was made by Brock Friedman, seconded by Lisa Hopp.

Next meeting – Monday March 30, 2015 at 7:00 PM