## Carbon Career & Technical Institute Joint Operating Committee Agenda

## Regular Meeting March 21, 2024

I.	Call to	o Order – Chairma	n				
II.	Salute	e to the Flag					
III.	Roll C	Call			Present	Absent	
IV.	Ms. H Mrs. A Mrs. I Mr. D Mrs. I Mr. K Mr. K Mr. R Mr. S Mr. S Mr. P Mrs. A Mr. R Attory	Gerald Strubinger, Member Heather Neff, Member Alyson Krawchuk, Renee DeMelfi, Chemas Connors, Mavid Reinbold, Interpretation of the Michelle Allen, Princhristine Trovato, effry Deutsch, Buster Rinda, Directo den Walters, Supers Francine Kluck, Adich Flacco, Alternate an Gleaves, Alternate April Walters, Alternate April Walters, Alternate April Walters, Alternate Obert Presley, Supers Robert T. Yurchristina A. Graver Committee met in Experience of the Michelle Research of the Michelle Resear	ber Member airman Iember erim Administr ncipal Facilitator of Sp Administrator, r of Technology visor of Bldg. & Iult Education S te Member nate Member rnate Member er Member rnate Member er Member erintendent of F hak, Solicitor , Secretary	ecial Education Treasurer Grounds Site Supervisor	eting to discuss per	sonnel, litigation,	
14.		egotiation items.	Accuracy Design	ir prior to the med	cting to discuss per	sortier, inigation,	
V.	Appr	oval of Addendun	n (if applicable)				
	A. MOTION by , SECONDED by to approve the inclusion of an Addendum the March 21, 2024 Joint Operating Committee meeting agenda. Individual Addendu motions have been presented to and will be voted on by the Joint Operating Committee members in attendance, integrated among the agenda motions presented below.					m	
		VOTE: YES -	NO -	ABSENT -	ABSTENTI	ONS -	

	A.	MOTION by , SECONDED by to acknowledge receipt of the Letter of Appointment for a Member of the Carbon Career & Technical Institute Joint Operating Committee (3-Year Term):				
		Palmerton Area School District - Mrs. Alyson Krawchuk (Encl. 1)				
		Note: Mrs. Krawchuk will be filling the unexpired term of Mr. Earl Paules through December 2024.				
		VOTE: YES NO ABSENT ABSTENTIONS				
	В.	MOTION by , SECONDED by to acknowledge the Appointment of Alternate Representative to the Carbon Career & Technical Institute Joint Operating Committee (1-Year Term):				
		Palmerton Area School District - Mrs. Kris Schaible (Encl. 2)				
		Note: Mrs. Schaible will be filling the unexpired term of Mrs. Danielle Paules through December 2024.				
		VOTE: YES NO ABSENT ABSTENTIONS				
VII.	Electio	on of Vice-Chairman				
		nominates for Vice-Chairman, NDED by				
	nominates for Vice-Chairman, SECONDED by					
	MOTION by to close the nominations for and appoint as Vice-Chairman. SECONDED by					
		ROLL CALL VOTE:  Mr. Connors - Weatherly  Mrs. Krawchuk - Palmerton  Ms. Neff - Lehighton  Mr. Strubinger - Jim Thorpe  Mrs. DeMelfi - Panther Valley				
		(The Secretary casts the ballot electing as Vice-Chairman.)				

**Letters of Appointment** 

VI.

VIII.	Appro	oval of Minutes			
	A.	MOTION by , SECONDED by to approve the Minutes of the February 15, 2024 Regular Meeting. (Encl. 3)			
		VOTE: YES NO ABSENT ABSTENTIONS			
IX.	Court	tesy of the Floor to Visitors			
X.	Appro	eval of Payment of Bills			
	A.	MOTION by , SECONDED by to approve Payment of Bills - General Fund and Other Accounts. (Encl. 4)			
	Note: Committee Members with questions or requesting a copy of any payment, plea contact the CCTI Business Office prior to the scheduled meeting.				
		ROLL CALL VOTE:  Mr. Connors - Weatherly  Mrs. Krawchuk - Palmerton  Ms. Neff - Lehighton  Mr. Strubinger - Jim Thorpe  Mrs. DeMelfi - Panther Valley			
XI.	Appr	oval of Treasurer's Reports (February 2024)			
	A.	MOTION by , SECONDED by to approve the Treasurer's Report for February 2024 showing a final balance of \$6,968,644.26 in the General Fund, and \$94,203.56 in the Student Activities Account. (End. 5)			
		ROLL CALL VOTE:  Mr. Connors - Weatherly  Mrs. Krawchuk - Palmerton  Ms. Neff - Lehighton  Mr. Strubinger - Jim Thorpe  Mrs. DeMelfi - Panther Valley			

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XIII.

Aum	instrative Reports			
A.	Director's Report - Mr. David Reinbold, Interim Administrative Director			
	<ul> <li>a. Carly Rinda, Digital Marketing and Business Fundamentals Instructor/DECA         (Distributive Education Clubs of America) Advisor with students Jalin Burns,         Digital Marketing Junior (Palmerton ASD) and Savannah Klotz, Auto Service and         Technology Senior (Palmerton ASD)</li> <li>DECA</li> </ul>			
B.	Principal's Report - Mrs. Michelle Allen, Principal			
C.	Business Administrator's Report - Mr. Jeffry P. Deutsch, Business Administrator  • Update on 2024-2025 Budget: Brief update/approval status of the 2024-2025 CCTI budget.			
D.	Facilitator of Special Education Report - Mrs. Christine Trovato, Facilitator of Special Education			
E.	Building and Grounds Report - Mr. Ken Walters, Supervisor of Buildings and Grounds			
F.	Technology Report - Mr. Nate Rinda, Director of Technology			
G.	Superintendent of Record Report - Mr. Robert Presley, Jim Thorpe Area School District Superintendent			
Items	of Business			
Person	nnel			
A.	MOTION by , SECONDED by to approve the following homebound instructor on an as needed basis, at the approved hourly rate:			
	Amy Guth, Science Teacher			
	VOTE: YES NO ABSENT ABSTENTIONS			
В.	MOTION by , SECONDED by as chaperone through August 2024:			

Tiffany Lucas

VOTE: YES - \_\_\_\_ NO - \_\_\_ ABSENT - \_\_\_ ABSTENTIONS - \_\_\_\_

C.	MOTION by , SECONDED by to approve the following individuals on an as needed basis at the hourly rate listed below, effective March 22, 2024 through March 2025:
	• James Rex - Adult Education Welding Instructor, \$23.00/hour
	VOTE: YES NO ABSENT ABSTENTIONS
Educa	tion
A.	MOTION by SECONDED by to retroactively approve the following: that eight (8) Drafting and Design Technology students attend a trip to the Pennsylvania College of Technology March 18, 2024 in Williamsport, PA. Jeremy Pease, Drafting and design Technology Instructor chaperoned this event.
	Note: Trip included a campus tour with a focus on the Architecture and Engineering-related program areas.
	ROLL CALL VOTE:  Mr. Connors - Weatherly  Mrs. Krawchuk - Palmerton  Ms. Neff - Lehighton  Mr. Strubinger - Jim Thorpe  Mrs. DeMelfi - Panther Valley
В.	MOTION by SECONDED by that forty-two (42) students attend the SkillsUSA State Competition April 3 – 5, 2024 in Hershey, PA at a cost of \$24,292.81 to cover the cost of registration and lodging. Kevin Kuehner, SkillsUSA Advisor, Heather Cassidy and Kevin Sowa, SkillsUSA Assistant Advisors, Maritza Reinbold, Graphic design Instructor, Joshua Reif, Instructional Aide, and Nate Rinda, Director of Technology will chaperone this event.
	ROLL CALL VOTE:  Mr. Connors - Weatherly  Mrs. Krawchuk - Palmerton  Ms. Neff - Lehighton  Mr. Strubinger - Jim Thorpe  Mrs. DeMelfi - Panther Valley

C.	MOTION by SECONDED by that eight (8) National Technical Honor Society (NTHS) students attend a trip to Hershey Park April 12, 2024 in Hershey, PA cost of \$1,512.90 to cover the cost of park admission and transportation. Sue Ann Gerhard, NTHS Advisor will chaperone this event.				
	ROLL CALL VOTE: Mr. Connors - Weatherly Mrs. Krawchuk - Palmerton Ms. Neff - Lehighton Mr. Strubinger - Jim Thorpe Mrs. DeMelfi - Panther Valley	Yes No Absent Abstain			
D.		that twenty (20) Graphic Design students il 15, 2024 in Kennett Square, PA. Maritza l two additional approved chaperones will			
	ROLL CALL VOTE:  Mr. Connors – Weatherly  Mrs. Krawchuk – Palmerton  Ms. Neff - Lehighton  Mr. Strubinger - Jim Thorpe  Mrs. DeMelfi - Panther Valley	Yes No Absent Abstain			
E.	MOTION by SECONDED by Journalism Conference April 18, 2024 at Schnecksville, PA. Maya Kowalcyk, Eng Aide will chaperone this event.	that eighteen (18) students attend the Lehigh Carbon Community College in glish Teacher and Ashley Little, Instructional			
	ROLL CALL VOTE: Mr. Connors – Weatherly Mrs. Krawchuk – Palmerton Ms. Neff - Lehighton Mr. Strubinger - Jim Thorpe Mrs. DeMelfi - Panther Valley	Yes No Absent Abstain			
F.	MOTION by SECONDED by attend the 2024 International Congress of Philadelphia, PA. Tammy Marshall, Cosmetology Instructional Aide, and De Substitute will chaperone this event.				
	ROLL CALL VOTE:  Mr. Connors – Weatherly  Mrs. Krawchuk – Palmerton  Ms. Neff - Lehighton  Mr. Strubinger - Jim Thorpe  Mrs. DeMelfi - Panther Valley	Yes No Absent Abstain			

G.	MOTION by SECONDED by that two (2) students attend the DECA International Career Development Conference April 22 – May 1, 2024 in Anaheim, CA at a cost of approximately \$4,500.00 to assist with registration, transportation, lodging, and meal expenses. Carly Rinda, DECA Advisor will chaperone this event.				
	ROLL CALL VOTE: Mr. Connors - Weatherly Mrs. Krawchuk - Palmerton Ms. Neff - Lehighton Mr. Strubinger - Jim Thorpe Mrs. DeMelfi - Panther Valley	Yes No Absent Abstair	n		
H.	MOTION by , SECONDED by student #8883 for 5 hours per week from Ferturn.		* *		
	VOTE: YES NO AB	SENT ABSTENT	TIONS		
Budget	& Finance				
A.	MOTION by , SECONDED by pertinent to the 2024-2025 Proposed Opera Technical Institute calling for receipts and follows:	ting Budget for the Carbon Ca	reer &		
	<b>Jim Thorpe Area School District</b> Yes – 7, No - 0, Absent – 2, Abstenti	ons – 0 – <b>Approved</b>	(Encl. 6)		
	<b>Lehighton Area School District</b> Yes – 8, No - 0, Absent – 1, Abstenti	ons – 0 – <b>Approved</b>	(Encl. 7)		
	<b>Panther Valley School District</b> Yes – 9, No - 0, Absent – 0, Abstenti	ons – 0 – <b>Approved</b>	(Encl. 8)		
	<b>Weatherly Area School District</b> Yes – 6, No - 1, Absent – 2, Abstenti	ons – <b>Approved</b>	(Encl. 9)		
	VOTE: YES NO AB:	SENT ABSTENT	IONS		

## Buildings & Grounds

A. MOTION by , SECONDED by to approve the purchase of a 2024 dump truck from Miracle Ford (costars #013-196) at a cost of \$74,239.47.					
	Note: This is the lowest of four RFP's and incirculating.	ludes the trade in of the vehicle it's			
	ROLL CALL VOTE:  Mr. Connors – Weatherly  Mrs. Krawchuk – Palmerton  Ms. Neff - Lehighton  Mr. Strubinger - Jim Thorpe  Mrs. DeMelfi - Panther Valley	s No Absent Abstain			
В.	MOTION by , SECONDED by to a student van from Rohrer School & Commercia	pprove the purchase of a 2024 Ford F350 l bus sales at a cost of \$60,000			
Note: This is the only response received of three RFP's due to vehicle availability includes the trade in of the vehicle it's replacing.					
	ROLL CALL VOTE:  Mr. Connors – Weatherly  Mrs. Krawchuk – Palmerton  Ms. Neff - Lehighton  Mr. Strubinger - Jim Thorpe  Mrs. DeMelfi - Panther Valley	s No Absent Abstain			
Admir	inistrative				
A.	MOTION by SECONDED by to at 2024 Valedictorian and Salutatorian based on t 2024.	othorize the Principal to name the CCTI heir class ranking through March 25,			
	VOTE: YES NO ABSENT	ABSTENTIONS			
В.	MOTION by SECONDED by to ap of the following revised CCTI policy, as preser				
	#118 (PROGRAMS) - Capstone Cooper	rative Education (Encl. 10)			
	VOTE: YES NO ABSENT	ABSTENTIONS			

C.	MOTION by SECONDED by revised CCTI policy, as presented:	he following
	#007 (JOINT OPERATING COMMITTEE PROCEDURES) - Distril	oution (Encl. 11)
	VOTE: YES NO ABSENT ABSTENTIONS	
D.	MOTION by SECONDED by to approve the following position for the Health Medical technical area:	on descriptions
	Coordinator for Pennsylvania Department of Education CNA Program	n (Encl. 12)
	<ul> <li>RN Supervisor for the Health medical/Certified Nurse Aide Program</li> <li>Medical &amp; Health Assistant/Certified Nurse Aide Instructor</li> </ul>	'
	VOTE: YES NO ABSENT ABSTENTIONS	
E.	MOTION by SECONDED by to approve the Agreement for N Services with St. Luke's Physician Group, Inc., as presented.	Medical (Encl. 15)
	VOTE: YES NO ABSENT ABSTENTIONS	
F.	MOTION by , SECONDED by that the Agreement of Affiliation between the Carbon Career & Technical Institute Medical and Health Assi Certified Nurse Aide Program be approved, as presented:	
	St. Luke's Pavilion	
	VOTE: YES NO ABSENT ABSTENTIONS	
G.	MOTION by SECONDED by to approve the 2024-2025 CCTI Alternative High School Diploma Program calendar, as presented.	Carbon (Encl. 17)
	VOTE: YES NO ABSENT ABSTENTIONS	
Admi	inistrative Reports	
A.	MOTION by , SECONDED by to accept Administrative Report following:	rts from the
	<ul><li>a. Mrs. Michelle Allen, Principal</li><li>b. Mrs. Christine Trovato, Facilitator of Special Education</li><li>c. Mrs. Francine Kluck, Adult Education Site Supervisor</li></ul>	(Encl. 18) (Encl. 19) (Encl. 20)
	VOTE: YES NO ABSENT ABSTENTIONS	

## XIV. Old Business

XV.	New and Miscellaneous Business			
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		VOTE: YES NO ABSENT ABSTENTIONS		
	В.			
		VOTE: YES NO ABSENT ABSTENTIONS		
	C.	MOTION by SECONDED by to acknowledge receipt of the conferreports submitted by Nate Rinda, Director of Technology, after attending the Pennsylvania Educational Technology Expo & Conference (PETE & C) Februar 2024 at the Hershey Lodge, Hershey, PA. (Enc.)		
		VOTE: YES NO ABSENT ABSTENTIONS		
XVI.	Next I	Regularly Scheduled Meeting: Thursday — April 18, 2024		
XVII.	Adjou	urnment		