

Mercer County ESC Business Advisory Council Quarterly Meeting #1 September 14, 2023

Serving Celina, Coldwater, Fort Recovery, Marion Local, Parkway, St. Henry and Versailles Schools, and Business Partners throughout the Region

7:30 am Welcome!

Jared Ebbing Director, Mercer County Community/Economic Development Sandi Holdheide, Career Navigator, Mercer County ESC Share one Commitment from August 3, and your progress to that Commitment

7:35 am Informational Insights

<u>August 3, 2023 Kick-Off Data Summary</u> Sandi Holdheide, Jared Ebbing

<u>Class of 2023 ESC High School Graduation Data</u> and Regional In-Demand Jobs Update Sandi Holdheide, Jared Ebbing

• In-Demand Jobs Survey: https://topjobs.ohio.gov/survey/in-demand-jobs-survey#/

7:45 am Work Session: Finalizing our 2023-24 BAC Plan (Due September 30, 2023) (approximately 20-30 minutes per section)

Worksheet 1: Initiatives/Action Steps to "Develop Professional Skills for Future Careers"

• Skill Development Hand-Out: What do "soft skills" look like for you?

Worksheet 2: Initiatives/Action Steps to "Build Partnerships"

• *New* Mercer County SOAR with STEM Ecosystem Missy McClurg, ESC Personalized Learning Specialist

Worksheet 3: Initiatives/Action Steps to "Coordinate Experiences"

- Introduction to Manufacturing Pre-Apprenticeship/ Industry-Recognized Credential Tammy Eilerman
- <u>Industry-Recognized Credentials</u>, Seals and Graduation Requirements Tony Stahl, Superintendent, Fort Recovery Local Schools Brian Stetler, Assistant Director, Tri Star Career Compact

9:15 am *Moving Forward: By-Law Approval, Next Steps and Concluding Thoughts*Jared Ebbing, Tammy Eilerman, Sandi Holdheide, Shelly Vaughn

• Save the Date for Quarterly Meeting #2: Thursday, November 30, 7:30-9:30 am

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