

ADVISORY BOARD
CAREER PATHWAYS COMMITTEE
MEETING MINUTES

Meeting of February 05, 2026

Microsoft Teams
2:00pm

Attendees Present

Mr. Keith Norton, Committee Chair
Mr. Jeffrey Auker, Board Member
Ms. Patricia Feeney, Board Member
Mr. Lance Hall, Board Member
Dr. Kelli-Marie Vallieres, Board Member
Dr. Karen Wosczyzna-Birch, Board Member

Board Members Not Present

Mr. Lance Hall

Staff Present

Dr. Alice Pritchard, CTECS Executive Director
Mr. Michael Crocco, CTECS Superintendent
Dr. Nikitoula Menounos, Assistant Superintendent
Mrs. Ronke Stallings, Chief Strategy and Engagement Officer
Mr. Marc Hussey, CTECS Education Consultant

Agenda Items with Discussion and Actions Taken by Board

- I. **Call to Order:**
Committee Chair, Mr. Keith Norton called the meeting to order at 2:03pm.
- II. **Public Participation:**
There was no public participation.

III. **Consideration of Minutes:**

Mr. Norton motioned, Board member Wosczyzna-Birch moved, and Board member Feeney seconded approval of the October 02, 2025 committee meeting minutes.

Vote: In Favor: Auker, Feeney, Vallieres, Wosczyzna-Birch

Opposed: 0

Abstained: Norton

Absent: Hall

Motion carried.

IV. **Dual Enrollment: CT State MOU Signing**

CTECS Education Consultant, Mr. Marc Hussey presented the report to the Board.

V. **Partnership Update: Junior Achievement**

CTECS Chief Strategy and Engagement Officer, Mrs. Ronke Stallings presented the report to the Board.

VI. **Work Based Learning (WBL) Update**

CTECS Assistant Superintendent, Dr. Nikitoula Menounos presented the report to the Board.

VII. **Adjourn:**

Committee Chair, Mr. Keith Norton motioned, Board member Vallieres moved, and Board member Wosczyzna-Birch seconded for the meeting to adjourn.

Vote: In Favor: Auker, Feeney, Norton, Vallieres, Wosczyzna-Birch

Opposed: 0

Abstained: 0

Absent: Hall

Motion carried.

The meeting adjourned at 2:39pm

Board Liaison: Mrs. Ronke Stallings, Chief Strategy and Engagement Officer