



Administrative Council Meeting

Minutes Thursday January 19, 2023 pm Zoom

Welcome/Call to Order 8:30 am

Present: Mike Cognetti (217) Frank LaMantia & Terri Makenas (218), Julie Jooste (220), Derek Sefcik & Jen Faro (229), M. Knoeke, R. Fariha, M Long (230), Amy Kazin (231), JoAnne Jenkins, Tomekia Smith, Emmanuel Esparza, Panos Hdjimitsos (MVCC), Anne Cothran, Suzanne Kendryna, Michelle Cognetti (MACS)

Absent: Katie McMillan, Kelly Lattyak & Jamie Holt, C Ebel, M Long (230),

January Minutes Approval -Motion – Frank LaMantia, Second Julie Jooste. Approved.

MVCC Updates- Emmanuel Esparaza from Moraine Valley Community College discussed the college bridge Grant and DE classes covered. In addition, and new teacher or course requests for FY24 should submit paperwork asap.

Dr. Cothran gave updates on requirements for the Recruitment and Retention Plan, and Illinois Pathway Endorsements. ISBE Issued a new course list which is not yet reflected in the course matrices or the ISCS system. Those need to be updated before we can review for possible local changes. Dr. Cothran also showed members the shared Approved Program file in which each district has an extra page that reflects compliance with approved program requirements and status towards fulfilling Pathway Endorsement requirements. Employability Skills are now referred to as Cross-sector skills.

Properties lists/Inventories – Dr. Cothran thanked Administrative Council members for keeping properties lists/inventories updated

ISBE Computer Science Standards – Dr. Cothran shared the current Illinois Computer Science standards

ISCS Verification Reports – Next week Dr. Cothran will run FY23 enrollment reports for Approved CTE programs for each school to review for possible corrections.

Activity Reports should be completed by the end of January. Thank yos to all who have already completed.

Report-out on December 8 trip to Leyden – Administrative Council members discussed the Cook County CTE trip which included a tour at Leyden facilities and the opportunity to Network with their counterparts from other Cook County EFEs. Frank LaMantia gave a comprehensive overview.

Other: Dr. Cothran thanked Suzanne Kendryna for creating the new MACS Newsletter for the Administrative Council, the first edition of which was released this week. SD 218 will attend Legislative Day, please let Frank know if want a group MACS table. Possible date conflict for MACS March AC meeting.

Adjourn 9:38 am