



Region 5 Works Council Meeting Minutes

March 12, 2014

4:00 pm – 6:00 pm

Area 31 Career Center

1200 N. Girls School Rd.

Indianapolis, IN 46214

Attendance: Remo Mezzatta, Cindy Frey, Randy Decker, Ron Hoke, Nicole Elam, Bill Turner, Jay Ricker, Dave Shane, John Newby, Scott Bess, Brooke Huntington, David Findlay

CTE Awareness Grant: Council Members Remo and Robert Taylor are the leads. They spoke and presented the idea for the GoBuild campaign. Much discussion over the campaign.

Discussion Items:

- Council members inquired about using the Mayor's "Stop the Violence" program as another vehicle for partnering with municipalities to help the ex-offender population to get jobs and put them in a career path.
- How do we organize counselors to go out into factories or other industries to gain knowledge and information for students?
- A common language needs to be used—industrial maintenance vs construction trades—how do we tie all of these things together?

Data Analysis: Explanation of data from council members Ron Hoke and John Newby.

Future Discussion:

- Technology, basic skills and competencies across all sectors
- How can a Work Ethic Certificate program be embedded into regular course work?