WYOMING STATE BOARD OF VOCATIONAL EDUCATION

June 17, 2011
Hathaway Building, Basement
Cheyenne, Wyoming

Wyoming State Board of Vocational Education members present: Dana Mann-Tavegia, Ron Micheli, Joe Reichardt, Hugh Hageman, Scotty Ratliff, Kathy Coon, Cindy Hill, Sue Belish, Larry McGarvin, and Jim Rose

Members absent: Matt Garland, Pete Gosar, and Walt Wilcox

Also present: Teri Wigert, Wyoming Department of Education (WDE); Joe Baker, WDE; Linda Scott, WDE; Teresa Canjar, WDE; Bill Pannell, WDE; and John Shumway, Attorney General's Office (AG)

CALL TO ORDER

Chairman Joe Reichardt called the meeting to order at 12:50 p.m.

Teresa Canjar conducted roll call and established that a quorum was present.

APPROVAL OF AGENDA

Sue Belish moved to approve the agenda as presented seconded by Ron Micheli, motion carried.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Minutes from the February 22, 2011, State Board of Vocational Education teleconference were presented for approval.

Ron Micheli moved that the minutes be approved, seconded by Sue Belish, motion carried.

INTRODUCTION

Teri Wigert introduced her team. She is here today to provide additional information about CTE and to address the question proposed in Sheridan-to provide a status report on where the state is on rolling out the charge in the state's strategic plan.

She will acquaint you with where our students are at the national level and at the state level.

Teri directed the group to the brochure entitled "Reflect, Transform, Lead: A New Vision for Career Technical Education." This booklet is a unique way of telling what the national vision is for career technical education. It is a reactive vision to the initiatives

that states are already rolling out including Wyoming. This brochure was released last summer and is a current vision. Every state director had an active role in creating this vision. She then highlighted the five principals in the gold bands.

She then went into the handout entitled "Learning that works for America" and "Learning that works for Wyoming", and highlighted many of the bullet points.

This strategic plan is the department's framework, guiding document for requesting money through the legislative biennial process, and our guide on what we should do next. This document is four years old; it was acquired in May 2007. Teri explained the reporting system: green (ongoing and sustained), yellow (progress has been made), and red (limited progress has been made). She then provided a summary of progress in the ten areas: legislative alignment, content standards, plans of study, curriculum, delivery systems, articulation, teacher preparation, assessment, finance, and accountability.

The State Board of Vocational Education adjourned at 2:10 p.m.

The next Wyoming State Board of Vocational Education meeting will be September 22-23, 2011 at the Vee Bar Guest Ranch in Laramie, Wyoming.