



Shoreline Community College

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**SHORELINE COMMUNITY COLLEGE
CHRYSLER'S MOPAR CAP ADVISORY COMMITTEE MEETING**

PROGRAM: MOPAR CAP

DATE: December 14, 2016

PLACE: Conference - Room #2179

TIME: 11:00 a.m.

**Present: Levi Chipps, CarPros CJDR
Aschlee Drescher, Haselwood Auto Group
Bill Jones, CDJR of Seattle
Michael Starke, West Hills CJDR
James Zerhire, Chairperson**

College Representatives:

**Ken Campbell, MoparCAP Instructor
Guy Hamilton, Dean**

WELCOME AND INTRODUCTIONS:

Ken Campbell, MoparCAP instructor, welcomed the group and introductions were made.

Guy Hamilton, Science Dean, was introduced to the group as our new head of the department. It was explained to the group that Michael Boehm has reverted to his job in the Workforce Department.

COMMITTEE CHAIR

James Zerhire has been the Chairperson for many years and it is now time to nominate a chair. One of the members of the Board, Bill Leavitt, was unable to attend. Bill Leavitt was appointed by the group to be the chairperson. James Zerhire called Bill on the telephone and made him aware of the decision of the Board. He accepted and is now the new Committee Chair.

ENROLLMENT REPORT

Ken Campbell reported that we are always looking for techs and told the group to send techs through our program.

Two high school automotive programs have been cut in the Hazelwood area because it is a very expensive program to run and money is always an issue.

The college can help fund a student if necessary. We have a lot of worker retraining money to give out.

Guy Hamilton asked the committee what their needs were. Some of the answers were shortage of techs and another was benefits for techs. Guy also mentioned a capital campaign was coming to get the auto training center expanded. Shoreline Community College Automotive program is the flagship for our school.

We are looking at some cuts. We are also looking at building a dorm which should open doors for students.

Ken said there were 11 students in class and 10 in coop for Winter quarter.

FCA & SCC HAS SIGNED AN AGREEMENT

Ken reported we now have a signed contract with FCA for their training class which is done here in our shop.

DIESEL TRAINING

Ken Campbell told the committee we are looking for diesel training and it could happen soon.

TUITION AND TOOL PROGRAM

Haselwood has the student sign up for a 2 years if the dealership buys tools. If they want tuition paid they have to sign up for a 5 year employment.

MENTORING

Students need a good mentoring system at the dealerships. They must keep moving up the ladder or you will lose them. When they graduate from the program they are on Level 2.

KEN CAMPBELL RETIRING

Ken announced that we was supposed to retire in December of 2016 but due to a failed search for a replacement, his new date is June 2017. He mentioned to everyone that we are looking for a master tech to replace Ken and if they knew of anyone who fit the part, to let them know that we have an opening.

COMMENTS FROM GUY HAMILTON

He mentioned that our GST program is expanding. They will be taking in 24 students.

We are looking at different scenarios at resolving our situation in automotive for the Director.

Shoreline is very committed to the automotive programs.

ADDITONAL ITEMS

Ken can get a high school student a School ID # and get them started on the web based site.

NEXT MEETING

Our next meeting will be in May 10 and will be run differently than in the past. It will consist of all the programs – GM, Honda, Chrysler and Toyota.

Meeting adjourned 1:00 p.m.