

# Owens Community College

Automotive Technology Advisory Meeting

Date: October 30, 2006

Location: Café Marie

Industrial Attendees: Bob Kazmierczak, Kurt Michaels, and David Marrufo

Student Attendees:

Owens Attendees: Rich Hausmann, Tracy Campbell, and John Hryinyak

Topic	Discussion/Rationale	Recommendation/Decision/Action
Call to Order	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Meeting to order at 11:00.</li></ul>	
Enrollment and Retention Report	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Tracy Stated that enrollment is down for the fall semester and is also currently down for the spring semester from this point last year.</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Kurt stated that other colleges and proprietary school are hitting the high schools very hard.</li></ul>
Faculty Report	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Rich stated that the programs are moving forward with the new equipment and curriculum.</li></ul>	
Student Report	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• No report at this meeting.</li></ul>	
Outcomes Assessment Report	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• No report at this meeting.</li></ul>	
Outcomes Competency Validation	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• No report at this meeting.</li></ul>	
Program and Curriculum Enhancements	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Equipment has been purchase for the automotive technologies since our last meeting.</li><li>• Tracy asked the committee what they are currently using for diagnostic tools.</li> <li>• Tracy told the committee that AUT 142 scan tool operation has been incorporated in the AUT 110 Service fundamentals course. The students needed basic scan tool operation early in their education.</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Brake lathe tooling, press, drill press, bead blaster, bore scope, small engines lift.</li> <li>• David stated they use a range of tools. While Bob stated they mostly use the Delphi system. Owens currently is using snap on Modius, OTC Genysis and Ease. The committee stated that these tools are sufficient for diagnostic repair.</li></ul>

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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Tracy reminded the committee of the automotive service management major and if they have current employee's looking to move into management to consider this major.</li><li>• David asked if Owens is teaching TPMS (tire pressure monitoring systems) in its curriculum. These systems will be mandated in the 2007 model year and needs to be part of the program. Bob agrees that it should be part of the program.</li><li>• Tracy stated that the program is currently developing Curriculum for a Hybrid and alternative fuels class. Goal is to have this ready for fall 07.</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Tracy will look into getting the tooling and training to make this part of the curriculum of the AUT 110 and AUT 130 classes.</li></ul>
Equipment, Facilities, and Staffing	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Tracy told the committee that the college has received 6 vehicles that are 06 and 07's to its fleet. This gives the students the latest technology to work with.</li><li>• Tracy stated that we are currently looking to hire a part time recruiter for the Transportation Technologies. We are hoping to fill this position with in the next 30 days.</li></ul>	
Accreditation Status	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Tracy thanked the committee for their help with the mid program review for NATEF certification.</li></ul>	
Other	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Bob stated that Eric Johnson did not receive the invitation to the meeting.</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Tracy will check this issue.</li></ul>