Drafting BLC Meeting July 7, 2022 E102 12 noon

Those present: Edie Carter, Dean of STEM; Barbara Wahi, Director of Work Based and Experiential Learning; Dr. Adrine J. Harrell-Carter, Perkins Basic Grant Project Director; Kevin Cheek, Coordinator Employer Relations, HSI-STEM Grant; Carrie Hoffman, Coordinator of Drafting Program; Eric Combs, AISD; David Galvan, McCracken Electric/Spectrum Eng.; Jeremy Matthews, Altura Engineering & Design; Jacob Moreno, Altura Engineering & Design; Cory Acton, Sage Oil Vac; Adolfo Garcia, Hi-Plains Civil Engineers; Ryan Francis, AC; David Nowell, Sims + Architects; Stacey Parker, TXDOT; Richard Evers, Xcel Energy; Joshua Milford, City of Amarillo; Travis Brown, Brown Consulting Engineers, Inc.; and Penelope Davies.

<u>Welcome</u>: Barbara Wahi welcomed each present and introduced Edie Carter, Dean of STEM. Edie also welcomed each of the participants and stressed the importance of AC's Earn and Learn program.

<u>Drafting BLC</u>: Barbara explained the Business and Leadership Council for Drafting. She emphasized the importance of each of the participants to share their thoughts and recommendations for our Drafting curriculum and program at AC.

Barbara facilitated the topics beginning with Work Activities to the Think Creatively sections of the information attached.

Kevin Cheek facilitated the topics from Thinking Creatively to the Tools sections of the information attached.

Dr. Adrine Harrell-Carter facilitated the Tools section of the information attached.

The general information shared was the importance of the entry level students to be aware of how to draft. The specific needs of the different companies varied to the companies' focus and vision.

Barbara thanked each of the participants for their openness and willingness to partner with Amarillo College to help develop our curriculum for our Drafting Program.

There being no further business the meeting was adjourned at 2:20 pm.

Respectively submitted,

Penelope Davies

Carrie Hoffman