

## **CTE Committee Special Meeting (Virtual)**

Meeting Minutes June 26, 2024 2:00 P.M. – 3:00 P.M.

**MEMBERS PRESENT** 

Myra Norton, Chair Matt Holloway Dr. Carey Wright
Dr. Donald Boyd Secretary Wu Rob Limpert
Secretary Anderson Charnetia Young

MEMBERS ABSENT

Brian Cavey Secretary Rai

**GWDB STAFF** 

Molly Mesnard John Strickland

## **WELCOME & OPENING REMARKS**

Chair Norton welcomed members and introduced new member Robert Limpert. Chair Norton emphasized the importance of the ERT plan in supporting LEAs with CTE implementation.

## CTE EXPERT REVIEW TEAM DEPLOYMENT PLAN SY 2024-2025

The CTE Expert Review Team (ERT) Deployment Plan for SY 2024-2025 was presented by John Strickland and Jackie Kraemer, Director, Policy Analysis and Development at the National Center for Education and the Economy (NCEE). The CTE ERT plan aims to monitor progress in creating a robust CTE system across Maryland, targeting visits to 13 Local Education Agencies (LEAs) in the first year. The strategy focuses on district-level visits rather than individual schools, with at least two schools visited per LEA. The goal is to establish a baseline understanding of CTE implementation and track progress toward the target of 45% of high school graduates completing a Registered Apprenticeship or earning an industry-recognized credential.

The presentation highlighted successful pilot visits to Queen Anne's and Anne Arundel counties. Committee members discussed data collection, support for LEAs, and the iterative nature of the process. The plan was described as flexible, while also

providing support, as well as eventual recommendations for policy changes. Overall, the Committee recognized the plan's significance in supporting the broader goals of the *Blueprint for Maryland's Future*.

A motion was made to approve the CTE ERT Deployment Plan and submit it to the Accountability and Implementation Board (AIB) for review and approval. The motion was seconded and approved.

## **ADJOURN**

The next meeting is scheduled for August 28th, to be hosted by MSDE. Meeting adjourned at approximately 3:00 PM.

The recording of the meeting can be found <u>here</u>.

Approved by the CTE Committee on August 28, 2024.