

OHIO BOARD OF REGENTS

Agenda Item 3.8     Warren County Joint Vocational – Community College – University Pilot Partnership Plan

**RESOLUTION**

BE IT RESOLVED: upon recommendation of the Chancellor and with the concurrence of the Program Effectiveness, Research and Technology Committee of the Ohio Board of Regents that the Warren County Joint Vocational – Community College - University Pilot Partnership Plan is provisionally approved. The provisional status of the recommended approval will be removed upon staff receipt of a revised plan by July 6<sup>th</sup> incorporating information requested by Regents staff and after it is determined that the information is complete.

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## **BACKGROUND**

### **Warren County Joint Vocational – Community College – University Pilot Partnership Plan**

Section 89.14 of Am.H.B. 95 of the 125<sup>th</sup> General Assembly calls for the Warren County Career Center and their local workforce policy board to submit a plan to the Regents for the operation of a pilot partnership program similar to the Lorain County Community College's University Center. The pilot program focus is improving access to higher education for the citizens of Warren County.

The pilot partnership plan has been reviewed by staff and it is recommended that the plan be provisionally approved with the condition that significant information identified by Regents staff not currently included in the plan be incorporated into the plan and submitted to the Regents for review by July 6, 2004. Questions needing answers are listed below. The provisional status of the recommended approval will be removed upon staff receipt of the requested information and determining the information provided is complete.

#### Marketing

- How will the marketing function be managed? What is the plan?
- What have been identified as the key needs and expectations of the pilot effort's targeted populations?
- What is the forecasted level of use of the services to be delivered?

#### Career Pathway Program Development

- What are the specific elements of the service delivery model to be piloted?
- What are the specific career pathways? What are the outcomes to be achieved and measured?
- How will the higher education institution partners collaborate in the development of career pathways?
- What are the major career pathways programmatic objectives and milestones to be achieved during the pilot?

#### Program Operations

- Who will assume top-level responsibility for the pilot effort, and what are that person's qualifications for doing so?
- What is the management and leadership structure?
- What specific policies will guide the pilot effort and all of its partners?

#### Evaluation

- Who has responsibility for the completion of the evaluation?