

Meeting Minutes

Fall Advisory Meeting

11/09/23

8:00 am

Location: Holbrook Chamber of Commerce

NPC members in attendance: Kurry Klingel & Charlene Klingel – Faculty in Business

The meeting opened at 8:00 am with food brought in by the Holbrook Chamber of Commerce.

There were 2 people in attendance, plus the 2 NPC faculty that showed.

Kurry Klingel from NPC gave a presentation about the NPC business department and the programs they offer. The “relaxed” presentation (since there were only 2 in attendance) started at 8:05 am with an NPC quiz game and ended at 8:20 am. Towards the end of the presentation, there was mention of NPC wanting to offer a Bachelor of Applied Management (BAM) degree and the fact that the degree will be “stackable” to accommodate non-business majors. The conversation was left with the college needing to finish certain steps in the process to see that this degree is launched sooner rather than later. Questions and comments were taken from the chamber members and answered by Kurry Klingel.

One suggestion was mentioned by the audience that the college should do more marketing of their career programs to make them more attractive to students... right now, NAVIT programs seem to be grabbing the attention of local high school students as NAVIT is in their face more. They hear more about that than other programs offered by NPC.

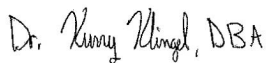
Charlene Klingel mentioned that she teaches an NPC Economics course through the TALON program to local Holbrook H.S. students.

The members of the meeting mentioned that the attendance was so low due to this being a November meeting, as usually, they would have a higher number of around 15-18 in attendance. This might be a meeting we will want to revisit next school year, earlier in the Fall of 2024.

Of the 2 members that did attend this meeting (the Mayor of Holbrook being one of them), both of them stated that they would like to attend our yearly spring BUS dept. advisory meeting and have been added to our email list to contact.

The faculty left the meeting and headed to SCC at 9:00 am.

Signed:



Kurry Klingel, DBA