Board Update 11.08.22

Mid Ohio Educational Service Center
Director of Grants & Special Projects

Business Advisory Council

Mid-Ohio Business Advisory Council will hold the next meeting on November 30, 2022 at the 179th Air Wing Base. The agenda is aligned to the Quality Practices and is set to include:

- Current State of Business update from Richland County Economic Development (Quality Practice 1)
- Address on the future workforce needs from Colonel Hamilton (Quality Practice 2)
- Progress Updates from each county's BAC Action Team Quality (Quality Practice 3)

Other Business Advisory Council Activity has included:

- Superintendent WAGE tours are complete. View the draft video here. Superintendent feedback indicates that
- Action Teams have made the following progress:
    - Richland
        - Communication with individual partners to gather information for a Career Road Map
        - Reviewing formats for a Hackathon
        - Exploration of process for Pre-Apprenticeships
    - Morrow
        - School needs assessment survey was created and administered. 100% of Morrow County Schools participated.
        - Business participation survey has been distributed by the Chamber
        - Added 16+ partners
        - First in-Person Full Action Team Meeting November 17, 2022 and includes a tour of the STEM lab at Selover Library
    - Crawford
        - Superintendent WAGE tours took place on October 25th.
        - School needs assessments will take place in person via visits from Chair Miranda Jones (Crestline-Galion Chamber). A business survey has been drafted with distribution plans for November. Miranda has a grant from Area 10 Workforce Board to provide staffing for activities, focused on Career Mentoring.

After School & Summer Learning Grants (SPARC Council) "READY FOR HIRE"

AFTER SCHOOL 22-23

The Ohio Department of Education has finally put a team in place to manage these grants at the department. There are a number of new expectations for compliance and reporting that will be of focus in the next three months.

- A Desk Review is Due November 23rd
- New targets must be submitted to the state aligned to Ohio's Future Forward Plan
- A reporting "survey" is due to the University of Cincinnati in January and July

- ODE is also backtracking to Summer 2022, asking grantees to report data. The requirements and format will not be available to review until November 15th. The information is due on December 16th.

Ready for Hire Program staff are focusing on continued site development. Currently we have 85 students enrolled and counting.

21st Century Community Learning Center Grants (at Galion)

- Violette Chinni, Miles Burson and I have been working on the data collection and documentation requirements for the Desk Audit that is due December 16th for the high school grant. There is a new question on the innovation portion of this grant that requires the creation of a separate evidence collection document. We are working as a team to create and complete this information.
- The federal outcomes window is now open, however, we did not collect the data in the format that is needed for the reports. I am working on pulling this information from our data spreadsheets in order to complete these reports.
- The University of Cincinnati surveys are similar to the federal reports in terms of the format of data. There have been errors on their end with the survey links, and additional requests for information. I am working to ensure we have all completed by the December 16th deadline.
- The next round of reports begins in January.