



December 8, 2014

Minutes

Attending Jackie Freeze, Miranda Miller, Sherri Lovercheck, Steve Thulin, Don Anderson, Tim Wright, Will Clark, Joe McCann, Jake McIntosh, Patrice Noel, Joe Schaffer, Judy Hay, Sara Axelson, David Anton

1. Minutes from November 19: Minutes approved with a change to remove Kathy Dolan's name from attendees at the meeting with the Governor.
2. Report on the CCW Convening: Several of the members who attended the Convening in Miami reported on the session. There was a major focus on guided pathways and more discussion of remediation. No mention of performance funding and no data presented on an correlation between performance-based funding and student success. The group felt that it was a good affirmation of what we are doing in Wyoming in terms of crafting a more independent and grass roots effort to serve our students. The faculty attendees said their appreciated getting the national perspective.
3. Feedback on the College Readiness Definition: David talked about the feedback he received from the campuses. Most said that there was not much response and it was agreed that the timing of the request was probably not the best. David will update with corrections and will provide everyone with a new definition which we can share during the spring start-up. The group also discussed getting more involvement from K-12. We will see if Summer has feedback from the Superintendents and Principals and wait until the new Superintendent of Public Instruction is on-board and ready to take on these types of issues. We will schedule a meeting with the Governor in February and include the new superintendent at that time.
4. Metrics update: Jackie reported that she has met with the Community College IR people to identify the strategy for data gathering. She will be sending them a template and working with UW to provide their data as well. The goal is to do the first data gathering in February. The metrics were streamlined by the IR people a bit more and the progress metric of annual hours completed was added to match the suggestions from the community college presidents. Jackie send everyone a new summary of the metrics with all of the detail stripped out so that people have a working document to share.

5. Marketing effort: Jackie shared the new brochure and the postcard and the group had a discussion about the time of mailing the Postcard to Legislators. It should be send out no later than the first of January and preferably sooner. Further edits were due to Jackie by Dec. 15.
6. Other
 - a. There will be no meeting on Dec. 28. Jackie will cancel
 - b. Jackie will send out a doodle poll for a “live” meeting in March/April

Next meeting: Jan. 7