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## **2021-2022 PLAN for Piqua City Schools Business Advisory Council (BAC)**

### **Mission Statement:**

*The Piqua Business Advisory Council, in partnership with Piqua City Schools, and additional local businesses, will assist in the assessment of workforce needs and employability skills for student success in the community and regional economy.*

### **The BAC Responsibilities:**

1. To advise the Piqua City School District on changes in the economy and job market and the area in which future jobs are most likely to be available.
2. To advocate for the employment skills most critical to business and industry and the development of curriculum to teach these skills.
3. To aid and support the Piqua City School District by offering suggestions for developing a working relationship among businesses, labor organizations, and educators.

### **Membership:**

- Scott Bloom – Curriculum Director
- Clint Bostick - Board Member
- Matt Cox - Polysource
- Mimi Crawford – Crayex
- Dan French – French Oil
- J.J. Frigge – Hartzell Propeller
- Jason Haak - UVCC
- Jean Heath - Retired UVMC
- Jeremie Hittle – Treasurer
- Rob Messick - PHS Principal
- Scott Rasor – Park National Bank
- Jim Sever - Piqua Steel
- Kathy Sherman – Chamber of Commerce
- Elizabeth Soldes – PHS Guidance Counselor
- Dwayne Thompson – Superintendent
- Tony Trapp - UVCC
- Cynamyn Williams – Harmony Systems and Services

### **Meeting Dates:**

**The BAC will meet on the following dates during the 2018-19 school year:**

- Tuesday, September 14, 2021, 8:00 AM
- Tuesday, December 7, 2021, 8:00 AM
- Tuesday, February 8, 2021, 8:00 AM
- Tuesday, May 3, 2021, 8:00 AM

### **Plans for the BAC:**

- Ensure that the BAC and Piqua Board of Education work in tandem.
- Ensure that the BAC and Piqua Board of Education prepares a joint statement to meet ODE requirements so that it can be submitted to by the required date of March 1<sup>st</sup>, 2021.
- Review BAC Timelines per Ohio Department of Education.
- The BAC will work together with Piqua City Schools to determine how to best meet the spirit of the law and continue to work on the three key responsibilities of the group in order to best serve Piqua students and the community at large.
- The BAC will work in tandem with the Piqua Chamber of Commerce to develop a Student Leadership program where high school students will work with local company HR and CEO individuals to develop a plan that will effectively entice and guide students into the local job market. This plan will be shared and used locally to increase student employment while assisting local hiring agencies fill employment gaps.

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