

FAME Pipeline Meeting Minutes - June 5th, 2015

Attendees: Mike Kelley, Bob Lasch, Stacy Kelly, Marisa Pennetta, Jeannie Brockmyre, Andrea Badger, Rick Murphy, Pete Boldt, Eileen Rucinski, Yvette Pagano, Nancy Schrader, Tammy Rudy, Pat Gopen, Joyce Cymber, Julia Graf, Keith Austin

Summer Tours for Teachers

- This may not work during the summer due to teachers being off and on vacation, or teaching summer school
 - Might be less willing to come in during summer break without pay
 - Mike Consadine has grant funding that would pay for teachers in his district
- Set up a few different dates/times for tours
 - Late August, teachers are starting to get back into teaching mode
 - Teachers responsible for summer school would likely prefer early July
 - Last week in June is bad!
- Would companies be able to allow teachers to bring their family/kids?
 - Might be more likely to attend (no babysitters, etc)
 - Might also entice some additional future employees!

Manufacturing Day/Month

- 1st Friday of October is Manufacturing Day/October is Manufacturing Month
- Kickoff at Fingerlakes Works with their Hands (10th year!)
- Companies can add tours/open house info to www.mfgday.com
- Clusters of tours through FAME/Schools will happen throughout the month
 - First part of the month focus on schools that don't attend FLWWH
 - Later part of the month to focus on FLWWH schools

H1B Grant

- Extended for another year
- New students will receive a 1-year certificate
- Enrollment is DOWN at MCC for these programs
- Students need to be registered by August
 - 60 seats needed to fill

Training Grant with University of Rochester

- Eileen to send information electronically
- Companies use interns from this program
 - Reimbursed half their wages (minimum \$13/hour) for duration of the internship
- For unemployed individuals, mainly, but can accept students and a few teachers
 - 20 open spots

SAME (Monroe County)

- 8 students currently registered
- Approved for two courses, but likely only one will happen
- Three week program

- Similar to City School District's "Summer of Opportunity" which is a 6 week program, half days, for ages 16-21