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Wisconsin Apprenticeship Advisory Council Access and Outreach Subcommittee

Monday, October 5, 2026
10:00am – 12:00pm

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Agenda

1. Call meeting to order
2. Record attendees
3. Review and approve previous meeting minutes
4. Certified Pre-Apprenticeship programming review
 - Review current CPA data
 - Review updated DOL Guidance
 - Review current CPA requirements and provide any recommendations for updates
5. Adjourn



In-Person and/or Virtual: Virtual

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Access & Outreach Subcommittee

Nick Abbott

1. Call Meeting to Order

Note Who: Jesse Cannizzaro

Note Time: 10:01am

2. Introductions and Record Attendees (in table above)

3. Review and approve previous meeting minutes-

Motion made by: Henry Hurt

Second by: Shirron Jude

Motion passed w/ no corrections

4. Mental health training for apprentices and provide recommendations for Council –

State committee member presentation to the subcommittee.

- a. Brett Large from Insulators Local 19 union provided an overview of mental health resources and training made available to apprentices.

Review of current state committee identified resources.

- a. The committee discussed BAS summary document including state committee feedback.

Discuss mental health training grant funding and recommendations.

- a. BAS notified the sub-committee they have received a small amount of funds to utilize over the next 3 years to research options for this type of training in partnership with WTCS and DWD.

Discuss potential next steps for state committee guidance.

- a. Committee discussed beginning to work on outreach and education to build buy in for a potential requirement or recommendation in the future.

Consider potential recommendations to the Council.

- a. The subcommittee voted to recommend the following;
- b. Council tasks BAS with conducting further research and determining opportunities for outreach utilizing newly received grant funds.
- c. Council makes a statement in support of sponsors providing mental health training and resources for apprentices.
- d. Council tasks BAS with performing additional outreach to stakeholders regarding the topic of mental health training for apprentices.
 - a. Motion by Henry Hurt
 - b. Motion seconded by Dan Webster
 - c. Motion passed.

5. Adjourn

Note Time: 11:45 am

Motion to Adjourn made by: Henry Hurt

Motion Seconded by: Dan Webster