Resolution to Support the myFutureNC Attainment Goal

WHEREAS, The myFutureNC Commission is a statewide organization focused on educational attainment and is the result of cross-sector collaboration between North Carolina leaders in education, business, and government; and

WHEREAS, The myFutureNC Commission has concluded that North Carolina should have a goal that 2 million North Carolinians will have a high-quality post-secondary degree or credential by 2030; and

WHEREAS, The High Country Workforce Development Board (HCWDB) is the voice for workforce development in North Carolina, comprised of 7 counties (Alleghany County, Ashe County, Avery County, Mitchell County, Watauga County, Wilkes County, and Yancey County) with approximately 215,632 residents, the High Country Workforce Development Board is dedicated to enhancing North Carolina's workforce by supporting local jobseekers and employers/business and industry statewide.

WHEREAS, The High Country Workforce Development Board, along with partners through NCWorks, help advance the skill and educational attainment of workers in North Carolina.

WHEREAS, The High Country Workforce Development Board agrees that North Carolina faces a gap, between attainment of, and the projected need for citizens with post-secondary degrees or credentials.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, THAT:

High Country Workforce Development Board supports the attainment goal of myFutureNC Commission that 2 million North Carolinians should have a high-quality post-secondary degree or credential by 2030; and

High Country Workforce Development Board will continue to foster partnerships across the state with other Workforce Development Boards and agency partners to achieve the goal.

Adopted this the 12th day of September 2019, by the High Country Workforce Development Board.

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Jeff Dreyer
Vice-Chair, High Country Workforce Development Board (HCWDB)

The High Country Workforce Development system helps employers meet their workforce needs, helps individuals build careers, strengthens the local economy, and meets the challenges of global competition.

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