



Chair: David Pharr Director: Steve Lockett
Serving Polk, Rutherford, McDowell and Cleveland Counties

Resolution to Support the myFutureNC Attainment Goal

WHEREAS, the myFutureNC Commission (the Commission) was chartered to involve the leaders of the education, business, philanthropy, faith-based and non-profit communities from across North Carolina in developing an educational goal for our state; and

WHEREAS, the Commission has concluded that North Carolina should have as a goal that 2 million North Carolinians will have a high-quality post-secondary degree or credential by 2030 (up from 1.3 million today); and

WHEREAS, the Region C Workforce Development Board is committed to helping employers in our local area meet their workforce needs while helping job seekers and youth find a rewarding career pathway; and

WHEREAS, employers in the local area served by the Region C Workforce Development Board has approximately 13,000 openings over the next ten years and many of these jobs require some type of education and training beyond a high school diploma; and

WHEREAS, most jobs in the local area served by the Region C Workforce Development Board that pay a family sustaining wage require some type of education or training beyond a high school diploma; and

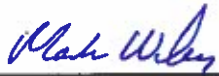
WHEREAS, employers in advanced manufacturing, healthcare, transportation, distribution and logistics, hospitality and tourism, construction, skilled trades, automotive and aviation and other sectors in the area served by the Region C Workforce Development Board depend on a highly skilled workforce; and increasing post-secondary credential attainment will help employers meet their talent needs.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED BY THE REGION C WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT BOARD AS FOLLOWS:

1. That the Region C Workforce Development Board strongly supports the myFutureNC Commission post-secondary credential attainment goal that 2 million North Carolinians will have a high-quality degree or post-secondary credential by 2030.

2. That this Board will continue to foster partnerships across our local area's education continuum and with leaders in business, philanthropy, and government to achieve this goal.
3. That this Board will work with employers, educators, government, non-profit organizations, and workforce partners to increase the number of high-quality post-secondary credentials awarded in the local area to help meet the statewide myFutureNC attainment goal.
4. That this resolution shall be effective upon its adoption.

Adopted this day the 6th of February, 2020



Mark Weber, Vice-Chair
Region C Workforce Development Board