



## Advisory Committee Meeting #1

Date 10/16/24 | time: 6am | Meeting called to order by: Rob Matthews

### In Attendance

Kurt Druffel, Tom Tippet, Matt Kincaid, Joel Whitman,

Minutes approved Kurt Druffel, 2nd Tom Tippet.

### Old Business

CGI Legacy program- Lane Hannas came on Tuesday and did the first lesson in Plant Science. 250 bushels of wheat donated, the sale of which will all go towards remodeling the greenhouse in 2 years (unless a grant is available this year). Still need costs for greenhouse remodel.

### Advisory Committee (Yearly Housekeeping Items)

- A) **Elect Chairperson(s)** – This person will also attend the General Advisory Committee (GAC) Meetings.

Chairperson assigned: Kurt Druffel

- B) **Set Advisory Meetings Dates, Time and Place**

a. Meeting between January 9<sup>th</sup> and February 10<sup>th</sup>, 2025

Date: 1/29 Time: 7pm Place: Ag Room

b. Meeting between April 10<sup>th</sup> and May 12<sup>th</sup>, 2025

Date: 4/23 Time: 6am Place: Roost

- C) **Update Advisory Committee Member Roster**

#### ADVISORY COMMITTEE MEMBERS

NAME	COMPANY	TITLE	ADDRESS	PHONE	EMAIL
Mike Whitman	J&M Whitman farms	Owner			
Marla Haugen	Busch Farm Trust	Co-owner			
Matt Kincaid	Helena Agri-enterprises	Branch manager			
Kurt Druffel	NDS Farms	Manager			
Tom Tippet	Retired Helena Ag				

Joel Whitman	J&M Whitman farms	Owner			
Cat Salois	McGregors	Research manager			

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## Classes & CTSO Update

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What is going well and what needs to be improved?

**Classes:** Plant Science- we have been working on a marketing unit and a soils unit, taking a field trip to Stratton Cutting garden (marketing) and WSU Soil Science (tomorrow). Already have herbs growing again for the Culinary class, one of our Plant Sci 2 students is putting together a vertical garden to grow them throughout the winter.

Physical Science- small class, just finishing up a fluid pressure and “how to science” unit, moving into thermodynamics and SAE introductions.

Biology- 2 full sections, 15 greenhands so far. Intro to evolution, Creed, SAE’s. Planning a field trip to WSU wheat breeding again once we get to genetics in December.

Vet Science: Full class. Focusing on Anatomy & Physiology and body systems, learning animal breeds. Planning to contact Vet’s to see about guest speakers/helpers once we start our procedural units this winter and a trip to WSU Vet Hospital.

**FFA:** Going well, had our Greenhand night last week inducting 15 new members. Just completed our first apple sale with the Alumni, bringing in almost \$3,000. This is in place of our swag sale. Next week I am bringing 4 members (Clover Matthews, Tom Call, Addison Ollgaard, Bri Rasmussen) to the National FFA convention and one other is a state Delegate (Matthew Druffel). Been focusing on Potato judging (11/20), with 4-5 other contest practices starting after convention (Employment skills, Horse Eval, Sales, Ag Issues, Ag Mech). Looking at hosting our trapshoot on 2/1 at the Colton Gun club, have quite a few new members interested in participating.

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## 4 Year Plan/Program of Work

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Review a 4 year plan, set goals/make a plan for what will be achieved this year.

### Program Goals

1	Pricing for Greenhouse remodel determined by December 15th
2	Frameworks for Vet Science 2 submitted to CAC before 1/15
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## Goal Action Plan Worksheet

Strategies & Action Steps	Responsibility	Timeline	Evidence of Effectiveness
Collect greenhouse costs	Matt Kincaid	12/15	Costs found
Propose Vet 2	Rob Matthews	12/15	Proposal to CAC

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### Program Review & Approval

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Instructor Approval – approval of current year’s instructors/suggestions for professional development.

**Motion Required**

None needed, this happened in spring meeting minutes.

Review Articulations

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### New Courses/Materials

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Are there any classes/courses that you are submitting for approval for Spring semester and/or next school year? Are there any course materials you need for new/current courses?

Investigating Vet Sci 2.

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### Labor/Market Data

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Determine a need for courses/programs based on labor market data. (see links below for help with labor data)

<https://esd.wa.gov/labormarketinfo/LAAO>

<https://projectionscentral.org/home>

<https://www.onetonline.org/>

<https://www.bls.gov/ooh/>

		<b>SEE ATTACHED LABOR MARKET DATA</b>

**Motion Required**

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Next Meeting (Date, Time and Location) 1/29/25 7pm, PHS Ag room

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## LABOR MARKET DATA

Course Name	CIP Code	Washington Data	National Data
Veterinary Science	010302	Projected Growth: 9%  Annual Openings: 82 currently, 25,800 over next 10 years for <b>Vet Tech and assistant</b> positions.	Projected Growth: 6% Annual Openings: 100,00 in next 10yrs
Plant Science 1&2	011101, 010607	Projected Growth: 6-8% Annual Openings: <b>Plant/Soil Scientists</b> -1,700 projected next 10yrs, 6 currently.	Projected Growth: 6% Annual Openings: 100,000 in next 10yrs
Physical Science in Agriculture	010201	Projected Growth: 6-8% Annual Openings: <b>Ag Engineers</b> -100 projected, 6 currently.	Projected Growth: 6% Annual Openings: 100,000 in next 10yrs
Biology in Agriculture	030103	Projected Growth: 6-8%  Annual Openings: <b>Biologists</b> 6,400 next 10yrs, current 60.	Projected Growth: 6% Annual Openings: 100,000 in next 10 yrs
Journalism and Leadership in Agriculture Communications	010802	Projected Growth: 6-8% Annual Openings: <b>Marketing</b> - 34,800; 2,506 currently.	Projected Growth: 6% Annual Openings: 100,000 in next 10yrs