



STATE BOARD GENERAL SESSION

Anne Kaiser, <i>Madam Chair</i>	Chunk Newman
Doug Carter, <i>Vice Chair</i>	Richard Porter
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Shan Cooper	Trey Sheppard
Ben Copeland	Shirley Smith
Lynn Cornett	Michael Sullivan
Jay Cunningham	Phil Sutton
Tommy David	Baoky Vu
Mary Flanders	Dinah Wayne
Randall Fox	Tim Williams
Buzz Law	Joe Yarbrough

Approved Minutes

Thursday, October 4, 2018

11:15 a.m. – 11:39 a.m.

System Office

1800 Century Place, 2nd Floor

Atlanta, Georgia 30345

Absent: Ben Bryant, Ben Copeland, Sr., Lynn Cornett, Mary Flanders, Randall Fox, Sylvia Russell, Shirley Smith, Michael Sullivan,

I. WELCOME AND CALL TO ORDER

Madam Chair Anne Kaiser

Madam Chair Kaiser called the October 4, 2018 State Board meeting of the Technical College System of Georgia [TCSG] to order at 11:15 a.m. She welcomed the attending State Board members, the technical college presidents and the TCSG staff; thanking everyone for their participation during their respective committees. She also thanked Ms. Tjazha Mazhani and the SkillsUSA medal winners for their participation in the committee of the whole.

II. CHAIR'S COMMENTS

Madam Chair Anne Kaiser

Madam Chair's first order of business was to call for a motion to approve the minutes from the September 6, 2018 State Board meeting. **Motion was made by Mr. Joe Yarbrough, was seconded by Ms. Dinah Wayne, and passed approval by the Board unanimously. Minutes stand approved.**

III. COMMISSIONER'S COMMENTS

Commissioner Matt Arthur



Commissioner Matt Arthur began by thanking the board for all their hard work for attending the meeting today. TCSG has had a great month since our last board meeting.

- September 11-12, 2018 Presidents' Council in Macon
- September 13, 2018 Media Training
- September 18-19, 2018 Adult Education Conference
- September 21, 2018 Dooly County Chamber Charity Event in Cordele, GA
- September 24, 2018 AEAH meeting, Chair of the Board
- September 25, 2018 Keynote at the Council for State Personal Administrators

That concluded the Commissioner's report.

IV. COMMITTEE REPORTS

COMMITTEE CHAIRS

- Academic Affairs

Shan Cooper for Lynn Cornett

- I. Academic Standards and Programs

Motion (Approval of AAS Degree and Technical Certificate of Credit):

MOTION: The motion was made by Ms. Shan Cooper that the college requests listed below to offer a degree program and a technical certificate of credit be approved effective the semester specified for the request. Any fiscal requirements to begin this program must be approved through the standard budget approval process. The motion was seconded by Mr. Chunk Newman. The board voted and the motion was unanimously approved.

DISCUSSION:

Albany Technical College - Degree program in E-Commerce, EC53, 66 Credit Hours, effective August 2019

The Associates of Applied Science in E-Commerce program will allow students to attain the skills necessary to engage in business transactions in an online environment. Students in this program will be uniquely situated between the business, management, marketing, and information technology fields; therefore, equipping students with a diverse technical background. Career opportunities with an AAS degree in E-Commerce will prepare students for entry level positions in market research, web design/maintenance, e-Commerce analysis, or other specializations within the industry. The college's goal is to enroll at least 40 students in the first year and increase that to 80 students by year 3.



Enrollment Projections:

Day Students Year 1: 25 Year 2: 35 Year 3: 45

Evening Students Year 1: 15 Year 2: 25 Year 3: 35

Wiregrass Georgia Technical College - TCC program in Agribusiness Manager, AM21, 13 Credit Hours, effective January 2019

Wiregrass Georgia Technical College (WGTC) is seeking the approval of the Agribusiness Manager Technical Certificate of Credit to offer at an area high school. One of the high schools within the WGTC service area has requested this technical certificate to fulfill the need for more advanced training in the agriculture field. WGTC currently offers a horticulture degree and diploma as well as a few technical certificates on the Valdosta campus and Abraham Baldwin Agricultural College offers 2-year and 4-year degrees in agriculture. This program is a state standard and will adhere to all requirements set forth by the State Board of the Technical College System of Georgia. The first year's cost of the program estimated to be \$12,500.00 which includes the adjunct instructor's salary. Funding will come from tuition and fees. The college estimates 10 students beginning the first year and hopes to increase enrollment to 15 by the third year.

Enrollment Projections:

Day Students Year 1: 10 Year 2: 15 Year 3: 15

II. **Program Termination**

MOTION: The motion was made by Ms. Shan Cooper that the college request listed below to terminate the technical certificate of credit program be approved for the semester specified for the request. The motion was seconded by Mr. Tommy David. The Board voted and the motion was unanimously approved.

DISCUSSION:

Wiregrass Georgia Technical College

TCC program in Ornamental Iron Specialist, OIS1, effective January 2019.

III. **Approval for Program Standards and Revisions**

MOTION: The motion was made by Ms. Shan Cooper to approve program standards and revisions for October 2018. The motion was seconded by Mr. Joe Yarbrough. The Board Voted and the motion was unanimously approved.

State Board Standards and Revisions Summary for October 2018

Major Code	Program Name	Program Development	Award Level	Credit Hours
AA41	A+ and Microsoft Client Certification	Augusta	TCC	19
CU71	Cisco Certified Network Associate (CCNA) Security	Augusta	TCC	23
CEC3	Commercial Electrical Construction Technology	Wiregrass Georgia	Degree	64
CEC2	Commercial Electrical Construction Technology	Wiregrass Georgia	Diploma	57
EC53	E-Commerce	Albany	Degree	66
IN71	Industrial Maintenance Technician	Oconee Fall Line	TCC	9
PT71	Phlebotomy Technology Specialist	Southern Crescent	TCC	18

That concluded the report.

• **Adult Education**

Joe Yarbrough for Ben Copeland

I. Transition Plan

Martha Ann Todd announced the transition plan upon Beverly's retirement. She will serve as the Adult Education State Director until a replacement is hired.

II. Instructional Services

Bobby Creech gave an update on instructional services and the reports can be found in the Dropbox

III. GED Testing

Latanya Overby gave an update on GED Testing. The GED Board Report with data through August shows 1501 graduates and 5339 customers served through the customer service center. The report can be found in Dropbox

IV. Professional Development and Transition Resources



Carla Debose gave the committee an update the Fall conference. Fall Conference was well received with over 40 different sessions. Early evaluations and feedback are pointing to this being one of the best with content being directly aligned with the statewide needs assessment. Program Administrator Leadership Academy was also well received and scored high evaluation marks.

V. Certified Literate Community Program (CLCP)

Annaliza Thomas updated the committee on upcoming event for CLCP. Three fall regional CLCP meetings will be held at the following times and locations.

- **North Regional Cobb County CLCP**
October 10, 2018- 10 am to 12:30pm
Cobb Works, Inc.
- **Central Regional**
Hosted by Bib County CLCP D.R.E.A.M. Team
October 24, 2018- 9 am to 12 pm
Central Georgia Technical College
- **South Regional**
Hosted by Tift County CLCP
November 7, 2018- 9 am to 12 pm
Southern Regional Technical College

VI. Workforce Development

Joe Dan Banker updated the committee on the Office of Workforce Development. He shared the Organizational Chart and the function of each department.

That concluded the report.

• **External Affairs and Economic Development**

Doug Carter

I. Quick Start

- For the month of September there were 5 prospects for a total of 4,300 potential new jobs and 4 announcements for 880 jobs.
- Quick Start hosted the new Georgia Department of Economic Development project managers for a QS briefing and tour.
- Quick Start representatives attended the GEDA Annual Conference in Savannah.
- The Next Generation Manufacturing Signature Event was held October 2.
- The 2018 Southeastern Automotive Conference is currently being held at the Cobb Galleria.



II. Communication Department

- Launched digital marketing campaigns for Lanier Tech and Atlanta Tech in early September
- Sponsoring the Southern Automotive Conference at the Cobb Galleria with table activation (Oct. 3-5).
- Geo-fencing the Southern Automotive Conference with digital ads promoting TCSG's automotive programs.
- Held GOAL/Rick Perkins planning committee meeting and college coordinator meeting Sept. 10-11 in Macon.
- Held a ½ day media training session with senior leadership.
- Appointment of Dr. Tavaréz Holston was covered in the AJC, Atlanta Biz Chronicle, Covington News, Gainesville Times, and Chronicle of Higher Education
- Sponsoring the Georgia National Fair in Perry (Oct. 4-14) – expecting 500,000 attendees over 10 days
- Geo-fencing Georgia National Fair (Oct. 4-14)

III. Legislative Affairs / Foundation

- A proposal to a local foundation was funded. \$150,000 for the Last Mile Fund.
- Looking for additional Foundation Board Members.

IV. Economic Development

- 44,783 trainees served in Contract Training with 1,757,826 training hours and a revenue of 9.6 million. For continuing education 2,637 trainees served with 888,379 training hours and revenue of 5.7 million.

That concluded the committee's report.

• Facilities and Real Estate

Chunk Newman

I. Approval of Real Estate Transactions

MOTION: The motion was made by Mr. Chunk Newman to authorize the staff to prepare appropriate requests to the State Properties Commission seeking its approval of, and assistance with the execution of the following real estate transactions. The motion was seconded by Mr. Joe Yarbrough. The Board voted and the motion was unanimously approved.



- A. **Coastal Pines Tech** - Rental of 125 SF to Division of Child Support Services

DISCUSSION: Coastal Pines Technical College requests approval to surplus and the rental of 125 square feet portion of Building 4000(BLLIP ID # 19151) at Jesup Campus to the Department of Human Service-Division of Child Support Services, for 1 year at the annual rental rate of \$10.00, with an option to renew for 1 additional year.

- B. **Oconee Fall Line Tech** – Rental of 100 SF to Division of Child Support Services

DISCUSSION: Oconee Fall Line Technical College requests approval to surplus and the rental of 100 square feet portion of the Porter Building (BLLIP ID # 17395) at South Campus to the Department of Human Service-Division of Child Support Services, for 1 year at the annual rental rate of \$10.00, with an option to renew for 1 additional year.

- C. **Southeastern Tech** – Rental of 96 SF to Division of Child Support Services

DISCUSSION: Southeastern Technical College requests approval to surplus and the rental of 96 square feet portion of the Main Building A (BLLIP ID # 1719) at Vidalia Campus to the Department of Human Service-Division of Child Support Services, for 1 year at the annual rental rate of \$10.00, with an option to renew for 1 additional year.

II. **Approval of Construction Contracts**

MOTION: The motion was made by Mr. Chunk Newman to authorize the Commissioner to execute the construction contracts listed below at a cost not to exceed the amount stated for each request. The motion was seconded by Ms. Shan Cooper. The Board voted and the motion was unanimously approved.

- A. **Chattahoochee Tech** - \$164,572.00 with McKenney's Inc.

DISCUSSION: Chattahoochee Technical College requests approval on the execution of a construction contract for "Building B Cooling Tower" on the Marietta Campus of Chattahoochee Technical College, with McKenney's, Inc., Atlanta, GA in the amount of \$164,572.00, using bond funds.



B. Columbus Tech - - \$256,902.56 with Prime Contractors

DISCUSSION: Columbus Technical College requests approval on the execution of a construction contract for "Machine Tool Renovation" on the Main Campus of Columbus Technical College, with Prime Contractors, Douglasville, GA in the amount of \$256,902.56, using bond funds.

C. Georgia Northwestern Tech - \$246,153.36 with Osprey Management, LLC

DISCUSSION: Georgia Northwestern Technical College requests approval on the execution of a construction contract for "Building 100 Renovation" on the Walker County Campus of Georgia Northwestern Technical College, with Osprey Management, LLC, Norcross, GA in the amount of \$246,153.36.00, using bond funds.

D. Southern Regional Tech - \$354,869.65 with J.J. Morley Enterprises, Inc.

DISCUSSION: Southern Regional Technical College requests approval on the execution of a construction contract for "Chiller Replacement" on the Decatur County Campus of Southern Regional Technical College, with J.J. Morley Enterprises, Inc., Alpharetta, GA in the amount of \$354,869.65, using bond funds.

E. Southern Regional Tech - \$269,626.00 with J.J. Morley Enterprises, Inc.

DISCUSSION: Southern Regional Technical College requests approval on the execution of a construction contract for "HVAC Controller Upgrade" on the Decatur County Campus of Southern Regional Technical College, with J.J. Morley Enterprises, Inc., Alpharetta, GA in the amount of \$269,626.00, using bond funds.

III. Approval of Construction Contract Change Orders

MOTION: The motion was made by Mr. Chunk Newman to approve the change order listed below at a cost not to exceed the amount stated for each request. The motion was seconded by Ms. Dinah Wayne. The Board voted and the motion was unanimously approved.



A. South Georgia Tech - \$8,239.00 with Benning Construction Company

DISCUSSION: South Georgia Technical College requests approval of change order in the total amount of \$8,239.00 to project "Renovation of the Odom Center", under a construction contract with Benning Construction Company, Atlanta, GA. The TCSG Board, at its meeting on June 7, 2018, approved a construction contract with Benning Construction Company in the amount of \$311,645.00, using local MRR bond funds. The total accumulated change order amount of \$68,623.67 will exceed 20% of the original contract and Board approval is required.

Mr. Chunk Newman thanked Sara Honeywill and her staff for keeping the committee update on all the projects underway.

That concluded the committee's report.

• **Governance, Compliance and Audit**

Tommy David for Michael Sullivan

I. Clery Act Compliance:

A System Office Clery Compliance Team has been established to support the colleges in their compliance efforts.

II. Behavioral Intervention Teams (BITs):

System Office Public Relations personnel developed a BIT Team Marketing Plan, several CARE logos and other marketing materials. These items were shared with all of the teams. The BITs or CARE teams have utilized orientations and other start of the school year activities to educate faculty, staff and students about the BIT/CARE teams.

III. Naloxone Program

Chiefs and Directors at all 22 colleges are in the process of obtaining more Narcan along with refresher training from the GA Department of Public Health.

IV. Approval of Mutual Aid Agreements

MOTION: The motion was made by Mr. Tommy David to approve the proposed Mutual Aid Agreements as listed in the Board Materials. The motion was seconded by Ms. Shan Cooper. The Board voted and the motion was unanimously approved.



DISCUSSION: Legislation recently passed allowing us to enter into Mutual Aid Agreements with other law enforcement agencies, and this legislation mandates that these agreements must go to the State Board for approval. The Mutual Aid Agreements have been reviewed by TCSG and follow the approved format.

V. Approval of Local Board Member Appointments/Reappointment

MOTION: The motion was made by Mr. Tommy David to approve local board member appointments as listed in the Board materials. The motion was seconded by Mr. Jay Cunningham. The Board voted and the motion was unanimously approved.

That concluded the committee's report.

• **Operations, Finance, and Planning**

Tim Williams

I. Expenditure Requests

MOTION: The motion was made by Mr. Tim Williams for the State Board to authorize the Commissioner to purchase the designated items or execute the requested contracts for the system office and technical colleges listed below at a cost not to exceed the amounts stated. The motion was seconded by Mr. Tommy David. The Board voted and the motion was unanimously approved.

1. **TCSG/GDOL** – Request to approve proposed Memorandum of Understanding for FY2019 between TCSG and Georgia Department of Labor Business Services Unit; cost not to exceed \$253,601.00. **State funds are available for this expenditure.**

DISCUSSION: Legislation passed appropriating state funds to TCSG for customized recruitment activities to be performed in FY2019 (July 1, 2018 thru June 30, 2019). This agreement provides a portion of such funds to Georgia Dept. of Labor Business Services Unit for the purpose of developing and providing a customized recruitment process meant to support companies recently relocated to Georgia.

2. **TCSG/Oracle**– Request to pay Oracle for annual Oracle software maintenance fees for FY19 at a cost of \$695,806.00. **State funds are available for this expenditure.**



DISCUSSION: This expenditure is to pay the annual licensing, maintenance and support fees to Oracle for FY19 for the database software at each of the technical colleges and the system office. Oracle database software is required to support our student information system (Banner and DegreeWorks). The system office uses Oracle as the database software for the data warehouse and reporting systems (KMS, GALIS and TEAMS).

3. **Athens Technical College** – Audio/Visual equipment including installation services from Technology Integration Group to update 18 classrooms at two campus locations; cost \$217,001.00. **Obsolete equipment bond funds are available for this expenditure.**

DISCUSSION: Audio/visual equipment is needed to replace and upgrade instructional audio/visual systems in 18 classrooms at the Athens & Elbert campuses. Current equipment is old, out-of-date and no longer meets industry standards. Equipment includes projectors, instructor computers/monitors, amplifiers, controllers, screens and adjustable tables.

4. **Augusta Technical College** – Cirrus SR20 Aircraft from Lowe Aviation Instruments for Aviation Technology Program; cost \$179,500.00. **Federal grant funds are available for this expenditure.**

DISCUSSION: The Aviation Department at ATC is seeking to purchase a 2005 or newer Cirrus SR20 Aircraft to provide course instruction for students in the Aviation Maintenance Technology Program. The bidding price for the plane was reasonable based on market research, competitive and fell within the college's budget for this project.

5. **Savannah Technical College** – Request to utilize services from Focus of Georgia for temporary services for FY19 to supplement custodial & maintenance staff for all campus locations; cost \$213,013.00. **Local funds are available for this expenditure.**

DISCUSSION: The college is seeking to utilize temporary staffing services contract with Focus of Georgia for FY19 to provide additional support for custodial and maintenance staff at all four campus locations. Utilizing temporary staffing services to supplement custodial & maintenance staff saves the college a considerable amount of money when compared to filling these positions with full-time benefited employees.

That concluded the committee's report.



- **Executive Committee**

Madam Chair Anne Kaiser

Madam Chair Anne Kaiser thanked the committees for their reports.

I. Board Resolutions

MOTION: The motion was made by Mr. Doug Carter to approve four resolutions from the State Board of the Technical College System of Georgia to honor: The 2018 GOAL winner, 2018 Rick Perkins Award winner, 2018 EAGLE Award winner, and Wiregrass Georgia Technical College as a 2018 SkillsUSA National Model of Excellence Chapter. The motion was seconded by Ms. Shan Cooper. The Board voted and the motion was unanimously approved.
(Attachments A)

The 2018 GOAL winner, 2018 Rick Perkins Award winner, and 2018 EAGLE Award winner resolutions will be presented in Savannah at the Oct 30, 2018 State Board meeting.

That concluded the committee's report.

VI. OTHER BUSINESS

Madam Chair Anne Kaiser

Madam Chair Kaiser thanked everyone for attending the meeting. She reminded the board of several upcoming events.

- Oct. 16, 2018 9:30am Chattahoochee Technical College Health Sciences building groundbreaking
- Oct. 19, 2018 Lanier Technical College Ribbon Cutting
- Oct. 20, 2018 5pm 75th Anniversary of North Georgia Technical College
- Oct. 29-30, 2018 next board meeting coincide with Leadership Conference in Savannah

She also added the 2019 Proposed State Board meeting schedule is in the board materials and on the Board member's desk. Please review and let us know if you have any questions or comments.



Madam Chair Kaiser thanked Commissioner Arthur for his remarks during the General Session and congratulated all the 2018 SkillsUSA medal winners that attended the meeting today. Chair Kaiser hoped everyone would stay for lunch and if there was no further business for the board to discuss she asked for a motion to adjourn.

That concluded Madam Chair's comments.


ADJOURN

Madam Chair Anne Kaiser

Motion was made by Mr. Doug Carter to adjourn the October 4, 2018 State Board Meeting of the Technical College System of Georgia at 11:39 a.m. Motion was seconded by Mr. Tommy David. The Board voted and the motion passed State Board unanimously approved. Meeting stood adjourned.

Attachment A

TECHNICAL COLLEGE SYSTEM OF GEORGIA



A RESOLUTION

The State Board of the Technical College System of Georgia
wishes to recognize and commend

Wiregrass Georgia Technical College

as among the 2018 SkillsUSA National Model of Excellence chapters

Whereas, the SkillsUSA National Models of Excellence program promotes the intentional learning of personal, workplace and technical skills outlined in the SkillsUSA Framework for student development; and,

Whereas, achievement is measured by the effectiveness of student efforts in implementing essential skills including personal responsibility, integrity, work ethic and organization in chapter activities; and,

Whereas, Wiregrass Georgia Technical College was named among the top 24 SkillsUSA chapters nationally recognized as a Model of Excellence chapter after a competitive nationwide process; and,


Whereas, Wiregrass Georgia Technical College was selected as among the top 8 SkillsUSA chapters nationally recognized for implementing activities specifically related to the Workplace Skills component of the SkillsUSA Framework; and,


Whereas, Wiregrass Georgia Technical College is the first Technical College System of Georgia college to be recognized nationally as a Model of Excellence chapter; and,


Whereas, the members of the State Board of the Technical College System of Georgia now wish to recognize the exceptional attainment and outstanding success of Wiregrass Georgia Technical College as a 2018 SkillsUSA National Model of Excellence chapter; and,

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the State Board of the Technical College System of Georgia that we honor the choice of Wiregrass Georgia Technical College as a 2018 SkillsUSA National Model of Excellence chapter with this resolution and express our utmost appreciation, congratulations and respect for the unparalleled performance of Wiregrass Georgia Technical College during the past academic year.

Adopted this 4th day of October 2018


Anne Kaiser
Chair




Matt Arthur
Commissioner

STATE BOARD OF THE TECHNICAL COLLEGE SYSTEM OF GEORGIA

TECHNICAL COLLEGE SYSTEM OF GEORGIA*A RESOLUTION*

The State Board of the Technical College System of Georgia
wishes to recognize and commend

Stephanie O'Donoghue

- WHEREAS,** the Rick Perkins Award for Excellence in Technical Instruction program has recognized and honored the state's outstanding postsecondary technical education instructors since 1991; and,
- WHEREAS,** the state winner of this prestigious award is competitively selected from the technical colleges' local Rick Perkins Award winners, who represent all postsecondary technical education instructors throughout Georgia; and,
- WHEREAS,** Stephanie O'Donoghue is the 2018 State Rick Perkins Award Winner; and,
- WHEREAS,** Ms. O'Donoghue is an electrical and computer engineering technology instructor at Chattahoochee Technical College; and,
- WHEREAS,** Ms. O'Donoghue is making significant contributions to technical education through outstanding leadership and innovative instructional methodology; and,
- WHEREAS,** Ms. O'Donoghue exemplifies excellence and commitment to the mission of the Technical College System of Georgia; and,
- WHEREAS,** Ms. O'Donoghue has proven herself as a leader in technical education and serves as a role model for the thousands of students enrolled in programs throughout the state; and,
- WHEREAS,** as the 2018 *Instructor of the Year*, Ms. O'Donoghue will serve as a spokesperson for the Technical College System of Georgia;
- NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** that the State Board of the Technical College System of Georgia recognizes and commends

Stephanie O'Donoghue

for her professional achievements and efforts in promoting technical education in Georgia.

Adopted this 30th day of October 2018.


Anne Kaiser, Chair




Matt Arthur, Commissioner

STATE BOARD OF THE TECHNICAL COLLEGE SYSTEM OF GEORGIA

TECHNICAL COLLEGE SYSTEM OF GEORGIA*A RESOLUTION*

The State Board of the Technical College System of Georgia
wishes to recognize and commend

Katherine Ballard

WHEREAS, the Exceptional Adult Georgian in Literacy Education (EAGLE) program has recognized and honored Georgia's students throughout the state who have demonstrated exceptional achievement in adult literacy classes for 25 years; and,

WHEREAS, the 2018 State EAGLE Winner is competitively selected from the 26 participating EAGLE delegates, each representing their adult education program, community and thousands of other Georgians benefiting from adult education; and,

WHEREAS, Katherine Ballard is the 2018 State EAGLE Winner; and,

WHEREAS, Ms. Ballard, having been enrolled in the adult education program at Lanier Technical College, obtained the necessary skills, resources and confidence to become successful in a competitive workforce; and,

WHEREAS, Ms. Ballard, upon completion of the adult education program, would like to pursue a bachelor's degree in nursing to become a nurse midwife; and,

WHEREAS, in pursuing her education, Ms. Ballard has brought honor to herself, her family, her adult education program, and the Technical College System of Georgia by being selected as the system's *2018 Adult Education Student of the Year*; and,

WHEREAS, as the 2018 State EAGLE Winner, Ms. Ballard is a spokesperson for adult education in Georgia and will make public promotional appearances for said purpose;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the State Board of the Technical College System of Georgia recognizes and commends

Katherine Ballard

For her academic achievements and strides in promoting adult education in Georgia.

Adopted this 30th day of October 2018.


Anne Kaiser, Chair




Matt Arthur, Commissioner

STATE BOARD OF THE TECHNICAL COLLEGE SYSTEM OF GEORGIA

TECHNICAL COLLEGE SYSTEM OF GEORGIA*A RESOLUTION*

The State Board of the Technical College System of Georgia
wishes to recognize and commend

Crystal S. Wright

- WHEREAS,** the Georgia Occupational Award of Leadership (GOAL) program has honored and rewarded Georgia's outstanding technical education students for 47 years; and,
- WHEREAS,** the 2018 State GOAL Winner is competitively selected from the 23 participating collegiate GOAL winners, each representing their technical college, community, and thousands of other Georgians benefiting from postsecondary technical education; and,
- WHEREAS,** Crystal Wright is the 2018 State GOAL Winner; and,
- WHEREAS,** Ms. Wright, by attending Georgia Piedmont Technical College, is obtaining the necessary skills, resources, and confidence to become successful in Georgia's strategic workforce; and,
- WHEREAS,** Ms. Wright, upon completion of the interdisciplinary studies program, will pursue a rewarding career in the nursing profession that allows her to utilize her life skills and the knowledge she has gained through technical education; and,
- WHEREAS,** in pursuing her education, Ms. Wright has brought honor to herself, her family, her technical college, and the Technical College System of Georgia by being selected as the system's *2018 Student of the Year*; and,
- WHEREAS,** as the State GOAL Winner, Ms. Wright is a spokesperson for technical education in Georgia and will make public promotional appearances for said purpose;
- NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** that the State Board of the Technical College System of Georgia recognizes and commends

Crystal S. Wright

for her academic achievements and strides in promoting technical education in Georgia.

Adopted this 30th day of October 2018.



Anne Kaiser, Chair





Matt Arthur, Commissioner

STATE BOARD OF THE TECHNICAL COLLEGE SYSTEM OF GEORGIA