
Career Preparation Network EFE 060 Chief Executive Officer Council Meeting

Regular Meeting

Thursday, October 15, 2026 | 12:00–1:30 p.m.

Career Preparation Network Office or via Google Meet

Agenda

1. Collaboration Time

2. Call to Order

3. Roll Call

- Dr. Navarre, Bloom Township #206
- Dr. Coglianese, Crete-Monee #201-U
- Dr. Norrell, Homewood-Flossmoor #233
- Dr. Anthony, Prairie State College #515
- Dr. Thomas, Rich Township #227

4. Approval of Meeting Minutes

- a. Approval of June 2026 Meeting Minutes

5. FY26 Grant Closeout and Final Reimbursements

Final spend-down and funds to be returned to ISBE; extended-year reporting completion, final reimbursements, and outstanding purchase documentation.

6. FY27 Joint Agreement Budget – Presentation and Action

- a. Budget overview: staffing costs, local contributions, and revised leadership funding.
- b. Approval of the FY27 Joint Agreement Budget.



7. Director's Report and Discussion/Presentation Items

Presented by Michael Cicirale, Executive Director. The written report provides supporting detail for Items 5–7 and additional updates.

- a. FY27 CTEI and Perkins Grants
- b. FY27 Fiscal Reporting and Audit Update
- c. ISBE Monitoring Compliance and Equipment
- d. Elementary Career Development Grants
- e. CTE Teacher Connect Day
- f. Regional Career Pathways and Workforce Partnerships
- g. Southland Career & Technical Education Center Grants
- h. Statewide CTE Funding Advocacy

8. District Updates

- a. Bloom Township #206
- b. Crete-Monee #201-U
- c. Homewood-Flossmoor #233
- d. Prairie State College #515
- e. Rich Township #227

9. Meeting Adjournment

10. Next Meeting

Thursday, January 14, 2027 | 12:00–1:30 p.m.