

**Francis Tuttle Automotive Collision Repair Technology
Advisory Committee Meeting
May 20, 2010 7:00 PM**

Members Present

Bobby Durham
Randy Tull,
Jeff Davis,
Mark Binion,
Dennis L. Moore., Instructor

After dinner, meeting was called to order by Dennis Moore. Members were welcomed.

Dennis reviewed the activities of the 2009-2010 school year. Bobby Durham asked how we track students and how many students are placed each year. Dennis Moore explained how the ODCTE follow-up process is utilized. Each year instructors must enter information about students from the previous year. This information included their current educational and employment status. Programs are required to maintain certain goal levels.

Dennis asked the committee about student job placement for the summer. The shops are running at full capacity on work because of the recent hail storms. Employers would call as the need arises to hire students.

Industry and equipment changes were discussed. An equipment change to Inverter technology spot welders was discussed. Mark Binion stated that our resistance spot welder was obsolete, and many of the manufactures now require Inverter technology spot welders. Dennis told the group that he had budgeted for updating to the new welder.

The committee toured the shop and looked at changes done in the remodel last summer. Members commented on the improvement in the look of the floors and the new lighting.

Having no other business; meeting adjourned at 8:30 pm