

Creation of the Corporate College

Resolution Number 2011-53

WHEREAS, the statute that created Indiana Vocational Technical College in 1963 has been amended many times since and, with the evolution of the College and subsequent creation of Ivy Tech Community College in 2005, the statute now specifically adds to the College's mission the responsibility to provide economic and workforce development support to the state's employers and communities, and

WHEREAS, the College has for the past 30 years provided training services to local employers through its division of Workforce and Economic Development and its predecessor Business and Industry Training, and

WHEREAS, the College and Indiana's employers have achieved much success through their combined efforts to match training opportunities with the employer needs, and

WHEREAS, the College has an opportunity and responsibility to greatly expand its services to businesses and corporations of the state and beyond, where appropriate, and to create a business model for the sale and delivery of these training services, and

WHEREAS, the president has presented a plan to the State Board of Trustees for the redesign of the organization, services and branding of the College's outreach and service to employers,

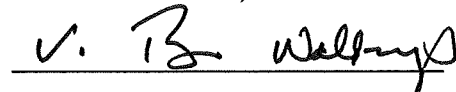
NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT, the State Board of Trustees shares the President's vision for College's expanded role in workforce training and believes that such initiatives will further the College's ability to fulfill this crucial part of the College's mission,

AND FURTHER BE IT RESOLVED THAT the State Board of Trustees hereby endorses the creation of the Corporate College as the new arm of Ivy Tech Community College that reaches out to and serves the training needs of Indiana's employers.

Signed by



Lee J. Marchant, Chair



V. Bruce Walkup, Secretary

Dated August 11, 2011