

**APPROVAL OF CONTRACT WITH
WILLIAMS CROWE INC dba AIDEX CORPORATION
LAFAYETTE CAMPUS**

RESOLUTION NUMBER 2026-2

WHEREAS, The Lafayette campus (“Campus”) is purchasing Process Operations Technology (PROC) training equipment to support workforce development in advanced manufacturing, advanced processing (including wet processing), and semiconductor fabrication support, and

WHEREAS, the “Campus” was awarded a Regional Economic Acceleration and Development Initiative (READI) grant to help fund the purchase of this equipment; and

WHEREAS, the equipment will be used to deliver PROC coursework through Ivy Tech Lafayette’s Industrial Technology pathway; and

WHEREAS, students will be trained to install, calibrate, operate, and troubleshoot integrated process systems rather than isolated components. Instruction focuses on process control, PLC-based automation, interpretation of Piping and Instrumentation Diagrams (P&IDs), and systematic troubleshooting, preparing students for real-world industrial operations; and

WHEREAS, the “Campus” has identified Williams Crowe Inc dba Aidex Corporation (“Williams Crowe”) as the supplier that can best meet the needs for purchasing the desired equipment; and

WHEREAS, the proposed cost of equipment and any related goods and services to be provided by “Williams Crowe” is anticipated to be \$921,492, but in any event will not exceed \$1,000,000; and

WHEREAS, the College staff proposes entering into an agreement with “Williams Crowe” for the purchase of the equipment; and

WHEREAS, the State Board of Trustees must approve any contract imposing a financial obligation on the part of the College exceeding \$500,000 unless the obligation was previously approved by the Board through the allocation of funds.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the State Board of Trustees hereby approves the College entering into a contract with “Williams Crowe” for the purchase of the goods and services described herein, and

FURTHER BE IT RESOLVED, that the State Trustees do hereby authorize and direct the President or Treasurer, or other appropriate designated College employee, to execute the contract with said firm after the documents have been approved by College Counsel.

**STATE BOARD OF TRUSTEES
IVY TECH COMMUNITY COLLEGE
OF INDIANA**



Kim Emmert O’Dell, Chair



Michael Dora, Secretary

Dated February 5, 2026