

**CITY OF GROVE CITY, OHIO
HIGHER EDUCATION INVESTMENT
COMMITTEE NOTES**

April 10, 2025

Regular Meeting

A meeting of the Higher Education Investment Committee was called to order at 4:00 p.m. in the Council Conference Room, City Hall. Roll was called and the following members were present:

Randy Holt Marjorie Brant Joey Hoffmann Eli Perkins Christine Galvin

Ex-Officio members present: Tami Kelly, Clerk of Council

1. Ms. Brant moved to approve the Minutes from 12/03/24; seconded by Ms. Galvin. Motion unanimously approved.
2. The Committee reviewed the Summer, 2025 Applicant List.

Ms. Kelly explained that there are seven (7) part-time applications for Higher Ed. and two (2) applications for Skilled Trade. Four (4) of the Higher Ed. applicants are in the Spring session and will need to submit grades and service hours before receiving Summer monies, if approved.

Mr. Holt moved to approve the two scholarships for Skilled Trade at the semester rate; seconded by Mr. Hoffman. Motion unanimously approved.

Mr. Holt moved to approve all Higher Education applications contingent upon receiving the required grades/volunteer hours from the previous semester from students in the Program; seconded by Mr. Perkins. Motion unanimously approved.

3. New Business:

Ms. Kelly said she received a request from an employee asking if the children of employees who do not live within the corporation limits of Grove City could be added to the program. The Committee considered this request and determined that it would not be in the spirit of the program. All members agreed that it is not the intent of the program to assist those who are not Grove City residents. The program is based on residency.

Mr. Holt asked about getting Mike Row to come and do something for the Career Academy in return for naming a wing after him or something. Ms. Galvin said she would check with the Board to see if they would be interested in pursuing this.

Mr. Holt commented that the reading scores for 4th & 5th graders in SWCS are bad. He is trying to find a way to assist with this and thought there could be a way to enhance this program. Members said they would consider a proposal when Mr. Holt has one.

4. The meeting adjourned at 4:38 p.m. by unanimous consent.


Tami K. Kelly, MMC
Secretary


Randy Holt
Chair