

IDAPA 55 – DIVISION OF CAREER TECHNICAL EDUCATION

55.01.03 – RULES OF CAREER TECHNICAL SCHOOLS

DOCKET NO. 55-0103-1701

NOTICE OF INTENT TO PROMULGATE RULES – NEGOTIATED RULEMAKING

AUTHORITY: In compliance with Sections 67-5220(1) and 67-5220(2), Idaho Code, notice is hereby given that this agency intends to promulgate rules and desires public comment prior to initiating formal rulemaking procedures. This negotiated rulemaking action is authorized pursuant to Sections 33-2205, 33-2211, and 33-1002G, Idaho Code.

MEETING SCHEDULE: Public meetings on the negotiated rulemaking will be held as follows:

**Thursday, April 20 - 10:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.
and
Friday, April 21, 2017 - 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.**

**Kootenai Technical Education Campus (KTEC)
6838 West Lancaster Road
Rathdrum, ID**

The meeting site will be accessible to persons with disabilities, if needed. Requests for accommodation must be made not later than five (5) days prior to the meeting to the agency address below.

METHOD OF PARTICIPATION: Persons wishing to participate in the negotiated rulemaking must do the following:

Persons wishing to attend the meeting should arrive at the KTEC building on April 20. The negotiations will be held over the two-day period. Attendees are encouraged to participate for the duration of the two-day meeting, as elements of the rule will be discussed both days. Individuals who cannot attend the meeting may provide written comments. All written comments need to be received on or before April 30, 2017.

Upon conclusion of the negotiated rulemaking, any unresolved issues, all key issues considered, and conclusion reached during the negotiated rulemaking will be addressed in a written summary. The summary will be made available to interested persons who contact the agency or, if the agency chooses, the summary may be posted on the agency website.

DESCRIPTIVE SUMMARY AND STATEMENT OF PURPOSE: The following is a statement in nontechnical language of the substance and purpose of the intended negotiated rulemaking and the principal issues involved:

The purpose of this negotiated rulemaking is to amend IDAPA 55.01.03, which are the rules governing Career Technical Schools. The proposed changes would more clearly define the approval criteria for a career technical school, the career technical component criteria, the calculation and distribution of funding, the oversight and accountability of the schools, and to make technical changes.

ASSISTANCE ON TECHNICAL QUESTIONS, SUBMISSION OF WRITTEN COMMENTS, OBTAINING DRAFT COPIES: For assistance on technical questions concerning this negotiated rulemaking or to obtain a preliminary draft copy of the rule text, contact Amy Lorenzo at (208) 429-5535 or amy.lorenzo@cte.idaho.gov. Materials pertaining to the negotiated rulemaking, including any available preliminary rule drafts, can be found on the Division of Career Technical Education's web site at the following web address: www.cte.idaho.gov.

Anyone may submit written comments regarding this negotiated rulemaking. All written comments must be directed to the undersigned and must be delivered on or before April 30, 2017.

DATED this 28th day of February, 2017.

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