Technology Advisory Committee Meeting Everett High School, Room B220 April 22, 2009, 5:30 – 7 p.m.

5:30 Welcome – Introduction

Lauri Beth Hull, Murray Gordon, Rob White, Marc Rosson, Maggie Thorliefson, and John Low

Robotics club report from Jackson, 4 engineers volunteered over 6,000 hours. Started with 35 students, ended up with about 15 students Competed in their first robotics competition.

5:40 Annual review of two-year plan

Question about alignment with national level tech standards.

Computer Programming, Java, video game programming

Career Component – IT Jobs – Health Care/Records, IT Green Jobs

Focus on basic technology concepts, less a+ exam questions more on concepts that make it all happen.

6:15 Green jobs are the hot trend. What, based on your industry, would you suggest as student projects that can promote green jobs?

For example: A fashion merchandising assignment to design or promote a style of dress. What "green" fabrics could be used?

Energy Auditors – ECC is looking at adding a program in this, you need basic computer, networking, security type skills
PUD is putting money into "smart grid" technology
Germany uses 30% solar power, a major supplier of the technology is a company from Ohio Power storage is an issue

6:45 "Did you know?" - Video

Conclusion, thanks to committee members, and gifts.

7:00 Adjourn

Thank you for your continued support of CTE!