## SCHOOLCRAFT COLLEGE 18600 Haggerty Road, Livonia, Michigan 48152-2696

AGENDA ITEM NO.	10-a	
MOTION NO.	2024-71	

REGULAR MEETING Board of Trustees September 25, 2024

# SUBJECT: Consider Approval - State of Michigan Appropriations for Local Strategic Value

**BRIEF:** This resolution states that Schoolcraft College has met 5 out of 5 best practices listed in the categories described by the Performance Indicators Task Force under Section 230, Part 2 of the Appropriation Line Item and Boilerplate History from the State of Michigan Senate Fiscal Agency.

Presented to the Board with the recommendation of the President.

#### **RECOMMENDATION:**

Moved by <u>Brian Broderick</u>, seconded by <u>Dillon Breen</u> that the Board of Trustees adopts the following resolution:

- WHEREAS Schoolcraft College has met 5 of the 5 best practices outlined in Category A, Economic Development and Business or Industry Partnerships,
- WHEREAS Schoolcraft College has met 5 of the 5 best practices outlined in Category B, Educational Partnerships,
- WHEREAS Schoolcraft College has met 5 of the 5 best practices outlined in Category C, Community Services,
- THEREFORE LET IT BE RESOLVED that the Board of Trustees verifies that Schoolcraft College has met the above best practices described by the Performance Indicators Task Force under Section 230, Part 2 of the Appropriation Line Item and Boilerplate History from the State of Michigan Senate Fiscal Agency.
- VOTE: AYE: \_Breen, Broderick, Gierak, Gilligan, Jaafar, Little, Strom

NAY:		 	

ABSTAIN: \_\_\_\_\_

ABSENT: \_\_\_\_\_

MOTION CARRIED: X MOTION DEFEATED:



### Michigan Appropriations for Local Strategic Value

#### Required

- A Resolution to the Board that certifies to the state budget director on or before October 15, 2024 that the College has met 4 out of 5 best practices listed in each of the three categories.
- The Resolution needs to provide specifics as to how the community college meets each best practice measure within each category.

#### **Category A: Economic Development & Business or Industry Partnerships**

- i. The community college has active partnerships with local employers, including hospitals and health care providers.
  - a. Provides a full-service conference and events center facility (VistaTech Center) for companies and organizations to hold meetings and training events.
  - b. Partners with Garden City Hospital and Trinity Health by providing simulation-training activities for nurses, physicians, and residents in the Health Professions Simulation Laboratory (HPSL) at Schoolcraft College.
  - c. Collaborates with Trinity Health and Corewell Health to initiate employer-sponsored programs for health science students.
  - d. Partners with Amazon Career Choice employer-sponsored tuition program for their employees.
  - e. Partners with Trinity Health on the operation of the Elite Sports Center on the Schoolcraft College campus.
  - f. Partners with all major hospital systems in the region to develop internships and employee pipelines in the areas of Nursing, Medical Assisting, Health Information Technology, EMT, Paramedic, Radiologic Technology, Pharmacy Technician, Diagnostic Medical Sonography, Surgical Technology, and Biomedical Engineering Technology (BMET).
  - g. Creates agreements with Changan US Research and Development Center, AlphaUSA, NYX, Inc., Hella Electronics Corporation, GenTherm Incorporated, Loc Performance Products, Inc., Rivian Automotive Inc., Magna Lighting, Oerlikon Metco LLC, Actia Electronics, LLC, Infineon Technologies Americas Corp., The Armored Group, LLC, and OHM Advisors, and others to provide training in connection with the Michigan New Jobs Training program for new jobs/positions created by these companies.
  - h. Collaborates with local manufacturing, fabrication, and tool and die shops (NYX, Roush Engineering, Alpha Engineering, Delta Gear, LOC Performance, and others) to create linkages with the Schoolcraft College Manufacturing, Welding, and Robotics programs. Course content has been tailored at the request of employers to provide a concentrated learning experience through delivery of a "combination" of "boot camp" college credit courses for their incumbent workers, providing advanced manufacturing competencies and opportunities for worker advancement.

- i. Partners with numerous local companies and government agencies to host and participate in STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering, and Math) initiatives such as Manufacturing Day, Touch-A-Job, Girls Who Code, Girls in STEM, Engineering Technology Open Houses/Tours, Livonia Public Schools Young Inventors, and Careers in Nursing with the Detroit Learning Academy.
- j. Provides career exploration activities for Clarenceville Public School 8<sup>th</sup> graders as part of our Middle School Career Awareness Program (M-CAP).
- k. Works directly with K-12 schools to prepare certified K-12 teachers through our state approved Alternate Route to Interim Teacher Certification (ARC) program.
- I. Provides a Digital Sculpture Certificate program, through our Personal and Professional Learning division, where local businesses including Aerotek, Autodesk, Fiat Chrysler, Ford Motor, and Nissan look for employees with this skill set.
- m. Provides skills competency sessions for licensed practical or registered nurses who need to demonstrate clinical skills competencies for eligibility to reinstate their nursing licenses via our Nursing Department.
- n. Partners with the Michigan Commission on Law Enforcement Standards to provide Law Enforcement in-service trainings for local police departments and other organizations. Police Departments include Livonia, Plymouth, Van Buren, Metro Parks, Gibraltar Border Patrol, Farmington Hills, Westland, Western Wayne SWAT, Huntington Woods, Huron Twp, Oakland County Sheriff's Department, Milan. Companies included TSA, HHS, Nissan, Ford, Stellantis, Buhl Sports, Magna, Roush, Tac Fire, DMC, SSA, IRS, and Lawrence Technological University.
- ii. The community college provides customized on-site training for area companies, employees, or both.
  - a. Workforce Training Solutions provides custom corporate training to area businesses. Training includes a Leadership Development Academy, English as a Second Language program, and technical training for welders, machinists, and others.
- iii. The community college supports entrepreneurship through a small business assistance center or other training or consulting activities targeted toward small businesses.
  - a. The Business Development Center (BDC) serves area businesses through the APEX Accelerator, the Michigan Small Business Development Center (SBDC), and Workforce Training Solutions (WTS).
  - b. The BDC delivers small business and government contracting workshops throughout the year.
  - c. The BDC has been a leader in developing several training courses, which have been adopted by the Michigan Small Business Development Center (SBDC) network. These courses include: Launching Your New Business, Business Legal Issues, Putting Social Media to Work for Your Business, and Small Business Leadership.
  - d. The SBDC is a statewide business assistance program that provides one-on-one counseling, training, and research for entrepreneurs who wish to launch or grow their Michigan small business.
  - e. APEX Accelerator is also one of Schoolcraft College's most requested services. For companies interested in securing government contracts, APEX offers one-on-one-counseling and provides an opportunity to address specific client issues; for example: bid review/preparation assistance, subcontracting opportunities, marketing strategies, troubleshooting, and guidance tailored to client-specific needs. This service is free of charge.

- iv. The community college supports technological advancement through industry partnerships, incubation activities, or operation of a Michigan technical education center or other advanced technology center.
  - a. The College opened a new Manufacturing and Engineering Center in 2020 devoted to training students and industry employees in areas including machining, welding, metallurgy, computer-aided design, electronics, engineering, robotics, and mechatronics.
  - b. The College has partnered with several colleges and the robot manufacturer, FANUC, to secure a U.S. Department of Labor grant to provide training in automation and robotics.
  - c. The College is a Certified Training Center for FANUC robots.
  - d. Schoolcraft College is an American Welding Society Accredited Test Facility, providing third-party welding accreditation for students and local companies.
  - e. Schoolcraft College is a Smart Automation Certification Alliance (SACA) Certified Training Center, providing third-party certification for Industry 4.0 credentials.
  - f. The College partners with the American Culinary Federation (ACF) to provide testing for ACF certification of chefs. The College has been the host site for the exclusive ACF Certified Master Chef exam for the past several years.
  - v. The community college has active partnerships with local or regional workforce and economic development agencies.
    - a. Schoolcraft College has active partnerships with the following:
      - i. Workforce Intelligence Network (WIN) for Southeast Michigan WIN is a comprehensive and cohesive workforce development system comprised of local community colleges and Michigan Works! agencies to provide employers with the best workforce and to develop the talent of the region. One of our administrators is a member of WIN's Board. We are collaborating with WIN on several workforce development grants aimed at enhancing training opportunities for southeast Michigan residents. Examples include:
        - 1. US DOL H-1B One Workforce Grant: Building an Industry Infinity Supply Chain (OWII)
        - 2. US DOL Apprenticeship: Closing the Skills Gap Grant (CSG)
        - 3. Apprenticeships Building America (ABA)
      - ii. Partners with universities, community colleges, workforce development agencies, and advocacy groups to develop training programs for the mobility industry.
      - iii. Awarded \$1M in federal funding for development of curriculum focused on Industry 4.0 credentials.
      - iv. The College is represented as a committee member on the Southeast Michigan Community Alliance (SEMCA) Career and Educational Advisory Council (CEAC).
      - v. The College partners with local MiWorks! agencies to identify, train, and employ under- or unemployed residents.
      - vi. The College is a member of the Southeast Michigan Healthcare Alliance, working with health care providers and training centers to provide relevant and timely training opportunities to fill the employment needs of the healthcare community.

#### **Category B: Educational Partnerships**

- i. The community college has active partnerships with regional high schools, intermediate school districts, and career-tech centers to provide instruction through dual enrollment, early college, or academy programs.
  - a. Starkweather High School (Plymouth Canton Community Schools) implemented Schoolcraft College's College And Beyond (CAB) 100 into their curriculum.
  - b. Western International High School in Detroit Public Schools implemented Schoolcraft College's CAB 102 into their course sequence for their teacher Career Pathways/CTE.
  - c. Clarenceville Public Schools partnered to provide career exploration activities for 8<sup>th</sup> graders as part of our Middle School Career Awareness Program (M-CAP).
  - d. SC Edge Early College is available at Airport High School (Monroe County), Northville Public Schools, and the Downriver Career Technical Consortium. Districts that have been approved by the State of Michigan and plan to use the SC Edge Early College program in 2024 include Plymouth Canton Community Schools, Livonia Public Schools, National Heritage Academies, and Wayne Westland Schools. Academic options include General Business, Criminal Justice, and Computer Information Systems- Programming.
  - e. Plymouth Canton Community Schools (PCCS) Business Academy partnered with Schoolcraft College, and Wayne State University, in which four business classes from the Business Academy are articulated with Schoolcraft College and transferable to Wayne State University.
  - f. Students from our surrounding districts registered for 64 courses in our Criminal Justice program as part of dual enrollment.
  - g. The Fire Technology program offers dual enrollment for high school seniors to attend the Fire Fighter 1 and Fire Fighter 2 courses. In 23-24 we had students from Plymouth-Canton Schools, Northville, Annapolis, Gibraltar-Carlson, and Livonia Public Schools represented.
  - h. The College has representation on the Wayne County College Access Network Leadership Team, which is a consortium of colleges, K-12 districts, and community advocates with the primary purpose of paving the way for students to continue to college and careers.
  - i. The College maintains formal articulation agreements in several program areas with Downriver Career Technical Consortium, Livonia Career and Technical Center, Novi Public School District, Oakland Schools Tech Campuses, Plymouth-Canton Public Schools, Saline High School, Taylor School District, William D Ford Career and Technical Center, and Wyandotte Public Schools.
  - j. The College has numerous K-12 and university academic articulation agreements and transfer guides.
  - k. The Teacher Education and Alternative Route to Interim Teacher Certification (ARC) programs have agreements with many K-12 school districts throughout the state.
- The community college hosts, sponsors, or participates in enrichment programs for area K-12 students, such as college days, summer or after-school programming, or science Olympiad.
  - The teacher recertification classes offered through Personal and Professional Learning (PPL) allow teachers to complete classes needed for the State Continuing Education Clock Hours (SCECH) to maintain their certifications.

- b. PPL runs a vibrant Kids on Campus (KOC) program for students ranging from preschool through grade 12; programs expose students to the arts, science, manufacturing, culinary arts, and other campus programs. More than 2,500 K-12 students routinely participate in this program. In addition, middle and high school students have participated in summer academic skills classes designed to support, enhance, and stimulate their reading, writing, math, science, and study skills.
- c. The College hosts an annual Middle School Night to introduce the idea of college and various career options to middle school students and their parents.
- d. The College hosts science events such as Science Olympiad, Girls Who Code, Manufacturing Day, and Girls in STEM to excite upper elementary and middle school students about STEM (science, technology, engineering, and mathematics).
- e. Schoolcraft College partners with numerous local companies and government agencies to host and participate in National Manufacturing Day, Touch-A-Job, Young Inventors, Girls in STEM, and Manufacturing and Engineering Technology Open Houses and Career Exploration days.
- f. The college hosted a demonstration of the Scanning Electron Microscope (SEM) for students from Thurston High School (Livonia Public Schools) AP Chemistry courses.
- g. The department of Music hosts the Piano Academy and associated competitions to train and showcase youth musicians in piano. Children as young as 7 through 18-years-old participate in private lessons on Schoolcraft College's main campus.
- h. The Accounting faculty, the Foundation, and the Admissions team partner to host the Accounting Leadership Conference each spring. High schools from throughout Metro-Detroit send students for a day highlighting opportunities within the accounting profession.
- iii. The community college provides, supports, or participates in programming to promote successful transitions to college for traditional age students, including grant programs such as talent search, upward bound, or other activities to promote college readiness in area high schools and community centers.
  - a. The Admissions team hosts "High School Counselor Workshop" each fall, inviting approximately 75 metro-Detroit counselors to campus for a day of professional development and exposure to Schoolcraft offerings. The goal is to work together to provide students with what they need to make a successful transition to high school.
  - b. Several workshops are offered for mathematics support throughout the year via online webinars, which are accessible to the greater community by visiting the Schoolcraft College website.
  - c. Math JumpStart is offered before each semester and available to any prospective math students to strengthen math skills.
  - d. Writing JumpStart is offered at the Public Safety Training Center before each semester to hone students' technical writing skills.
  - e. The Scholars Honors Program provides outreach and promotional materials to local high school students and their parents so they can learn about the program and get an early start on the application process.
  - f. Our Step Ahead program offered remote student success seminars specific to 9-12 grade students. Seminars focused on being successful in college classes, time management, study strategies, writing support, and math specific study strategies.
  - g. With support from a grant facilitated by the Michigan Community College Association, the college facilitated a 2-week college prep summer bridge program for new and

returning students, which became an extension of the 9-12 grade Step Ahead with Schoolcraft College program. Students who participated in the summer bridge received academic support and scholarships for a College and Beyond course, a Chromebook, supplies, and a transportation stipend.

- h. The Financial Aid office provides off campus FASFA Completion workshops for Livonia, Plymouth Canton, Garden City, and Riverview School Districts.
- i. The Admissions office regularly offers remote information sessions about becoming a Dual Enrolled student for parents/guardians and students.
- j. The college utilizes Campus Esp, a parent/supporter portal, to engage and inform parents, guardians, and supporters of both prospective and enrolled students about resources, college events, and important dates related to academic support, well-being, extracurricular activities, and finances. A newsletter and portal are used to share relevant information and updates.
- k. The college offers SC EDGE (Earn a Degree Graduate Early) Early Middle College for high school students in three high schools: Airport High School, Northville High School, and Plymouth Canton High Schools. Participating high school students transition to higher education in a cohort and facilitated model and can earn a certificate or associate degree while attending high school.
- iv. The community college provides, supports, or participates in programming to promote successful transitions to college for new or reentering adult students, such as adult basic education, GED preparation and testing, or recruiting, advising, disability support, or orientation activities specific to adults.
  - a. Personal and Professional Learning provides non-credit courses for remediation in math and English, test preparation, ESL (English as a Second Language), and GED attainment. Schoolcraft College is also a member of the Region 16 Consortium that aligns Adult Basic Education programs in local school districts with college-readiness requirements to ensure smooth and successful transition to college for reentering adults.
  - b. Personal and Professional Learning provides reasonably priced training in several workplace skills: basic to advanced computer/technology training, teacher recertification, and career training (Project Management, Event Planner, Photography Certificate, Digital Sculpting, and online courses for Administrative Assistant, accounting, and other career areas).
  - c. Personal and Professional Learning provides free information sessions for many of the career programs they offer, including Digital Sculpting with Autodesk Alias, Project Management, and Enrolled Agents to help the community learn about these career pathways.
  - d. The Admissions office regularly offers remote information sessions about the Michigan Reconnect grant and applying to Schoolcraft College.
  - e. The Admissions and Marketing Office coordinated a week of activities during Michigan Reconnect Week to address topics such as financial aid, student success, admissions, and adult student experience.
- v. The community college has active partnerships with regional four-year colleges and universities to promote successful transfer, such as articulation, 2+2, or reverse transfer agreements or operation of a university center.
  - a. Schoolcraft College has dozens of signed articulations agreements with over 15 public and private colleges. These articulations serve as a bridge between the

associate and bachelor's degree and allow Schoolcraft College students to take additional credit hours beyond the associate degree before transferring out to a college or university. Participating universities include Wayne State University, Eastern Michigan University, Davenport University, Ferris State University, Central Michigan University, Madonna University, Oakland University, University of Michigan-Dearborn, University of Michigan-Flint, Northwood University, and University of Detroit Mercy.

- b. Schoolcraft is a participating member in the Michigan Transfer Agreement (MTA) with other community colleges and university partners. Students are provided a selection of transferable courses under the English, Humanities, Mathematics, Natural Sciences, and Social Sciences disciplines.
- c. The College is an active participant in the MiTransfer Pathways initiative where the representatives from 28 community colleges and public and private four-year institutions are collaborating to make transfer paths clearer for Michigan transfer students with statewide articulations in the following disciplines: Psychology, Business, Criminal Justice, Biology, Communication, Social Work, Mechanical Engineering, Computer Science and Information Systems, Art, English, and Public Health and Exercise Science. To date, Schoolcraft College has signed ten out of twelve joint articulation agreements as a result of this partnership. In addition, the Michigan Transfer Network (MTN), a public database that warehouses how courses transfer between colleges, has been drastically upgraded.
- d. As an addendum to MiTransfer Pathways, Schoolcraft College is participating in a Community College Research Center (CCRC)-sponsored research project about similar pathways for Humanities disciplines like English, Communications, Theater, and Art with the intent to develop articulation agreements with 4-year institutions across Michigan.
- e. The Center for Experiential Learning (CEL) is an access hub for existing signature programs like the Schoolcraft Scholars Honors Program, Service Learning & Civic Engagement, STEAMz, International Institute, and Social Impact Fellowships. The CEL was funded through a \$370,000 grant from the Mellon Foundation the University of Michigan Transfer Bridges to Humanities program. The aim is to offer students easier access to high-impact learning opportunities that will make them competitive transfer students and engaged global citizens. Students are exposed to fellowship opportunities, campus visits, application workshops, scholarships, and impactful programs like GLACE (Great Lakes Arts, Cultures, and Environments), Culture Corps, the Michigan Community College Summer Research Fellowship Program (UROP), optiMize, moMentum, and the Detroit River Story Lab through our partnership with the Literature, Science, and the Arts at the University of Michigan.
- f. The Schoolcraft Scholars Honors Program has articulation agreements in place with Eastern Michigan University and Wayne State University, to provide seamless honors program progression for transferring Schoolcraft students. The Honors Program is currently in the process of developing an articulation agreement with Oakland University.

#### **Category C: Community Services**

- i. The community college provides continuing education programming for leisure, wellness, personal enrichment, or professional development.
  - a. Personal and Professional Learning (PPL) offers a wide range of classes and programs designed to meet the community's ever-changing needs with both personal and professional learning opportunities.

- b. The Workforce Mentoring and Placement department maintains the Career Coach website, which offers free career exploration tools for prospective and current students and members of the community. The tools take participants from an initial interest assessment through discovering potential careers, which ultimately leads to connecting with Schoolcraft programs that align with the chosen career path.
- c. The Fitness Center supports programming for the community directly related to wellness.
- ii. The community college operates or sponsors opportunities for community members to engage in activities that promote leisure, wellness, cultural, or personal enrichment such as community sports teams, theater or musical ensembles, or artist guilds.
  - a. The American Harvest Restaurant, the Craft Grille, JC Café, Main Street Café, the Fitness Center, and Bradner Library are open to the public. The Music Noon and Evening Recital Series, Piano Academy, and Synthesizer Ensemble, Wind Ensemble, Jazz Band, and Choral Union are instructional experiences open to the community; these groups also give public performances. The College also has ongoing collaborations with the Michigan Philharmonic and the Michigan Jazz Festival. Other events include School Daze, Public Safety Career Expo, Allied Health & Nursing Job Fair, Senior Expo, College Night, Middle School Night, Focus Series, Pageturners, *MacGuffin Journal, Community College Enterprise Journal*, Earth Day, MLK Jr. Day, Juneteenth Celebration Annual Student Art Fair, Constitution Day Celebration, International Institute, and the Geographic Information Systems Fair.
  - b. The Hinkle Center hosts regular Ask an Attorney and Money Matters in Divorce informational sessions which are open to the public.
  - c. The Theatre department presented two productions during the 2023-2024 season, *It Came From Mars* and *Around the World in 80 Days*.
  - d. The English as a Second Language (ESL) program is available for the College's international community and business members. Credit or non-credit courses are offered, based on need.
  - e. International Learning Support provides ongoing assistance outside of the ESL classrooms.
  - f. Spooktacular is a Halloween event in which members of the community are welcomed to our campus for a trick or treat event with hands-on activities stations hosted by our departments.
- iii. The community college operates public facilities to promote cultural, educational, or personal enrichment for community members, such as libraries, computer labs, performing arts centers, museums, art galleries, or television or radio stations.
  - a. The American Harvest Restaurant, the Craft Grille, JC Café, Main Street Café, and the Elite Market are restaurant and food outlets available to the public.
  - b. The Bradner Library is open to the public and provides print and digital resources and access to computers.
  - c. The Kerhl Auditorium hosts the Noon Music and Evening Recital Series.
  - d. The James R. Hartman Theatre is the location for our Schoolcraft College theatre productions, which are open to the public.
  - e. Additional music spaces are provided for the Piano Academy, Synthesizer Ensemble, Wind Ensemble, Jazz Band, and Choral Union which are all instructional experiences open to the community.

- iv. The community college operates public facilities to promote leisure or wellness activities for community members, including gymnasiums, athletic fields, fitness center, hiking or biking trails, or natural areas.
  - a. Community members may use the College's fitness facilities through programs such as Family Sunday Open Swim, in addition to the wide range of non-credit physical education classes. The Fitness Center welcomes community participation. The handball, paddleball, racquetball, pickleball, and wallyball courts are also available to the community for use through the Fitness Center. Additionally, there is an indoor walking track for public use.
  - b. Schoolcraft College partnered with St. Joseph's Hospital (Trinity Health Care), Mercy Elite (athletic performance), the Hawks and Wolves soccer clubs, and Legacy Sports to build the St. Joe's Sports Dome and the Trinity Elite Sports Center that are used for sports activities for Schoolcraft students and the community.
  - c. The Metal Sculpture Art Walk is a designated outdoor trail consisting of 14 student created metal sculptures.
  - v. The community college promotes, sponsors, or hosts community service activities for students, staff, or community members.
    - a. Service Learning & Civic Engagement has continued to grow extending new partnerships with Lori's Hands, Zaman International, Arts & Scraps, Fleece & Thank You, West Farmington Cemetery, and others.
    - b. The Schoolcraft Scholars Honors Program has 16 graduates this past spring, who completed their capstone projects by partnering with a number of non-profits including (but not limited to) Fleece & Thank You, Detroit Engineering Society, Lori's Hands, Scouts of America, Plymouth Community Foster Closet, House N2 Home, Centro Esperanza Infantil (Mexico), Dog Aide, the Muslim Community of the Western Suburbs, Gleaners Mercado, and the Detroit City Football Club. Our students completed over 240 hours of community service in completing their capstone projects.
    - c. The Schoolcraft Scholars Honors Program continues to partner with a number of community non-profits for its group service events during the academic year including Keep Growing Detroit, Plymouth Community United Way, Project Share Joy, Fleece & Thank You, and Maybury State Park. Honors students are required to complete at least 50 hours of service each by the time they have completed the program.
    - d. The Center for Experiential Learning also sponsored six (6) Social Impact Fellowships for STEAMz and the Multicultural Fair. Students were required to provide service and assistance to these community-facing events. One Honors student received a Social Impact Scholarship to travel to Mexico to complete his capstone project.
    - e. The College offers our community members a free math JumpStart program to help participants learn and/or brush up on basic math skills.
    - f. The College's Bradner Library was selected to serve as a Federal Depository Library. This ensures that the College's community has access to government information. The Government Publishing Office (GPO) administers the Federal Depository Library Program (FDLP) on behalf of Bradner and the public. Information products from the Federal Government are disseminated to our college that, in turn, ensures the community has free access to the materials, both in print and online. The library has been selected to serve in a national pilot study with the U.S. Government Printing Office (GPO). This provides Bradner with access to a Cataloging Record Distribution Program (CRDP), along with 99 other libraries.
    - g. The Business Club and Accounting Faculty hosted an IRS Free File workshop for

individuals with income of \$79,000 or less.

- h. Schoolcraft College publishes several renowned publications that are distributed and enjoyed locally and internationally. *The MacGuffin* is a literary journal that began in 1984 with the mission to encourage, support, and enhance the literary arts in the Schoolcraft College community, the region, the state, and the nation. *The Community College Enterprise*, established in 2004, is a peer-reviewed research journal publishing original research that expands the knowledge about the structure and nature of teaching and learning within the community college arena. *The International Agenda*, established in 1996, is the official magazine of the Schoolcraft College International Institute. It features news and in-depth articles focused on issues and approaches relevant to international and intercultural education.
- i. The Workforce Mentoring and Placement Office hosts job fairs that are open to the public. Job fairs typically attract 50-70 employers and 300-400 job-seekers. Additionally, employment assistance services are available to the public for free.
- j. Workforce Mentoring and Placement Office partners with the Accounting Aid Society to host an open-to-the-public information session on accounting careers and paid accounting internship opportunities.
- k. College Central is a job postings website provided by the Workforce Mentoring and Placement Office as a service to students, alumni, employers, and community residents. More than 600 employers are registered on the site and more than 2,000 jobs have been posted.
- I. Personal and Professional Learning has partnered with the Alzheimer's Association -Greater Michigan Chapter to create and offer a Dementia Care Certificate for professionals working with people living with dementia.
- m. The Student Activities Office has produced, planned, and executed 195 events in 2023-24. With the participation of students, staff, and faculty we achieved attendance of over 12,000 students and guests.
  - i. Annual Student Leadership Workshop. This session's purpose is to have student leaders create sustainable partnerships and carry ideas through the fall and winter semesters. Topics discussed at this session included food insecurity, public transportation, mental health, goal setting, elevator pitches, wellness and fitness, DEI and learning support.
  - ii. Student clubs and organizations include 1368 students, participating oncampus and in the surrounding community through campus-related programs and community service projects.
  - iii. Three Blood Drives were held on Campus, with Phi Theta Kappa and the student Nursing Association collecting 96 pints of blood.
  - iv. On campus 2196 lbs. of food collected for the Schoolcraft College food pantry were distributed to students in need on campus. Additional funds raised through various events have also gone to purchase food to restock the pantry.
  - v. In collaboration with the Culinary Arts department, 30 Thanksgiving Basket giveaways were provided for Schoolcraft College students and their families.
  - vi. The Empty Bowl fundraiser with the Art Department students producing the bowls and Culinary Operations providing the soup and bread resulted in over \$3,000 in sales.
  - vii. Our students attended four (4) Detroit Economic Club Luncheon events with the opportunity to see speakers like Governor Whitmer, Rod Wood CEO from the Lions, Mary Barra, General Motors CEO and the Annual Red Wings Day

with Steve Yzerman, coaches, and players just to name a few.

- viii. The Otaku Anime organization produced the second annual comic con on our campus. This event drew 738, up from 630 people in the first year and raised \$500 for our charity partner, SPN Survivors.
- ix. Our Phi Theta Kappa officers worked closely with the president's office to establish surveys to understand the challenges that our Michigan Reconnect Students are experiencing. From this information, they worked with Learning Support Services and various departments to establish a sustainable mentoring program for that group called "WeConnect."
- x. The Multi-Cultural Fair came back to campus (after COVID) for the 19th year. Over 1500 "travelers" witnessed cultural displays, ethnic performances, an international film festival and international food demonstrations.
- n. The organizations that were supported by the Student Activity Center include:
  - i. The Livonia Equity and Anti Racism Network (over 170 children).
  - ii. A Girl Like Me, Inc. (taken by truck to the local charities) over 10 kids.
  - iii. Thayer's Park Northville Park clean up twice a year Phi Theta Kappa and the Student Activities Board cleaned the barn, painted, raked, and cleaned the grounds.
  - iv. Methodist Children's Home Society (taken by truck to the local charities) over 50 kids.
  - v. Stop the Violence Save the Youth (taken by truck to the local charities) over 130 kids.
  - vi. Toys for Tots Collected toys for registered kids in a program coordinated on campus with the Project Playhem Gaming Club, Toys for Tots of Oakland County, and the US Marines. Collected over 1000 toys that were donated.
  - vii. The Lighthouse- Westland (taken by truck to the local charities) over 60 kids.
  - viii. Share Joy Program serving The Wayne County Family Center over 100 kids.
  - ix. Mothers Against Drunk Driving, Campus Police, and Save Our Youth Coalition and 14 other community organizations participated in The Mocktail program.