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To: MassHire Workforce Board Chairs
MassHire Workforce Board Directors
MassHire Career Center Directors
MassHire Fiscal Officers
MassHire DCS Operations Managers

cc: WIOA State Partners

From: Beth Goguen, Director
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Date: July 24, 2025

Subject: Career Technical Expansion (CTE) Funding Information Session

Purpose: To notify MassHire Workforce Boards, MassHire Career Center Operators and other local workforce partners that the Executive Office of Education will host an online informational session on **August 4th from 3:00 to 4:00** to provide an overview on the rollout plan for the \$100 million of CTE Expansion Capital Funding included in the FY26 budget.

Background: The grant program will support capital improvements, long-term leasing of additional space and other initiatives necessary to build capacity and safely accommodate additional career technical education school opportunities. Grant awards will prioritize meeting the workforce demands of regional employers, reducing demonstrable waitlists at career and technical education schools and providing equitable access to career and technical skills training for students likely to pursue a career in their field of study. Grant eligibility is available to any high school operating career and technical education (Chapter 74 programs).

Please register in advanced for the webinar session:

When: Aug 4, 2025 03:00 PM Eastern Time

Topic: CTE Expansion Funding- Executive Office of Education

https://us02web.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_lcvYhHWwThW5ufufBI3bkw

Action

Required: Please share with all appropriate managers, staff and partners.

Effective: Immediately