

## KENTUCKY DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION STAFF NOTE

**Topic:** KY Tech Area Technology Centers – State Schools Committee

**Date:** December 2023

**Action Requested:**  Review  Action/Consent  Action/Discussion

**Held In:**  Full Board  State Schools  United We Learn

### SUMMARY OF ISSUE BEFORE THE BOARD:

To review funding and budgeting operations and procedures for the KY Tech System of Area Technology Centers.

### COMMISSIONER'S RECOMMENDATION:

Not applicable.

### APPLICABLE STATUTE OR REGULATION:

KRS 156.808

### BACKGROUND:

*Existing Policy:*

The Kentucky Department of Education (KDE) has the responsibility for all administrative functions of the state in relation to the management, control and operation of the secondary Area Technology Centers (ATCs). The ATCs shall be operated in compliance with program standards established by the Kentucky Board of Education (KBE).

*Summary of Issue:*

Beth Hargis, Larry Garritty, Lea Lewis and Regan Satterwhite will present to the KBE state schools committee to provide an overview of the funding and budgeting processes, the occupation-based teacher pay, and state supplemental CTE funds.

*Budget Impact:*

This item creates no budget impact to the KDE or the state.

### GROUPS CONSULTED AND BRIEF SUMMARY OF RESPONSES:

Ky Tech leadership and the KDE Office of Finance and Operations.

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