

NPC Industrial Maintenance and Operations Advisory Council
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Welcome and Introductions – Kenny Keith.

Minutes from October 15, 2015 accepted.

Kenny presented a power point.

Wastewater Collection and Treatment/ Water Supply Treatment:

Kenny addressed the Northland Pioneer College catalog listing Wastewater Collection and Treatment and Water Supply Treatment courses. Kenny noted that the courses have not been offered recently and there is currently no instructor for the courses. After discussion, it was decided that the courses look good and they should be kept.

Course Descriptions:

Kenny also addressed the course descriptions for IMO 211-213.

Enrollment Number:

The enrollment numbers from Fall 2015 and Spring 2016 were compared and discussed.

Open House:

The open house was discussed but the details were left to be fine-tuned after schedules could be checked.

IMO offerings in Page:

Discussion on offering classes was briefly held.

Student Input:

Three former NPC IMO students that were recently hired by TEP were asked to come in and give their input on taking both Operations and Maintenance Courses at the same time. All three felt that taking the Maintenance courses along with Operations helped them to better understand the Operations side and highly recommend that if students are able to, they should do both.

Industry Updates:

Members from industry gave updates including future hiring opportunities, concerns about prospective employees that have not taken the NPC courses, and WIA's ability to assist students and employees meet their goals.

Next Meeting:

To be determine.