

Northland Pioneer College
St. John's Community Outreach Meeting
November 30th 2010

- Introductions from all that were present
- People in attendance: Mark Vest, Nicole Connolly, Karalea Cox, Ann Hilliard, Debra McGinty, Audrey Holt, Greg Martin, Joy Whiting, Preston Romero, Ryan Patterson, Dr. Pauline Begay, Ricky Jackson, Eric Henderson, Michael Whiting, Shawntel Skousen, Vaughn Stradling
- Nicole Connolly Center Manager from NPC gave a brief year in review of the activities and changes at the STJ Center
- Mark Vest spoke about the College's budget and changes made. He also spoke about how many things depend on legislation and how NPC is bracing for particular things and trying to save money for worst case scenarios.
- Mark Vest also spoke about rising tuition cost across the state. NPC's percent of 18 to 19 year old students enrolled is up, most likely from the tuition rates at the universities.
- Discussed Adobe Connect. Ann Hilliard explained that she felt it works best 1 to 1 and it isn't great for a large group.
- Grand Canyon Diploma was explained to the group
- Audrey from the chamber wants to know what she can do to market NPC
- We were asked for more dual enrollment classes. We need to have more qualified teachers. How do we attract them?
- We need an advisor that is consistent and that knows what they're doing.
- The major discussion was about marketing better to the high school, to parents and the community.