

## MID-WILLAMETTE REGIONAL CAREER TECHNICAL EDUCATION CENTER Marion, Polk & Yamhill - PHASE 2 EXPANSION

The Salem-Keizer Career & Technical Education Center provides outstanding service to the students of the Salem-Keizer School District. The current 150,000 square foot facility houses 10 program tracks, serves over 1,000 students in the Salem-Keizer School District, and has leveraged over \$9 million in private investment (matched with \$8 million in public investment).

**The CTEC program is now on track to expand into a Phase 2 -** the Mid-Willamette Regional CTEC - which will serve all students in Marion, Polk and Yamhill Counties. Mid-Willamette Regional CTEC is a public-private partnership with Willamette Education Service District (WESD), representing 21 school districts, and serving over 84,000 students. Mountain West Investment (MWIC) has partnered with Willamette ESD to secure a facility and provide access to high wage, high demand career and technical education (CTE) programs.

## Regional Impact

District superintendents and school boards are committed to the program and have pledged support and financial resources. This state-of-the-art program will prepare students for high paying jobs in the local and regional workforce, and provide access to further education and training in high wage and high demand career pathways. Local and regional economies will benefit greatly from access to highly skilled workers, and businesses will be attracted to investing in the region as a result.

## **Project Costs**

Anticipated first year project costs:

- Facility: 47,000 sqft site (purchase in process) \$4 million
- Facility renovation and modifications \$5.2 million
- Program equipment and supplies \$2 million

MWIC has committed a donation to cover the \$4 million cost of facility purchase.

Willamette ESD and partner districts have commited to \$1 million in initial funding.

Annual operating cost will be borne by participating school districts.

We are seeking matching bond funds for facility renovation and program equipment. These funds will be required to complete the project and open the Center by fall 2021.

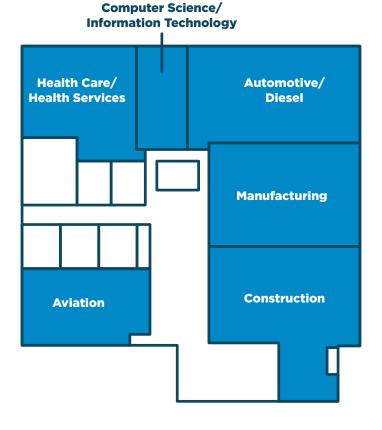


# Matching funds: **REQUEST: \$5,000,000**

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## **Floor Plan & Programs**

All 6 programs of study in the following areas will be implemented during the 2021-22 school year.



## **Program Design**

Course offerings were identified based on local, regional, and state labor market information, and considered industry needs and projections. Program design included the following considerations:

- Program location, schedule and model will afford access to school districts in Marion, Polk and Yamhill counties.
- Course offerings will enhance and complement existing CTE programs in school districts.
- Participating students will retain their school identity in their home district.
- Program design incorporates innovation, direct input from industry partners, and access to industry certifications.

## Location

1200 Lancaster DR NE Salem, OR

(Former site of Toys-Я-Us)

## **Participating School Districts**

#### Marion County

Cascade School District Gervais Schools Jefferson School District Mt. Angel School District North Marion School District North Santiam School District Salem-Keizer Public Schools Silver Falls School District St. Paul School District Woodburn School District

### **Polk County**

Central School District Dallas School District Falls City School District Perrydale School District

### **Yamhill County**

Amity School District Dayton School District Newberg School District Sheridan School District Willamina School District Yamhill-Carlton School District

