

Career and Technical Education/Workforce Development Advisory Council Meets

The Henry County Career and Technical Education/Workforce Development Advisory Council met on August 5, 2015 in the Henry County Board Meeting Room at 10:30 a.m. The purpose of this committee is to provide a link between the school system's career/technical education programs and the community through which its activities may be coordinated. Henry County is one of five counties in the state of Alabama to receive a \$100,000.00 grant to pilot a middle school career exploration program. Other new and innovative programs will be the continuation of a dual enrollment drafting program and a new building science program. At this meeting the teachers of these programs shared information with the council. The council also heard input from two Abbeville High School Future Business Leaders of America Officers. At the conclusion of the meeting lunch was provided for the group by Joy Enterprises (Subway of Abbeville). Pictured are: Mr. Jeffery Carroll, Building Science Teacher; Mr. Devin Franks, Career Exploration Teacher; Jada Williams, FBLA Treasurer; Adrianna Conner, FBLA President; back row Mr. Derrick Crawford, Dual Enrollment Drafting Teacher; Council Members Mr. Ryan Feggins; Mr. Jody Singleton; Mrs. Betty Barnes; Mr. Jason Bryant, Ag Teacher; Mr. Rodwick Jackson; Mr. Jimmy Jones; and Mr. Dennis L. Brand, Sr., Career Tech Director.