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Advanced Manufacturing Training Center (AMTC)

Michigan House Appropriations Subcommittee Leave-Behind Packet

Legislative Fact Sheet

Appropriation Requested: \$200,000

Total Project Cost: \$7,000,000

Private & Local Investment Secured: \$3,600,000+

Purpose: Purchase CNC machining equipment (if received, all appropriations funding will go directly to equipment purchase)

Location: Jackson, Michigan

Michigan Manufacturing Impact:

- \$111.9 billion annual economic output
- 600,000 manufacturing workers statewide
- 45,000 annual skilled trades openings projected
- Average manufacturing wage: \$71,700

Jackson County Manufacturing Impact:

- 13,600+ manufacturing jobs
- 260+ manufacturing employers
- Hundreds of unfilled skilled manufacturing jobs



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Project Summary

The Advanced Manufacturing Training Center is a regional workforce development hub established to address critical skilled labor shortages. The AMTC provides hands-on training aligned directly with industry needs, serving students from early career awareness through adult workforce participation. The requested CNC equipment will ensure participants train on modern equipment used by Michigan employers.

Equipment Impact Summary

CNC machining is foundational to modern manufacturing; including automotive, aerospace, automation, and energy sectors. This equipment will expand training capacity, increase workforce readiness, reduce employer hiring barriers, and strengthen Michigan's manufacturing economy.