



Summer 2026 TDCTE Business Meeting

July 15, 2026

- Call to Order- Kim Yeiter
- Secretary's Report- Arlette Robinson
 - Spring 2026 Minutes are found on TDCTE website (www.tdcte.com)
- Treasurer's Report- Richard Skipper
 - Invoices for 2026-2027 TDCTE Dues will be uploaded soon to the website.
 - Organizational Membership
- Legislative Update- Dr. Brandon Williams
- TACTE Update- Clark Knight
- Introduction/installation of 2026-2027 Executive Council members

Kim Yeiter- President

Dr. Leslie Eldridge- Middle Tennessee Vice President/ President-elect

Dr. Holly Cross- East Tennessee Vice President

Kim Douglas- West Tennessee Vice President

George Leake- Past President

Melanie Tuck- Secretary

Richard Skipper- Treasurer

Clark Knight- Tennessee ACTE Representative

Dr. Brandon Williams- Legislative Liaison/Social Media

- Pollution Control- Clark Knight
- Announcements:

FY27 CTE Director Meeting Dates:

Fall Meeting: (Location TBA)

New Director Academy: November 12, 8:30 a.m. – 3:30 p.m. THIS IS A CHANGE IN TIMES. We have so many new directors and so much to cover, that we will need some extra time.

Director meeting: November 13, 8:30 a.m. – 3:30 p.m.

Winter Meeting: Location Wilson County Farm Bureau Expo

Director meeting: Feb 8, 8:30 a.m. – 3:30 p.m. NOTE: THIS IS A FLIP. CTE Director meeting is first to prepare for Legislative visits.

Legislative Gathering and Visits: morning of Feb. 9.

New Director Academy: Feb. 9, 12:00 – 4 p.m.

Spring Meeting (Location TBA)

New Director Academy: New Directors will be asked to judge one CTSO competition at a state event they have not previously attended. Documentation of this will be your “ticket” for your attendance. I will have a process for this closer to time.

Director Meeting: April 21 and ½ day April 22.

- Adjourn

As a nonprofit organization, the object of the Tennessee Directors of Career Technical Education shall be the promotion and development of Career Technical Education in the public elementary and secondary school systems of Tennessee, through the mutual; encouragement and assistance of the members in matters of organization, administration, and supervision of local programs.