



December 19, 2012

Welcome & Introductions—Dr. Bonny Cain, Waco ISD Superintendent

Business & Industry Panel—Dr. Harold Rafuse, Waco Business League

- Dr. Donald McErlean, L-3COM
- Ms. Lauren Dreyer, Space X
- Mr. Curtis Cleveland, CCIT
- Mr. Glenn Robinson, Hillcrest Baptist Medical Center
- Mr. Mike Harder, TSTC Foundation

College & Career Readiness—Jeni Janek, ESC Region 12 Counseling Specialist

Greater Waco Manufacturing Academy—Donna McKethan, Waco ISD
Director of College and Career Readiness

**AVATAR Project, Academic Vertical Alignment Training and
Renewal Update**—Christine Holecek, ESC Region 12 CTE Specialist

Closing Remarks

Next Meeting—March 6, 2013 at Heart of Texas Workforce Solutions Center

Heart of Texas P-20 Calendar of Events

Meetings

January 16, 2013	Administrative Team Meeting ESC Region 12
February 13, 2013	Steering Committee ESC Region 12
March 6, 2013	General Council Meeting HOT Workforce Center
April 17, 2013	Administrative Team Meeting ESC Region 12
May 15, 2013	Steering Committee Meeting ESC Region 12
June 2013 Date to Be Determined	General Council Meeting Sit to be Determined

Committees Meetings to be called as needed

Committee Chairs

Building Capacity

Dr. Fred Hills, MCC

Program

Sheryl Kattner-Allen, TSTC

Marketing

Ashley Canuteson, Midway ISD

Mark your Calendar

June 10, 2013—Connect3 Pre-Conference, Texas State Technical College

June 11-12, 2013—Connect3 Conference, McLennan Community College

Upcoming Events www.gentx.org

GenTX Way to Pay- The GenTX Way to Pay Kit is created for community leaders who want to put together a GenTX Way to Pay seasonal promotion during **January through March** each year. GenTX Way to Pay offers a toolkit focused on clarifying the college financial aid process for students and parents, including helping them take on the FAFSA application. Kit is available at: <http://downloads.gentx.org/index.php?content=waytopay>

GenTX Day-GenTX Day (in **May**) celebrates and congratulates the students of Generation TX—especially graduating seniors. As students take their next steps towards realizing their futures, communities across Texas are coming together to applaud their successes and support them as they go on to college and begin career training. On GenTX Day, we want EVERYONE to wear their favorite college T-shirt to show an entire community's united support for higher education and for Generation TX. Kit is available at: <http://downloads.gentx.org/index.php?content=gentxday>