



Resolution # 22-14 Manufacturing Day

WHEREAS, Launched annually on the first Friday in October with events that continue throughout the month, MFG Day helps show the reality of modern manufacturing careers by encouraging thousands of companies and educational institutions around the nation to open their doors to students, parents, teachers and community leaders.; and

WHEREAS, Manufacturers will need to hire 4 million workers between now and 2030 to account for growth and fill positions left open by retiring workers, according to a recent study by Deloitte and the MI. Yet 2.1 million of those jobs could go unfilled because of the skills gap.; and

WHEREAS, In 2019, more than 325,000 MFG Day participants took part in 3,000 events across North America; and

WHEREAS, MFG Day is an initiative of The Manufacturing Institute, with the Fabricators & Manufacturers Association as a founding partner; and

WHEREAS, By 2025, MFG Day aims to reduce the skills gap in the United States by 600,000, as well as increase the number of students enrolling in technical and vocational schools or reskilling programs by 25% and increase the positive perception of the industry among parents to 50% from 27%.;

Now, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, the Pittsburg Unified School Board recognizes the day of October 7, 2022 as Manufacturing Day, with the intention that Manufacturing and Computer Integrated Manufacturing be discussed in Pittsburg schools and classrooms during that time;

PASSED AND ADOPTED this 28th day of September by the Pittsburg Unified School District Board of Education by the following vote:

AYES: 5

NOES: 0

ABSTENTIONS: 0

ABSENT: 0

Duane Smith, Board President

Dr. Janet Schulze, Secretary