

Board of Trustees
Washtenaw Community College

ACTION

4800 E. Huron River Drive
Ann Arbor, Michigan 48105-4800

Subject	Date
Reappointment of Washtenaw Technical Middle College Board of Directors	July 27, 2021

RECOMMENDATION

That the Board of Trustees approve the reappointment of the following Washtenaw Technical Middle College Board of Directors:

- Will Johnson for a term of three years ending April 30, 2024
- Donald J. Peurach for a term of three years ending April 30, 2024

Prepared by: Linda Blakey
Title: Executive Vice President
Student & Academic Services

Recommended by: Rose B. Bellanca, Ed.D.
Rose B. Bellanca, President

Will Johnson

Mr. Johnson served as president and CEO of Chelsea Community Hospitals from 1975 to 1998. He has worked in health care administration for more than 30 years. He has also served on the boards of numerous health care, civic and social organizations, including the American Red Cross, the Chelsea Community Foundation, the Chelsea Community Hospital, Silver Maples of Chelsea, and the Washtenaw Development Council.

He holds a B.A. from the College of Wooster and a Masters of Health Administration from the University of Michigan.

Donald J. Peurach

Donald J. Peurach serves as a Senior Fellow of the Carnegie Foundation for the Advancement of Teaching, a Faculty Associate in the Center for Positive Organizations in the Ross School of Business, and a Senior Research Associate in the Consortium for Policy Research in Education at the University of Michigan.

Peurach's research, teaching, and outreach focus on the production, use, and management of knowledge in practice, among social innovators and those they seek to serve. As such, his work sits squarely at the intersection of educational policy, leadership, and innovation.

Prior to joining the School of Education as a faculty member in 2011, Peurach served as an assistant professor at Michigan State University and at Eastern Michigan University. He also served as a researcher on U-M's Study of Instructional Improvement. Before pursuing an academic career, Peurach was a high school mathematics teacher and, before that, a systems analyst in manufacturing, health care, and higher education.

Peurach holds a BA in computer science from Wayne State University, an MPP from the Ford School of Public Policy at U-M, and a PhD in Educational Studies from the School of Education at U-M.