The Business Meeting called to order at 7:06.
The new Region 2 Officers were announced. They are
Vice Chair – Brantley Murphy
Secretary – Dexter Knight
Parliamentarian – Rick Kalk
Roll Call: Georgia, Florida, Alabama, North Carolina, South Carolina, Kentucky, and Virginia were present

Motions to approve agenda was made by Cindy McConnell second Dexter Knight and approved.
Minutes from the December 6, 2017 Region 2 Business Meeting held in Nashville, TN were approved as corrected – South Carolina Myrtle Beach not Emerald Beach. Motion to approve was made by Rick Kalk second Cindy McConnell.

ACTE Report
Membership is up.
Jenna Bush will be the opening speaker at ACTE and Patricia Banks will be the closing speaker.
Perkins 5 has been reauthorized
ACTE should be announcing a National Research Center for CTE soon.

Standing Committee Reports
Audit – nothing to report
Awards – Portal changes to make it easier with drop down menus, upload pictures, video; apply to all except Carl Perkins. Rubric has been modified to include more indicators. We now have a Career and Technical Education impact Award.
Willie is moving to National Awards
Bylaws – no changes
Nominations – presented slate of Dr. Rick Kalk, Elaine Webb and Dr. Chaney Mosley for Region2 Vice President
Resolutions – none
Recognitions – Brian listed award winners
State Reports – Each state reported on state of state. Reports are filed.

Strategic plan for Region 2 – Increase membership by 10%, Increase members attending conference by 10%, Increase Region members attending national conferences by 10%; Recruit at least one nomination for business partnership, Help ACTE staff identify major emerging industries trends in Region 2.

General Membership Announcements – by the group related to the conference.

Motion to adjourn Dexter Knight seconded by Elizabeth Bullock. The meeting was adjourned at 7:56 am.

By Barbara Hancock-Henley

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