

**RESOLUTION 93-1
IN SUPPORT OF FUNDING FOR
A NEW FACILITY AT THE IVY TECH BLOOMINGTON CAMPUS**

- WHEREAS, the current facility for the Indiana Vocational Technical College (Ivy Tech) in Bloomington consists of four small buildings originally designed for commercial use; and
- WHEREAS, an advisory committee of community leaders that was formed in 1991 studied the space needs and location for a new facility and determined an overwhelming need for expansion; and
- WHEREAS, the site of the existing facility is on SR 37 and 46 and easily accessible from Bloomington, Ellettsville, and the surrounding communities; and
- WHEREAS, the mission of this facility is to develop people, promote education, forge partnerships with business and industry, stimulate employment and foster opportunity; and
- WHEREAS, in pursuit of this mission the facility provides practical training to individuals who are seeking to improve their employment opportunities or to enhance their skills at their current place of employment; and
- WHEREAS, from 1985 to 1992 the enrollment at this facility has gone from eight hundred and ten (810) to well over thirteen hundred (1300); and
- WHEREAS, in order to meet the increased demands of enrollment, classes are held six days and five evenings a week at site and sometimes at a local high school; and
- WHEREAS, ninety-five percent (95%) of their recent Associate Degree graduates obtained work in a related field; and
- WHEREAS, the City of Bloomington supports this vital and successful element in the state's higher education curriculum, and recognizes its contribution to our community's economic development;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED BY THE COMMON COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BLOOMINGTON, MONROE COUNTY, INDIANA, THAT:

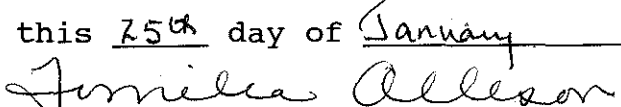
The City of Bloomington urges the State Legislature to approve and fund the construction of a new, approximately one hundred and ten thousand (110,00) square foot, fifteen million nine hundred and sixty-seven thousand dollar (\$15,967,000) facility for the Ivy Tech Bloomington campus in 1993.

PASSED and ADOPTED by the Common Council of the City of Bloomington, Monroe County, Indiana, upon this 20th day of January, 1993.



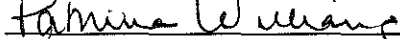
JACK HOPKINS, President
Bloomington Common Council

SIGNED and APPROVED by me upon this 25th day of January, 1993.



TOMILEA ALLISON, Mayor
City of Bloomington

ATTEST:



PATRICIA WILLIAMS, Clerk
City of Bloomington

SYNOPSIS

This resolution urges approval and funding for a new facility at the IVY Tech Bloomington campus in 1993.

Signed copies to:
State legislators (7)
Chamber of Commerce
Ivy Tech