SPRING APPOINTED TO BOARD OF COUNCIL OF NORTH CENTRAL TWO YEAR COLLEGES

[BECKLEY, WV] Dr. Ted D. Spring, president of New River Community and Technical College, has been appointed to the Board of Directors of the Council of North Central Two Year Colleges.

The Council of North Central Two Year Colleges is a 19-state organization with more than 349 institutional members. It is the second largest organization of two-year colleges in the United States.

The organization works with The Higher Learning Commission in the promotion of standards, practices and policies for two-year colleges in the North Central Region, which encompasses Arizona, Arkansas, Colorado, Illinois, Indiana, Iowa, Kansas, Michigan, Minnesota, Missouri, Nebraska, New Mexico, North Dakota, Ohio, Oklahoma, South Dakota, West Virginia, Wisconsin and Wyoming. A voice for community college education for the past 70 years, the organization influences federal legislation and conducts research activities to support improvements in two-year colleges.
Spring has been president of New River Community and Technical College since September 2005. He has been a community college educator and administrator for more 38 years. He earned an associate’s degree from Adirondack Community College; a bachelor’s degree from Castleton State College, a master's degree from Bowling Green State University and a doctorate from the University of Maryland.

New River Community and Technical College serves Fayette, Greenbrier, Mercer, Monroe, Nicholas, Pocahontas, Raleigh, Summers and Webster Counties in southeastern West Virginia. Administrative offices are located in Beckley.

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