# Tidewater Community College

WORKING COLLABORATIVELY TO DEVELOP AND SUSTAIN THE MARITIME WORKFORCE



#### **VSRA Pre-Hire Model**

- Marine Welding January 2017
- Marine Pipefitting August 2017
- Marine Coatings February 2018



- Marine Electrical November 2017 (TNCC)
- Marine Sheet Metal October 2018\*





#### Results

- Marine Welding 18 cohorts completed
- Marine Pipefitting 11 cohorts completed
- Marine Coatings 5 cohorts completed
- 259 students completed TCC-provided training
- Over 90% hired by VSRA member companies





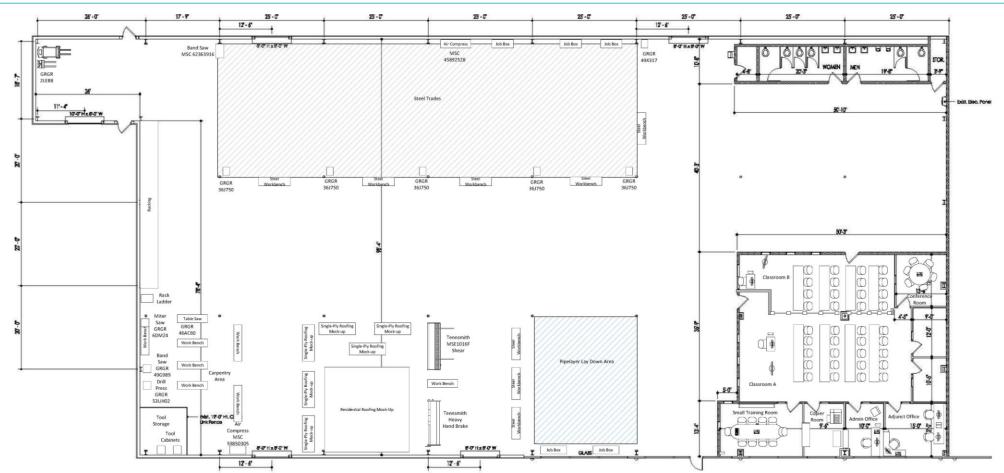
#### Shipbuilding Pre-Apprenticeship Program

- Creates reliable pipeline for K-12 outreach, awareness, and recruitment
- Key partners include CPS, NPS, PPS, VBCPS, VSRA,
  Colonna's Shipyard, Lyon Shipyard, Newport News
  Shipbuilding, Oceaneering, and Tecnico Corporation
- Included 132 CTE welding students in 2017/2018
- Expanding program 2018/2019 to include additional training opportunities & worksite visits





## **Expanding Skilled Trades Training Capacity**





### Workforce/FastForward Funding FY 19

- VSRA Pre-hire Funding \$250,000 Each Year for 2 Years (\$500,000)
  - Expand Pre-hire Training Course Offerings
  - Leverage the use Skilled Trades Facility
- FastForward Funding \$9.5 million for 2 years (\$19 million)
- FANTIC Funding 2 million for FY 19
  - Covers 90% of student's payment for FastForward Programs



# Challenge Match for Industry Stakeholders

- Lead Gift of \$1million over two years
- \$500,000 Challenge for Industry Stakeholders
- Support Students with Financial Barrier
- Invest in the Industry's Future Workforce



# Domestic Maritime Centers of Excellence

On December 12, 2017, President Donald Trump signed into law the fiscal year 2018 National Defense Authorization Act (NDAA), which included provisions for the Domestic Maritime Centers of Excellence Act. The Domestic Maritime Centers of Excellence program authorizes federal designation of community and technical college "centers of excellence" to help provide technical education and training programs that will secure the talent pipeline for the nation's maritime workforce. The Department of Transportation is authorized to provide support to community and technical colleges to expand their capacity to provide maritime and marine technology workforce training.



## Questions

