AUTOMOTIVE TECHNOLOGY DIPLOMA AND AAS
PROGRAM REVIEW SUMMARY AND ACTIONABLE INSIGHTS

A. Summary of Program Strengths
   • Small class sizes
   • Experience of the instructors
   • GPA of diploma students
   • Strong advisory council
   • Facility is well maintained and is attractive to students
   • Strong support from UTTC
   • High placement rates (employment or continuing education)
   • Career math and English align with learning happening in the core courses.

B. Summary of Program Challenges
   • Advisory council is composed of all males
   • Some semesters have low enrollment of new students
   • Low enrollment in AAS; it keeps them from the workforce right away.

C. Actionable Insights
   • See if we can get more diversity of representation on advisory council
   • Look at GPA comparisons with other certificates
   • Consider removing the AAS degree program; students can go into other programs of study instead
   • Department should check with Advisory Council and Employer (survey) about value of AAS.

D. Program Action
   ☐ Retain program of study as is
   ☐ Expand program of study to another level, specialty, or delivery option
   ☒ Revise program of study to better meet the needs of students, current labor market or industry
   ☐ Consolidate program of study with another program
   ☐ Terminate program of study

E. Institutional Support Needed and/or Committed to Carry Out Action
   • IR will look at GPA comparisons with certificate programs
   • IR work with program to revise the employer survey.

F. Follow Up
   Follow Up Date: February 2022
   Next Full Review Year: 2025-2026