Moraine Park Technical College
Reaffirmation of Accreditation Cycle

THE AQIP ACCREDITATION CYCLE
The AQIP Accreditation Cycle: System Portfolio → Strategy Forum → Action Projects → Quality Checkup Site Review

THE SYSTEM PORTFOLIO & APPRAISAL
The System Portfolio is submitted every 4 years. The college then receives a System Portfolio Appraisal Report from HLC after the Portfolio is reviewed by a peer committee.

THE STRATEGY FORUM
After the System Portfolio Appraisal Report, the college then plans for a Strategy Forum after consultation with HLC. A college team of 6-8 members attend the Strategy Forum. This team reviews challenges as noted in the System Appraisal and identifies an Action Project to undertake to address the identified challenge. The Strategy Forums are also scheduled every 4 years.

THREE ACTION PROJECTS
The AQIP Accreditation Pathway requires a minimum of three Action Projects operating at all times. Action Projects require annual updates, and Moraine Park provides action project updates to HLC in August/September.

QUALITY CHECKUP PEER SITE REVIEW
Quality Checkup Site Review visits are scheduled every 8 years. Moraine Park’s next site visit will be in approximately 2022-2023 or 2023-2024 (per the transition from the 7-year to the 8-year cycle). The college receives a Quality Checkup Site Visit report after the peer-review Quality Checkup site visit.

MULTILOCATION SITE REVIEW
On occasion, the college may be asked by HLC to participate in a Multilocation Site Review. Moraine Park’s first multilocation review of the Beaver Dam and West Bend campuses was included with the October 2013 Quality Checkup Site Review.

FEDERAL COMPLIANCE
When the college prepares its Quality Checkup Site Visit documentation and report, it also submits Federal Compliance documentation regarding credit hours, financial aid compliance, public comment, etc.

REAFFIRMATION OF ACCREDITATION
Prior to reaffirmation of accreditation, the college submits a Quality Highlights Report. The academic year after the Quality Checkup Site review, the college receives its reaffirmation of accreditation in the event all operations of the college are functioning with satisfactory progress.