

## Facilitating Coordination in Agricultural Education - District 2

### March 2023, Summary of Activities for Luke Allen

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**Assistance to Schools (18)** - \*Alden-Hebron, Barrington, \*Carver Military Academy(CPS), Chicago Ag, Gary Comer, Glenbard East(2), Grant Park, Lyons Township, Manteno, Marengo, Park Forest-Chicago Heights District 163, Rich Township, River Valley, Rolling Meadows, Sycamore, Wheaton Christian(2)

**Assistance to Community Colleges (4)** - Joliet(2), Lake, Triton

### **Professional Development Events Provided(2) Participants(44)**

Soil Science & Health Workshop, DuPage AITC/College of DuPage Teacher Institute, K-12 teachers, Glen Ellyn – 28

\*Ag Ed Careers, Loyola University, 13-16 Grade Students – 16

### **Meetings/Conventions/Conferences Attended (18)**

\*IL FFA CREW Town Hall Meeting

Illinois FFA Vet & Meat Science CDE, Urbana

\*Interview with Dr. Leman about State Staff Research Project

District 2 Ag Science Fair, Joliet

District 2 FFA Proficiency Awards, Joliet

\*National MANRRS Conference Exhibitor Meeting

\*FCAE Staff Meeting

\*ILAgEd EDI Task Force

District 3 FCAE Program Advisor Interviews, Springfield

\*National FFA EDI Task Force

\*Zumwalt Acres Student Soil Workshop Planning

\*GAST Student Virtual College Fair Assistant Facilitator

Illinois Junior MANRRS Leadership Institute, Urbana (2 days)

\*AgEd State Staff Meeting

\*IL AITC Curriculum Grant Brainstorming/Planning

Section 7 Food Science CDE, Somonauk

\*TREES EFE Assistance: About *AET for CTE*, Plan Workshop

\*ILCAE Meeting

**Miles Traveled - 2121** Auto (1793) Train (328)

### **Other Activities (15)**

Submit Application for IL School Board Conference Workshop

Mailed AgEd Teacher Appreciation Student Notes

Collaborated with IL Department of Ag To Get New Fair Contract Developed

Prepared Urban Ag CDE Resources

Purchased Sr IL Junior MANRRS Institute

Wrote Letter of Support For ISU Urban Ag University Curriculum Grant

Bid New Computer Pricing for New District 3 Program Advisor

Reviewed ILAgEd.org Website Weekly and Updated

Assisted Schools Starting New Ag Programs

Managed AgEd Website

Assisted Schools Seeking Teaching Candidates

Sent Teacher and Individual Informational Requests

Prepared for Presentations and Meetings

Wrote and Sent Email Messages/Made and Returned Phone Calls and Texts

Completed Monthly Reports