

**FACILITATING COORDINATION IN AGRICULTURAL EDUCATION - District 1
July 2020 – Summary of Activities - John Heiser**

I. ON SITE ASSISTANCE – SCHOOLS – 6 COUNTY PARTNERSHIPS - 0 Virtual *

SCHOOLS – *Abingdon-Avon, Annawan, Putnam County,*Rockridge, *River Bend at Fulton, Stark County

COUNTY PARTNERSHIPS –

II. PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT PROVIDED – 2 PARTICIPANTS – 59 Virtual *

*Experienced Ag Teacher Course (27)

*Beginning Ag Teacher Course (32)

III. MEETINGS/CONVENTIONS/CONFERENCES ATTENDED – 14 Virtual *

FCAE Retreat, Springfield

*State Teach Ag Results(STAR) Meeting

*Ag Ed State Staff Meeting (3)

*AG ED 496 Beginning Teachers Course Planning Meeting (3)

Ag Ed State Staff Meeting, Springfield

*IAVAT Curriculum Advisory Committee Meeting

*ILCAE Meeting

*ICAE Meeting

FFA & IAVAT Joint Board Meeting, Springfield

*AFNR Course Matrix Development Meeting

IV. MILES TRAVELED – Auto: 1023

V. OTHER ACTIVITIES - 12

Prepared for Section IAVAT Back to School Meetings

Maintained Teacher Logins in myCAERT

Moved, Added, and Updated Teacher and School Data in the Database

Sent Teacher and Individual Informational Requests

Worked with Candidates in Completing Requirements for CTE Licensure with Stipulation Certification

Prepared and Developed Course Outlines for New Courses

Managed and Maintained the Website

Assisted Ag Teachers and Administrators with Three Circle FFA and SAE Grant Questions

Assisted Ag Teachers and Administrators with Agriculture Incentive Funding Grant Questions

Wrote and Sent Email Messages/Updated Email Addresses in the Database

Prepared for Meetings

Completed Monthly Reports

VI. COMMENTARY

The first month has gone by fast. We are looking at developing all the new course outlines for the new course matrix that is coming out this year. I have enjoyed working on the outlines for Turfgrass and Sports Field Management and Agricultural Engineering. I have also enjoyed helping the new teachers that we have in district 1 which is 7 first year teachers. River Bend High School in Fulton is looking at starting a new agriculture program. They want to focus on food science and agricultural processing and plan to use a current teacher within the district to start this program.