

FACILITATING COORDINATION IN AGRICULTURAL EDUCATION - 4
July 2020, SUMMARY OF ACTIVITIES FOR MEGAN COY

I. ON SITE ASSISTANCE – SCHOOLS – 9 COUNTY PARTNERSHIPS – 0 *Virtual

SCHOOLS – Armstrong, Decatur-Eisenhower*, Decatur-MacArthur, Oakland*, St. Elmo*, Teutopolis* (2), Villa Grove*, Warrensburg-Latham

II. PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT PROVIDED – 2 PARTICIPANTS – 59

2nd Year Ag Teacher Conference*- 27

Beginning Ag Teacher Conference*- 32

III. MEETINGS/CONVENTIONS/CONFERENCES ATTENDED – 17

Ag Ed State Staff Retreat, Springfield

Ag Ed State Staff Meeting* (3)

Ag Ed 498 Planning Meeting*

State Teach Ag Results (STAR) Summer Meeting*

Illinois Leadership Council for Agricultural Education Meeting*

Illinois Committee for Agricultural Education*

Ag Ed 496 Planning Call* (2)

Beginning Ag Teacher Planning Call*

Agriculture, Food and Natural Resource (AFNR) Matrix Meeting with ISBE*

Agriculture, Food and Natural Resource (AFNR) Course Matrix Development Meeting*

MyCAERT Meeting and Training, Springfield

Virtual Breakout Box Professional Development Event*

IAVAT/FFA Board Joint Meeting*

Incentive Funding Grant Virtual Office Hours*

IV. MILES TRAVELED – Auto: 454

V. OTHER ACTIVITIES - 14

Followed up with Teachers and Administrators on Various Informational Requests

Updated State Staff Google Documents on Students Teachers and Supply/Demand

Worked on STAR Projects

Planned and contacted presenters for the 2nd Year Ag Teacher Conference

Developed and Posted Job Posting

Created Curriculum Arcade Information

Edited Diana Loschen Classroom Management Video Presentation

Developed Course Suggestions for Workplace Learning/ Ag Mentoring Course

Created and Shared Updated Emailing List to IAVAT and FFA Representatives and Section Chairs

Worked with ISBE and FFA Office on New Program Requirements

Developed and Promoted Incentive Funding Grant FCAE Office Hours Document

Created Bitmoji Classroom & Promotional Material

Corresponded with Administrators and Agriculture Teachers to Submit Three Circle and Incentive

Funding Grant Intent Forms

Created Section Meeting Agenda

VI. COMMENTARY

This month has brought new information around the opening of schools in Illinois for the 2020-2021 school year. Many schools are opting for a hybrid schedule, with partial in person instruction and partial virtual instruction. This will guide our resources and assistance for teachers and programs this fall. I was happy to see that District IV had 100% of the Incentive Funding Grant Intents submitted and all that had indicated they were participating in Three Circle Grants also submitted by the July 31st deadline.