

Facilitating Coordination in Agricultural Education
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On-Site Assistance – (11) High Schools (0) Community College (0) AITC Coalition

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| Belvidere HS | Hiawatha HS |
| Chicago HS for Ag Sciences | Kaneland HS |
| Dwight HS | Minooka HS |
| Faith Lutheran HS | Peotone HS (X2) |
| Genoa-Kingston HS | Tech Center of DuPage HS |

Workshops/In-services/Presentations – 3 Participants – 235

- Triton College Career Fair, Ag Careers – Triton College, River Forest – 75
- Chicago Ag HS Ag Career Fair – Chicago Ag HS, Chicago – 60
- John Marshall HS Ag Career Fair- John Marshall HS, Chicago – 100

Meetings/Conferences/Conventions – 3

- Section 8 AgEd Fair – Chicago Ag HS, Chicago
- Illinois Ag in the Classroom Coordinator Spring Meeting- Parke Hotel, Bloomington
- FCAE Staff Meeting - Illinois State Board of Education, Springfield

Other Activities

- Organized/Co-Hosted IL FFA Vet Science CDE
- Reviewed IL Ag Ed Plan for updates
- Hosted two National FFA officers for District 2 Visits (Dwight & Peotone)
- Updated the teacher candidate/vacancy pages on the agriculturaleducation.org website.
- Reviewed and made entries in the teacher and program database website.
- Developed and posted listserv messages.
- Email correspondence with various individuals in agricultural education.
- Completed monthly reports and weekly activity log sheets.

Miles Traveled - 1380

Commentary

Fortunately it does not appear that District 2 will have a lot of openings, and I look forward to working with our new teachers for the three new positions (Somonauk, Burlington, and Sycamore are all adding an additional Ag teacher). I have enjoyed working with Mr. Dittmar and Mr. Hanson on revising The Plan for Illinois Ag Education; however, it is a much larger project than many of us anticipated and will likely not be ready to present to ILCAE until the fall.