

**FACILITATING COORDINATION IN AGRICULTURAL EDUCATION - District 2  
October 2020 – Summary of Activities - Luke Allen**

**I. ON SITE ASSISTANCE – SCHOOLS – 16**

**COUNTY PARTNERSHIPS – 1 \*Virtual**

**SCHOOLS** – \*Belvidere(2), \*Chadwick, \*CHSAS, \*Gary Comer Youth Center, \*Greenville College, Grundy ACC, \*Harvard, Joliet Correctional Center, \*Kishwaukee College, Marengo, McHenry County College, \*Milford, Ottawa, \*River Valley (Momence), Streator  
**COUNTY PARTNERSHIPS** – \*Cook

**II. PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT PROVIDED – 1**

**PARTICIPANTS – 6**

\*District 2 New Teacher Monthly Meeting, 1<sup>st</sup> Year Ag Teachers - 6

**III. MEETINGS/CONVENTIONS/CONFERENCES ATTENDED – 18**

- \*Illinois State University Student Teacher Placement Interviews
- \*Illinois State University AgEd Advisory Committee
- \*Illinois State University Ag Career Fair- AgEd Recruitment
- \*Illinois Ag In The Classroom Coordinator Zoom Chat Session
- \*Student Enrollment Data Alignment Meeting with Dean Dittmar
- \*AgEd State Staff Meetings (4)
- \*Section 10 IAVAT Fall Meeting
- \*University of Illinois AgEd (Brodee McCormick) Student Interview
- AgEd Website “front-end” Review Meeting, Springfield
- AgEd Inclusion Task Force Meeting, Springfield
- \*NASAE SAE For All Workshop
- \*Wieghat Graphics- Front End AgEd website review/projects
- \*Section 7 FFA Ag Sales CDE on Zoom Hosting
- \*University of Illinois Metropolitan Food and Environmental Systems Introductory Meeting
- \*National FFA Convention

**IV. MILES TRAVELED – Auto: 879**

**V. OTHER ACTIVITIES - 9**

- \*Prepared and Hosted the Urban Forestry CDE
- Planned and Coordinated Administrator & Curriculum Director Workshop for State Rep. Harper
- Delivered Storage Cabinet to District 4 FCAE Office, Champaign
- Managed and Maintained the Website, including assisting Section Presidents with CDE reporting
- Assisted Ag Teachers and Administrators with Three Circle FFA and SAE Grant Questions
- Wrote and Sent Email Messages/Updated Email Addresses on the Listserv
- Prepared for Meetings
- Completed Monthly Reports
- Sent Teacher and Individual Informational Requests

**VI. COMMENTARY**

I'm very pleased with the frontend website changes that we completed and beginning to develop our backend wish-list to meet in November with the website programmer. Teachers have been feeling very stressed and a lot of my check-in conversations with them have focused on their mental health and managing stress.