

**FACILITATING COORDINATION IN AGRICULTURAL EDUCATION - 3
June 2019, SUMMARY OF ACTIVITIES FOR JENNIFER WATERS**

I. ON SITE ASSISTANCE – SCHOOLS – 2 COUNTY PARTNERSHIPS - 0

SCHOOLS – Bushnell-Prairie City, Jacksonville

II. PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT PROVIDED – 3 PARTICIPANTS – 339

IL Cooperatives Council Teacher Professional Development, Ag Teachers, Macomb – 12 participants
IAVAT PreConference Workshop AET, Ag Teachers, Decatur – 40 participants
IAVAT Conference Workshops, Ag Teachers, Decatur – 285 participants registered

III. MEETINGS/CONVENTIONS/CONFERENCES ATTENDED – 6

Illinois Cooperatives Conference Professional Development, Macomb
Illinois Association of Vocational Agriculture Teachers Conference Business Sessions, Decatur
Illinois FFA Convention, Springfield
Illinois State Board of Education Professional Development Meeting, Springfield
University Council Meeting, Decatur
IAVAT Professional Development Committee Meeting, Decatur
District 3 Meeting & Section 11/12/15 Meetings, Decatur

IV. MILES TRAVELED – Auto: 676 miles

V. OTHER ACTIVITIES -

Assisted teachers and administrators with 3 Circles Grant and IFG Questions
Contacted teachers regarding IAVAT Conferences
Followed up with teachers regarding IAVAT Conference Evidence of Completion
Assisted teachers and administrators with completion of FY20 IFG Applications
Ordered and delivered materials for IAVAT Workshops
Hosted IL FFA Agriscience Fair and Agriscience Fair Dinner
Assisted National Finalists for Agriscience Fair in materials preparation/submission

VI. COMMENTARY

Although the month involved a great deal of office time, it was very productive in completing Ag Incentive Funding Grant Applications and 3 Circle Grants with teachers and administrators. The IAVAT Professional Development Committee and I saw the culmination of our work for the year as we hosted 285 registered participants in the workshops at the IAVAT Conference and also hosted two preconference workshops at Richland Community College. For the sixth year I planned and hosted the Illinois FFA Agriscience Fair. This year we had 79 projects entered and will advance students to the national finalist competition in July. Looking forward to our staff retreat in July and networking with the beginning and 2nd year teachers.