ACTE Board Report

Region or Division:Region IISubmitted by:Beth ParksDate Submitted:May 24, 2023

A. Strategic Plan

Provide an update as to the progress /implementation of the Strategic Plan.

- Actions you have taken
- Successes you have had
- Support you still need

We recently held our Region II Policy meeting on Sunday, March 19th at the National Policy Seminar in Washington, D.C. That meeting continued discussion on meeting the goals outlined in our Strategic Plan and final approval of our FY24 budget. We have a small group of committee members who are currently reviewing our Region II bylaws to ensure alignment to ACTE's national bylaws. They will bring forth recommendations for any changes at our next Policy Committee Meeting in October at our Region II Conference. We are now in the process of working with the state of Alabama to plan the 2023 Region II Conference. As some new issues have arisen, we will possibly need the assistance of ACTE to work through the planning process.

List the strategies that have been completed.

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B. Contributions to Region and Division Members

Please remember the importance of engagement of members during this time and let ACTE know how we can help engaging your members with you! Please also let us know how you have engaged ACTE members within the past 4 months. Indicate if the work falls under any of the Strategic Plan.

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ACTE is working to communicate and disseminate innovation at the forefront of all Regions and Divisions as an effort to support other CTE professionals around the nation. We anticipate highlighting the innovations in ACTE's publications, blogs, and webinars and other similar activities. Please highlight any recent innovative ideas within your Region or Division.

C. Succession Planning

Do you have any information you wish you had been provided during your new Board Orientation (what you know now that you wish you had known then)? Do you have any suggestions on future Vice Presidents for your Region or Division? Or any suggestions on future ACTE President-Elect candidates?

I feel like expectations for conferences is always important information to share with new Vice Presidents, however, I think it needs to be timely as to when it is given. There is a lot going on at VISION Conference and sometimes scheduling region things around other activities is difficult and puts a strain on the VP to be in multiple places at once. I feel like the earlier we know the schedule and exactly what we are required to attend, it makes it much easier to plan. This was kind of similar with NPS this year as there were more events than the year before since so much more was open on Capitol Hill.

| What are your concerns for your Region/Division specifically | What are the implications for ACTE? | In what capacity can ACTE assist in addressing this issue? |
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| Region II Conference 2023 | Publicity, Attendance, Financial implications | Promotion |
| Teacher shortage | Membership, Programming | Promotions, campaigns, networking with other national organizations to bring CTAE to the table |
| Continued Growth in Membership | Membership, Financial Implications | Promotions, Incentives for Membership, Membership experiences |

D. Region/Division Concerns

E. Items to be placed on the Board Agenda for Discussion

(Only include items that require Board discussion or action. These will be placed on the Board meeting agenda.)