

Update on Executive Director Work

October 2018

Next Generation Science Standards and Climate Science Education Grant

ESD Funding began July 1, 2018 and will end June 30, 2019. On July 9 and 10 Climate Science/Science Coordinator and Community Based Organizations joint meeting was facilitated by Dr. Ellen Ebert, OSPI, State Director of Science Education, to plan and align climate science teacher learning for 2018-2019.

Coordinated Services Agreement (CSA) – ESD Signatures on September 18, 2018

OSPI and ESD leadership have reviewed the CSA (Coordinated Services Agreement) outlining the roles and responsibilities for the OSPI/AESD coordination of complementary services. The CSA is reviewed and signed annually. Included in the CSA are Appendix A (composition of OSPI and AESD Executive Leadership Team), and Appendix B (Timelines/Schedules for planning). The Executive Leadership Team meets a minimum of twice per year (Sept. and March), and more often as necessary.

AESD Strategic Plan: Goal Three – “Tell our Story”

Upcoming Presentations:

Washington Educational Research Association: December 5, 2018: ***“Micro-credentials: Building a partnership to address teacher quality, shortages, and new delivery models,”*** - Co-presenting with PESB (Professional Educational Standards Board at WERA Pre-Conference, December 5, 2018) These could be in areas of specific content shortages, STEM, computer science, special education, etc. Session #6, 9 a.m. to noon.

Washington Educational Research Association: December 7, 2018: ***“Illuminating the Elusive: Year One Findings from Evaluating Teacher Professional Development in Washington.”*** 1:15 p.m. to 2:30 p.m. Hilary Loeb and Janet Gordon. Sea-Tac Hilton Hotel

WSSDA (Washington State School Directors Association) Annual Conference, *Nine ESDs. One Network: Supporting Washington’s Schools and Communities.* Larry submitted application to present. November 2018: WSSDA Theme: ***Embrace Your Influence*** (presenters: Rainer, Dana, Greg, Larry and others interested in sharing the success of the Network). Friday, November 16, 3:30

p.m. to 4:30 p.m. Include examples/models of Washington School Improvement Framework and ESD work around school safety/mental health and School Systems and Student Support.

AESD Website development: News articles, updates, posted regularly, used to inform key audiences (districts we serve, legislators, partners, potential partners)

AESA Perspectives (September 2018) ***Historic Look: Creating pathways to becoming an antiracist multicultural organization (Part 2).*** By Melia LaCour, Executive Director, Equity in Education, Puget Sound Educational Service District.

Would like to include Northeast Washington Educational Service District #101, videos. (Mick, okay with you and team to move over to AESD Website?)

Other Issues:

Single Point of Contact (Any changes?)

Update of OSPI/AESD Roles and Responsibilities (In Drop Box – 10/12 for edits, please)

SILT Meeting Dates (October 18, February 21, and May 9 – All at PSESD) – Attendee List and October 18 agenda update/Realtime Application and Check-In Protocol (Thank you, Mick and Ric for your agenda suggestions and leadership).

OSPI/AESD Executive Leadership Team Meeting – October 5, 9 a.m. to noon (Zoom) – per Appendix A in the CSA that this team should meet twice a year to develop and coordinate goals and joint activities/projects for 2018-19.

2018 AESD Legislative Briefing (Math, Science, ELA, and Early Learning Coordinator Services (Handout)

Disability History Month – October 2018 (Flier)

WERA Conference – December 5-7, Sea-Tac Hilton Hotel

Computer Science Summit: Monday, October 15, Office of Lt. Governor, Amazon Tower II Day 1 Building, 1 – 3 p.m. Purpose: The purpose of the meeting, organized by Code.org and hosted by Amazon and Microsoft, is to solicit feedback from stakeholders about how we can improve the computer science education landscape in Washington. Our discussion will focus on developing legislation that increases investments in teacher training, professional development, and classroom technology in order to establish computer science courses in K-12 schools statewide.