## **REPORT TO THE WA-ACTE EXECUTIVE BOARD**

# **WA-ACTE Past - President**

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### 1. General Thoughts:

Greetings all. I hope that your start of your 4<sup>th</sup> quarter of classes is progressing well and all in your life are safe and healthy. As I write this report, I am completing my first week of vacation on my way to a June 30<sup>th</sup> retirement from teaching and administration in the Auburn School District. If I could wish anything for each of you is that you learn all you can from those that came before you and share what you have found important. This sharing is what makes CTE and all the people in WA-ACTE special. Please think about what you or the people you look up to can present at this summers conference as we know our fellow teachers and directors are looking for those fresh ideas that will hopefully spark our students' interest. Enjoy the end of this 20-21 school year you know 2021-22 will be even better. Cause I said so.

### 2. Strategic Plan Activities:

I have been working with the executive team review our succession plan as well as how to continue the growth of WA-ACTE as the best professional development group for all our sections. Doug Merrill is working to bring his strategic initiatives into reality and create a great direction for our team.

### 3. Matters of Interest:

As we look at the summer conference, we are working hard to build in person presentations as well as the best of virtual experiences for our sections. We are asking all presenters to either present live or be online during their session time to answer questions and expand on information if needed. We will again have all our sessions taped for reviewing after the August conference. I hope you will have the ability to join us.

### 4. Executive Committee Activities:

The PD committee is putting in long hours in hopes they can bring us those unforgettable sessions that will make your 2021-22 the best. But remember a session is not a session until the paperwork is in. See you in Spokane.