

# REPORT TO THE WA-ACTE EXECUTIVE BOARD

## WA-ACTE President

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### **1. General thoughts**

I hope at the time of this report that you and your family are doing well. I know that for me these past weeks have been trying as I look to how best support my teachers and their students. As your president I now find myself in this place with each of you. How do I assist you in getting you the information and support that will make your life more productive and in turn better for the states students? Please know that if there is anything that I can do to assist you I'm here, just as I know the other members of this organization are here for each of you. Keep safe and stay healthy, we will come out the other side of this stronger and better for our students and families.

### **2. Strategic Plan Activities:**

We are continuing to work with OSPI and PESB to help move CTE certification for Plan 2 participants. It is a rewarding process as the state is looking to put in place requirements that support CTE and all our teachers as they work toward their final certification.

The WA-ACTE board is also working on how to best deliver a robust and informational summer conference while not knowing what our August gathering will look like at this time. We are setting up for on-line, face to face and even a hybrid to make sure you gain the support and information you need.

### **3. Matters of Interest:**

With all of my instructors running instruction from their homes I find myself trying to separate good online information (software) with possible busy work. But with the help of teachers and directors around the state I believe we are finding great new ways to get our information out to our teachers and students. If you've found helpful items, please think about joining in with other instructors to share your best finds. We could set up a system of sharing at this summer's conference, if interested please contact me.

### **4. Executive Committee Activities:**

The Executive committee has been meeting on line learning about virtual conferences and with the stay at home order Region V was postponed.