GACTE
Georgia Association for Career and Technical Education
Committee Report

Committee Name: Public Relations  Date: April 2017

Committee Chair:
Kedrione Harris, GVATE/Ag Ed
Cindy Quinlan, GMEA

Committee Members:

Activities Status (What has been done? What has been planned?):

GACTE is formally working with the Charlie Hayslett Group for public relations initiatives for the 2016-2017 school year.

1. All members were sent an reminder email from Cindy Quinlan asking for input as members of the Public Relations Committee. The email again requested an action item to find speaking engagements leads for Matthew Gambill with civic organizations across the state as requested by Charlie Hayslett. The form letter outline written by Mr. Hayslett was provided committee members within the email communication.

2. Per Charlie Hayslett: As an initial public relations initiative, we developed several CTAE alumni profiles, as a way of beginning to tell the CTAE story. These were posted to the GACTE website and one of them, has now been picked up and posted to the website of an important U.S. House of Representatives committee.

   *Due to this success, Matthew Gambill has requested that more of these CTAE alumni profiles be created to use for promotional efforts across the state.

3. An update on the progress of the Charlie Hayslett Group will be sent out following the April GACTE board meeting.

Progress on Strategic Plan Initiatives:

#1 Membership
#2 Communication
#3 Organizational Management
#4 Leadership Development
#5 Professional Development
#6 Legislative Policy
#7 Technology
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<td>This report should be completed and e-mailed to all members of the board prior to each meeting. Please attach a copy of the committee meeting minutes and detail items pertaining to the time frame of this report. Please make sure the Secretary has an electronic copy of your report to include in our files. Each committee is also required to summarize the committee’s activities for the year at the annual assembly of members meeting.</td>
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