

2018 Summer Inservice
Committee Minutes



Legislative Action

Chair: Rick Hance

Committee Members Present: Rick Hance, Shaw Dygert, Chelsie Fugate, Max Blitman, Katie Mosman, Brian Wolf, Steven Wilder, Sam Condie, JR Marrow, and Troy Bird

Non-Voting Members Present: Denton Perkins and Jason Clemens

Business:

Old Business:

1. Minutes of 2017 reviewed. Motion made and passed to approve.

New Business:

1. Motion made and passed to continue membership with the Idaho Food Producers Association.
 - a. Recommend that the IATA officers contact Glenn Orthel and Richard Ledington requesting their continued service as IATA representatives.
2. Motion made and passed that the 2019 committee chair be Katie Mosman.

Discussion Items:

1. Concern over publishing over the website the personal information contained in the Idaho Agriculture Teachers Directory.
 - a. Recommend that a PDF complete version of the Idaho Agriculture Teachers Directory be emailed for all IATA members.
 - b. Recommend that the current web version be removed.
2. IQPS updates discussed. Awareness brought concerning the round-table and workshop opportunities and potential questions to bring up during those presentations.
 - a. Cross-over between IQPS and AET forms be evaluated.

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- b. Requesting that FFA Activity section focus only on FFA membership and not total program enrollment.
 - c. Recommend that programs be encouraged to submit IQPS applications even if the possibility of funding is remote. The advantages is the development a professional culture that strives for continued program improvement and professionalism.
 - d. Recommend that the IATA support efforts to pursue increasing additional IQPS dollars to fully fund at the \$625,000 level.
3. Concern over the relationship with the CTE and the agriculture programs. Since the CTE only answers to the governor and state board of education, there was no attempt to try to develop and set of key priorities over the upcoming year by this committee.
 - a. Recommended that the special committee of Team Ag-Ed look into setting those priorities and developing those working relationships.
4. Legislative Update items of discussion surrounded the support to fully fund the IQPS at the \$625,000 level and why this did not occur this year. Discussion on removing the requirement for a student organization to receive added-cost funding for programs meeting a certain definition. Discussion on the goal to have representation at certain key events that could develop advantageous legislative relationships. Discussion concluded with the desire to transfer the responsibilities of the legislative liaison which will take more than one year to accomplish in order to maintain continuity and effectiveness of that position.
 - a. Recommend that Katie Mosman become a legislative liaison-in-training chair in order to take over the responsibilities in the future representing the IATA.
 - b. Recommended that two legislative representatives from the IATA have their spots funded in order to attend the Agriculture All-Star Dinner and the Strolling Supper with the current legislative liaison and the upcoming liaison having priority to attend these events.

Motion to adjourn was moved and passed.

Committee convened again with the following discussion items:

1. Increase the representation of legislative liaisons to include an additional two representatives making the positions regional legislative liaisons.

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- a. Recommend that those appointments be Kyle Stapleton and Mark Betia.
 - b. Recommend that the money donated back to the IATA from the double payment of CTEI dues be earmarked as an expense fund for the legislative liaison chairs.
2. Recommend that the IATA Secretary send out appropriate thank you notes.

Motion to adjourn moved and passed.

Action items to be submitted to IATA Leadership for continued follow-up:

1. Continue membership with the Idaho Food Producers. Contact Glenn Orthel and Richard Ledington to determine if they will continue their service as IATA representatives.
2. Recommend that a PDF complete version of the Idaho Agriculture Teachers Directory be emailed for all IATA members.
3. Recommend that the current web version of the Idaho Agriculture Teachers Directory be removed.
4. Recommend that programs be encouraged to submit IQPS applications.
5. Recommend that the IATA support efforts to pursue increasing additional IQPS dollars to fully fund at the \$625,000 level.
6. Recommended that the special committee of Team Ag-Ed look into setting priorities and developing working relationships with the Department of Career and Technical Education in order to improve communication and cooperation.
7. Recommend that Katie Mosman become a legislative liaison-in-training chair in order to take over the responsibilities of the current legislative liaison chair in the future representing the IATA and that she begin in that position with the passing of this report.
8. Recommended that the IATA increase the representation of legislative liaisons to include an additional two representatives making the positions regional legislative liaisons and that those appointments be Kyle Stapleton and Marc Betia and they begin in those positions with the passage of this report.
9. Recommend that the money donated back to the IATA from double payment of the CTEI dues be earmarked as an expense fund for the legislative liaison chair.

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10. Recommended that two legislative representatives from the IATA have their attendance funded in order to attend the Agriculture All-Star Dinner and the Strolling Supper with the current legislative liaison chair and the upcoming liaison chair having priority to attend these events.
11. Recommend that the IATA secretary send out appropriate “thank you” correspondence immediately following this inservice to individuals, businesses, presenters, and the host school commending them for their time and efforts in our behalf.
12. **2018-2019 Chair will be Katie Mosman.**

Motion to accept this Legislative Action/Public Relations Committee report as presented.