

Facilitating Coordination in Agricultural Education Local Program Success - Summary of District 2 Activities for Luke Allen

January 2025

Total Visits	Total Administrator Visits	Total Counselor Visits	PM11: Ag Teachers Assisted
9	1	0	12
Secondary Schools Assisted Through In-Person or Virtual Visits:			
Chicago Area			
CPS Chicago Ag Science			
CPS John Marshall			
CPS Ray Graham Vocational			
Gary Comer Youth Center HS			
Glenbard East			
Grayslake North/Central			
Lockport			
Oswego			
WILCO ACC			
Other School Visits:			3
Glenbard South/West/North			
Hille Middle School - Oak Forest			
West Aurora HS			
Presentations/Workshops Provided:		#Participants/#Workshops	20
Section Fair Manager Training		20	1
PM4: Consumer Outreach Activities		#Participants/#Activites	18
West Chicago HS: Ag Ed Career & Hort CDE		18	1
Meetings/Conventions/Conferences Attended:			27
ELS Conference Planning			
IAVAT/FFA Joint Board Meeting			
National FFA NQPS Update Team Meetings: "Overall" committee			
National FFA NQPS Update Team Meetings: Facilities committee			
National FFA NQPS Update Team Meetings: Classroom committee			
IL Jr. MANRRS Advisor Meeting			
Will Co Farm Bureau Manager Mark Schneidewind Retirement Celebration			
IL AgEd STAR Committee			
IAVAT Professional Development Committee			
IL Agri-Food Alliance Workforce Summit Followup Webinar			
Monthly Check-in with K.Ambers, GAST Intern at CHSAS			
Visited Earlville and Grand Ridge Middle Schools to help Jack Hille MS plan a new program			
IL Jr. MANRRS Conference Planning Meeting			
Cook Co AITC, IL Agri-Food Alliance Planning Meeting			
Section 8 IAVAT Winter Meeting			
ADM Grant Management/FY24 Wrap-up Call and Meeting			
Section 8 AgEd CDE			
AgEd Teacher Candidate S.Griffin Licensure Assistance			
Illinois FFA Alumni Conference			
IL AgEd State Staff Meeting			
Gary Comer FFA: ADM Grant Assistance Call			
Glenbard East SAE & FFA Assistance Call			
IAVAT Legislative Committee			
Food Science CDE Planning: McCormick-Fona			

ILAgEd State Staff Zoom

Food Science CDE Planning: Newlyweds Foods

Urban Growers Collective: Planning for Urban Ag Teacher PD

Other Activities:

Answered questions and tracked 14 National FFA Foundation's ADM Engage and Exchange grants

Assisted WILCO with running their third FFA Meeting of the year, discussed AgEd Careers

Planning for Section 8 Horticulture, Public Speaking, Job Interview, and Parli Pro CDEs

Planning & Hosting Section 8 and District 2 AgEd CDE

Communicated with Food Industry representatives to plan the IL FFA Food Science CDE

Emails, calls, texts with teachers and stakeholders

Weely review of ILAGEd.org and management of ILAGEd.org