

REPORT TO THE WA-ACTE EXECUTIVE BOARD

Executive Director

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1. General Thoughts:

Many of you know of the passing of my wife Ricky. She made her very first trip accompanying our Washington ACTE contingent to Region V in Hawaii, but we sadly returned to having her need to go to urgent care on the Monday following our return that started the very quick diagnosis of Colon Cancer which metastasized into her liver, lung and peritoneal cavity. She quietly passed on June 12th with family by her side. The good news is that many, many friends, former student, teaching colleagues, former classmates were able to visit with her before her final days under the kind and amazing care of Hospice Staff at the Whatcom Hospice House in Bellingham.

I must personally thank the officer team for joining in with Franciene and Tess to keep doing the important work of our association!! I cannot thank them enough!

2. Strategic Plan Activities:

With the work of the officers and staff, the activities of the Strategic Plan have continued, albeit some will be continued into the new year as we transition into a new year.

3. Matters of Interest:

The officer team and staff have continued to work with the Succession Planning team, led by former officer Lew Keliher on positioning us all for a smooth transition of staff when the time comes in the future.

4. Executive Committee Activities:

Continuing with the work of the association as described above.