Regional Representatives – Duties and Responsibilities

From the PA Principals Association Policy Manual

6a. Regional Representatives

Eighteen members elected by the membership as specified by the provisions of the PA Principals Association Bylaws by geographic region for terms of three years with six or eight members elected each year. Each will be an active member of PA Principals Association, a member of the Act 93 agreement and elected regional representatives shall begin their duties at the termination of the business meeting at the annual conference. Prior to beginning their duties, newly elected representatives shall attend an orientation session. Newly elected representatives will be invited to attend the summer retreat.

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The elected regional Board members shall represent members from the following geographic sections and regions of the Commonwealth:

Eastern Regions

- --East I Region Susquehanna, Wayne, Lackawanna, Wyoming, Pike and Luzerne Counties.
- -- East II Region Monroe, Carbon, Schuylkill, Lehigh, Northampton and Berks Counties.
- --East III Region Bucks, Montgomery, Chester, Philadelphia and Delaware Counties.

Central Regions

- --Central I Region McKean, Potter, Tioga, Bradford, Elk, Cameron, Clinton, Lycoming, Clearfield, Centre and Sullivan Counties.
- --Central II Region Union, Northumberland, Columbia, Snyder, Montour, Dauphin, Perry, Lebanon, Cumberland, Lancaster, Franklin, Adams and York Counties.
- --Central III Region Somerset, Bedford, Fulton, Juniata, Huntingdon, Mifflin, Blair and Cambria Counties.

Western Regions

- --West I Region Erie, Warren, Crawford, Venango, Forest, Clarion, Clearfield and Jefferson Counties.
- --West II Region Mercer, Lawrence, Beaver, Butler, Armstrong and Indiana Counties.
- --West III Region Washington, Greene, Fayette, Allegheny and Westmoreland Counties.

Each of the 18 Regional Representatives will be full voting members of the Board of Directors and serve an elected term of office for three years.

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Duties and Responsibilities of Regional Representatives and Appointed Members

- a. Attends all meetings of the Board of Directors as scheduled unless excused by the President for valid personal reasons.
- b. Notifies the president when unable to attend meetings of the Board of Directors.
- c. Represents the Association by assuming responsibilities of a leadership nature at assigned functions or meetings.
- d. Reports activities of his/her region, represented group, and/or committee to the Board of Directors at each meeting.
- e. Agrees to attend the annual business meeting of NAESP or NASSP if attending the convention.
- f. Reports back to his/her region information from the Board of Directors meetings and acts as the catalyst for action in his/her region.
- g. Conducts regional meetings. Prior approval from the President is required if meeting expenses are anticipated to exceed \$150.
- h. Accepts other duties as requested.
- i. Attends the state conference and business meeting.

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Expenses

Reimbursement as per policy: meals, mileage, lodging and mail expenses. Revised 10/14/17

- a. Expenses paid for attendance at the PA Principals Association Conference.
- b. Expenses paid for attendance at all functions representing PA Principals Association as requested by the president.
- c. Whenever possible, Board members should make every effort to seek reimbursement from their school district for the expenses of room, additional meals and travel. Reimbursement requests for all other PA Principals Association function expenses must be submitted along with receipts for payment on the monthly reimbursement schedule.