

SRPLN Middle Managers Conference Call
November 13, 2014
9am Central/10am Eastern
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Welcome and Introductions

Lonnie Johnson

Everyone was travelling and we did not have our Secretary present so we do not have a complete list of attendees.

PLC Representative Updates

Greg Price, Carolyn Williams

Greg reported that they had one conference call and were working on an evaluation

Advisor Updates

Joe Zublena, Celvia Stovall

No report

PLN Urban Pre-Conference

Charlie Vavrina

Charlie reported that we would have to indicate our willingness to conduct this by December 1 and thought that we could feature urban efforts by administrators, however a recent email from Greg indicates that middle managers may forego the pre-conference for one year and allow the PLC to do a pre-conference around some of the new impact reporting efforts.

Building Urban Networks

Sheldon Hammond

Sheldon reported on the National Urban Leaders Network meeting to be held in San Antonio and that NULN will meet while at the National Extension Urban Conference in Georgia.

Strengthening Relationships w/ Government Officials

Sheri Schwab

No report

Working with CRD

Sheri Schwab

Sheri sent an email that stated she would check with Susan Jakes. It was suggested that we wait for them to contact middle managers.

2015 Middle Managers Conference

Blake Lanford

Blake reported that they are working on the tours. The website is up and he will resend the email regarding conference registration. They are planning for 10 workshops/session and currently had four scheduled. They were still looking for a keynote speaker and Sheri is checking on someone from NCST. Hotel reservations should be made by Feb. 13th at the Francis Marion Hotel

MM Newsletter

Charlie Vavrina

Charlie reported that the first newsletter was completed and focused on Creative Funding in Extension.

Administrative Track for National Urban Conference

Charlie Vavrina

Charlie reported that the organization of the track is complete. Sheldon will check on the procedure to register special guests who have been approved complimentary registration.

PLN Agenda for 2015

Lonnie Johnson

Lonnie reported that we need to start work on our agenda for 2015

Next conference call will be Feb 12, 2015