

SEDSRT 2009-2010 Conference Report

At our recent district meetings, we have talked about the feasibility of continuing as a district. There seems to be only about 5 of us that continue to get together. When a conference comes our way- we have been able to recruit reliable help, but those people are otherwise not active in the district. Therefore we believe that dissolving the districts is a practical option. If the board decided on making joint East and West districts it may have some benefits--but if this is done--we would also like to see the conference cut down to ever-other year. I know that if we were required to put on a conference every other year verses every 4th - it would not happen. Just not enough people willing to help do this kind of work-when they have other options of getting their credits.

Other main topic discussion for our district is the Affiliate Subordinate Compliance requirements of the ASRT. The ASRT wants all districts to be filing 990 tax exempt forms to stay in compliance with them. After lengthy discussion—we have decided not to move forward with this request. As a barely functioning district-we really see not benefit from it.

Respectfully Submitted,

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