

Councilor/Liaison Report

2011 Fall Executive Committee meeting

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The following are activities I have worked on as Councilor-at-Large and as Liaison (Pacific Northwest Section) for the second half of 2011:

- served on the Field Camp Scholarship Committee
- served as chair on the James H. Shea Award Committee
- served on the Distinguished Speakers Committee
- served as Councilor-at-Large
- served as Liaison to the Pacific Northwest Section
- submitted Liaison Report to Pacific Northwest Section Officers and the Spring 2011 Newsletter
- submitted "*The State of My State Survey*" to the Spring 2011 PacNW Newsletter
- communications with Washington State OEST recipient regarding possible attendance at the annual section meeting
- volunteered to serve on the Geoscience Teachers in the Parks Committee; communication with Ian MacGregor regarding possible future funding sources
- attended the mid-term Executive Committee meeting at Principia College, April 2011
- attending the 2011 GSA annual meeting
- co-chair for the NAGT sponsored technical session "*Extreme Climate and Weather Events; Past, Present, and Future*" at the 2011 annual meeting of GSA, Minneapolis, MN
- helped coordinate the Naomi Oreskes book signing at GSA 2011
- volunteer at the NAGT booth (2010 Denver & 2011 Minneapolis)
- began planning for hosting the 2012 Pacific Northwest Section conference in Spokane, Washington to be hosted by Spokane Community College in June 2012