

CTAG Liaison Report: Joe Spitzmueller(MDA)

CTAG will conduct its summer board meeting on Sunday August 7 ahead of the PACT meeting in Portland. Due to budget/travel constraints this is a short meeting. CTAG will welcome two new Extension representatives to the board Betsy Buffington of Iowa State University and Mark Robson of Rutgers University replacing outgoing CES members Roger Flashinski and Becky Maguire. The board will use the time to review and perhaps finalize a couple position papers currently in draft form. We will also future directions, opportunities and challenges for the Board. I will provide a you a written summary of the meeting.