

**PARTT Electronic Communications Chairman Report**  
**State Board Meeting**  
**Del Rio, Texas – March 4-5, 2016**

Since the occasion of our August, 2015 workshop held in San Antonio, I have strived to build on Isabel Vezzetti's success in her previous role as ECC Chairman, to lead our 20 Texas Tables in the maintenance and improvement of their web sites, wherever possible.

I set my goals as follows:

1. To introduce suggested changes for all PARTT web sites
2. To have a Table group photo posted on all web pages by the end of 2015
3. To expect 100% participation in implementing changes to the web sites by the end of the biennium
4. To have 100% participation in submitting all web site information by the end of August, 2016.

Using the restructured McAllen web page as an example, I proposed to the new Table Directors and ECCs that they explore new possibilities to restructure the appearance of their web pages, for a more uniform and detailed format.

I also strongly urged them to post an updated group picture of each table at the beginning of each biennium. This would serve three purposes; one: to make their sites more attractive, two: to have a visual representation of their members and three: to have a photo ready to comply with the Alliance's request to provide them with a group photo every two years.

For a clearer understanding of the changes I proposed, I also provided those present with a list of several additional headings for inclusion in the web site and a detailed definition of the information to be posted under each heading. They also received criteria for the submission of information to the State ECC and to the Web Master.

The existing headings were as follows:

**Programs**                      **Scholarships**                      **History**                      **Photo Gallery**

For speedier retrieval of information, my suggestions for changes to the web sites are as follows:

**Historical Profile** – current history

**Early Table History**

**Archives** – where they are located

**Yearbook** – To include a list current members, new officers and committees, as well as programs and schedules for the year or the biennium.

**Special Events/Projects** – to replace the photo gallery

**Scholarships/Awards**

The attached document charts the progress of the above goals during my first year in this position.

<b>20 Tables</b>	<b>2015</b>	<b>2016</b>	<b>Percentage</b>
<b>Restructured</b>		5	25%
<b>Group Photo</b>	4	11	55%
<b>Early History</b>	20	20	100%
<b>Historical Profile</b>	5 (were up to date)	12	60%
<b>Yearbook</b>	20	18	90%
<b>Scholarship Info</b>	15	18	90%

During the next year, I will continue to urge all Table ECCs and Directors to reach the hoped-for 100% participation by the end of the biennium.

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