



Director's Report-Randy Caruso, EASGV President

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LEADERSHIP

Discussion about the challenges each region faces. Roundtable of the out of the box solutions that were executed with success as well as some that did not work as well. With the many different geographical locations and variations in sizes of the regions it helped cast a brighter light on the struggles and how different they can be across the state.

MEMBERSHIP

With a struggling economy and the down market industry, further discussion about how to maintain membership and even increase membership. Discussed ways of reaching out to the industry, title companies, department managers, DOC independent companies as well as the Escrow Institute as to the value of membership in CEA. How we could approach companies as a teaching tool. Presenting ourselves as an instructional tool. And the need to provide the community and the industry with the value of our membership's commitment to continuing education.

GOVERNANCE

A catastrophic recovery plan was discussed further. Each member was assigned a section of the Manual of Policies and Procedures to develop a plan for review in mid September by teleconference.

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