



Affiliate Annual Report Form

Submit this form to your Regional Director and the
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Please return this form by December 31st of each year to your Regional Director and a copy to the National Office. **This report should cover anything that has occurred between January 1 and December 31 of the current year.**

State/Territory: Tennessee Date: 12/7/18
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What accomplishments/progress has your Affiliate made in the past year?

(Consider member resources, awards and recognition, public affairs, etc.) The Tennessee affiliate worked diligently to align all their officers' responsibilities and duties as close as possible to the national level officers. In addition, a script was developed based off the national officers' business meeting script to ensure a seamless, smooth business meeting. This proved to be very successful at our last business meeting. A new website was developed for TEAFCS and it has made it much easier for the membership to locate deadlines, officer information, events, etc. The plan is to make the website even more interactive for renewing membership dues in the next year.

What are your Affiliate's goals for the next 12 months? Goals for 2019 include:

- Make the TEAFCS website interactive to allow all members the ability to renew membership online.
- All state Vice Presidents will have committees consisting of each regional VP (3 regions) to assist with their role as state VP.
- Increase state award submissions by 10%.

What challenges do Cooperative Extension and/or Family & Consumer Sciences pose

in your state? There are fewer college graduates seeking degrees in areas of Family and Consumer Sciences, resulting in a smaller candidate pool for open positions.

To assist NEAFCS in future planning and communication, please list concerns your Affiliate has for the NEAFCS Board to address:

We have no concerns at this time. We are pleased with the changes the national board and national office has implemented with scholarships and awards. Also, there has been substantial increase with communication at the national level.