

NASSCED Member Resource Survey 2010

#52

State Represented *	North Carolina
Organization Represented *	North Carolina Association of Student Councils
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Executive Director #3	
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Approximate Number of Member Schools *	50
Annual Membership Fee	\$95.00
Does your membership elect State Officer...	Schools
Please describe how your association selects its State Officers/Schools:	Election by member schools at the annual conference in March/April.
Which best describes the sponsorship (if any) of your association?	Independent of your State Principals Association
Is the Executive Director of your association a full-time position?	No – with a stipend
Does your association currently have 501(c)3 non-profit status?	No
State Convention 2010–2011 date	March 26–28
For your State Convention, how are students primarily housed?	Host Families
For your State Convention, what is your primary meeting facility?	School Building
Please identify and describe a unique or outstanding aspect of your State Convention.	
Other Conference/Event #1, with 2010–2011 date	Middle Level Workshop, September 25–26
Other Conference/Event #2, with 2010–2011 date	
Other Conference/Event #3, with 2010–2011 date	
Please identify and describe a unique or outstanding aspect of one of the three events listed above.	Weekend workshop for students in grades 6–9; held at a 4–H camp facility. Largest attendance this year (185) in the past ten years.
Does your association currently include middle level schools as members?	Yes
As State Officers?	YES
As Regional or District Officers, within your state?	YES
At the same state Conventions or Conferences?	YES
At their own state Conventions or Conferences?	Not applicable
At Regional conferences?	YES
At NASC L.E.A.D. Conferences?	YES
At NASC National Conferences?	YES
In the same award programs as high schools?	YES
In their own award programs?	YES

Does your association conduct a summer leadership program?	YES
If your answer above was YES, please list below the name and summer 2011 date (if known) for each of your summer programs:	July 11-15
What is the fee per delegate for your summer program?	\$250.00
Have a separate advanced level program?	NO
Have a separate middle level program?	YES
Serve as a prerequisite to becoming a State Officer?	YES
Award/Program #1 Description:	Honor Council [separate recognitions for middle and high schools]; based upon submission of an application with appropriate evidences/documentation; non-competitive among schools (if school meets criteria, award is given)]
Award/Program #2 Description:	Hall of Fame [recognition by the state association of individual student leaders for contributions to their home student council and/or state association; based upon letter of nomination from home school student council; schools are not limited as to the number of nominations]
Award/Program #3 Description:	Adviser of the Year
How does your association deal with the issue of advisor turnover?	Make special efforts to welcome new advisers at state events and encourage their continued participation in future events
What is another significant problem currently facing your association, and how are you dealing with it?	Apathy toward student activities by school administrators who are too focused on raising test scores.
What advice do you have for someone who has just become a new Executive Director?	Make a commitment to fulfill the role with passion and seek to lead by example for both advisers and students. You will get out of it what you put into it. There is no final destination that you should seek, but rather view it as a journey that will enrich your life, both professionally and personally.

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