

## All-State Choir Chair Report

I have teleconferenced extensively with Michael Short, the outgoing All-State Choir Chair. We have:

- Created a detailed job description of the All-State Choir Chair responsibilities.
- Created a calendar of tasks to ensure that all tasks are accomplished and deadlines met.
- Updated all tasks already accomplished for the 2014 Calendar.
- Exchanged a database of names and emails required to perform the chair's tasks.
- Exchanged a database of templates and sample correspondence for use of the chair.

Here is an overview and update of other activities and preparations for the 2014 All-State Choir

- All clinicians have been confirmed for the 2014 All-State Choirs.
- All clinicians have been vetted and contacted for the 2015 All-State Choirs.
- I have toured the Cook Convention Center and the Canon Center extensively, walking perspective distances and routes.
- I have asked Peter Colin to serve as Equipment Chair for the 2014 All-State Choirs.
- I have confirmed through personal correspondence that all three All-State Choir Organizing Chairs are returning for 2014.
- Corresponded and confirmed Mark Robertshaw for Part CD's.
- I am aware of only positive feedback and perception on all fronts regarding 2013 All-State. Thank you very much for an excellent job Michael Short, Amanda Ragan, Leah Holland, and Johnny Kimbrough!!

2014 All-State Clinicians:

SATB Choir: Dr. Paul Torkelson, University of Nevada, Reno; Mid-America Productions Conductor in Residence

Men's Choir: Dr. Galen Darrough, University of Northern Colorado Director of Choral Activities

Women's Choir: Meg Hulley Frazier, Loyola University New Orleans