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Section Support Committee Chair's Report

To: Region 3 ExCom & Region 3 Committee

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The March 2019 **Region 3 Monthly Section Support Forum** was held on Thursday, Mar 14th evening and then a second meeting with the same agenda was held on Friday, Mar 15th morning. The meetings have been well attended with good discussion during the sessions. The agenda for this month's Forum was:

- ▶ Review the IEEE Section & Membership Calendar >> What is coming up in the next 3 months
- ▶ Volunteer Training – ***Make an Impact!*** - through the MOVE Project and how Section members can get involved.
- ▶ Attendance: **19**
- ▶ Open Discussion

This same format will be followed each month with a meeting on the second Thursday of the month and then a meeting on Friday. Future sessions are planned on vTools and Projects. Please submit suggestions on topics that you would like to see discussed.

Please feel free to contact me with suggestions to better serve our Region 3 members.

Mark Torres, PE

2019 Region 3 SSC Chair

2019 Region 3 Region Vitality Coordinator to MGA

Alabama Section Past Chair 2014 - 2016

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Backup Information

The Section Support Committee (SSC) was established on Jan 1st 2018 as per the updated Region Committee structures. Many of the functions of the old Member Engagement and Life Cycle (MELC) Committee have transitioned into the SSC. The SSC will meet monthly on the 2nd Tuesday of the month.

The 2018 committee members are:

Section Support Committee Chair	Mark Torres
Young Professional Coordinator	Edwin Mastache
Women in Engineering Coordinator	Allison Mercer
Life Member Coordinator	Tom Bellarmine
Senior Member Elevation Coordinator	Jacquelyn Cunningham
Sections Operations Specialists (Position 1)	Charles Lord
Sections Operations Specialists (Position 2)	Bill Marshall
Project Coordinator	Grayson Randall
Technical Activities Coordinator	Glenn Parker

SSC guiding principles:

- The Member **IS** IEEE. Engagement of every member is our goal.
- The Section **IS** IEEE to the Member and **OWNS** the Member **RELATIONSHIP**. Communities of interest such as YP, WIE and Society Chapters are the channels for engagement.
- The Region is the **ENABLER FOR** full member **ENGAGEMENT**

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