

To: Region 3 ExCom & Region 3 Committee

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Sb: Past Director's Report – March 21, 2016 ExCom

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Much of my focus has been on the MOVE Project this quarter. Once the order for the truck went to the manufacturer in December, there were various decisions and clarifications needed, additional equipment had to be ordered for the charging station, power control, equipment for the vehicle, tools, wheel chocks, etc.

The MOVE Vehicle was delivered to IEEE on March 4, 2016.



Since that time, 4 drivers went through special training on both the truck equipment and on operating a large vehicle. Feedback is that this extra training was very helpful.

During April and May our focus will be on training of volunteers (Disaster Relief, STEM and Public Visibility). However, we will hold some STEM and public visibility events to gain experience in that area.

Other focus is on completion of the charging station and internal build out and obtaining sponsors.

MOVE activities include:

1. **Derald Morgan** is leading the Fundraising effort. He is contacting businesses. If you know a potential sponsor, please get with Derald Morgan j.deraldmorgan@hotmail.com or let me know. **A sponsor flyer is available.** Contact Derald for more information.
2. The Truck Maintenance & Inventory Team is led **Jim Conrad**. The truck is currently at the Manufacturer's for some touch up paint, inspection, fluids change, etc. The Truck Maintenance Record book has been developed for use by drivers in meeting DOT (Department of Transportation) requirements.
3. **Truck** Build Out will continue during SoutheastCon. The truck will be parked off site in a secured lot during SoutheastCon, but will be available for the volunteer training on Thursday afternoon, March 31st and **open to the public and conference** attendees on Saturday, from 1-3pm.
4. Marketing – Please **Like** and **Share** our Facebook page <https://www.facebook.com/ieeemove/> The webpage has been updated and can be found at <http://www.ieeemove.org/> There was an article in The Institute at
5. <http://theinstitute.ieee.org/career-and-education/preuniversity-education/ieee-partners-with-red-cross-to-help-during-natural-disasters>
6. The first Volunteer Training will be held Thursday March 31st at 1:00 at SoutheastCon. **PLEASE register at** <http://training.ieeemove.org/> **Gregg Vaughn** will be leading this training and it will be focused on the equipment that is in the truck. Other training will also be provided at a later date via Webex.
7. **Butch Shadwell** is leading our STEM efforts for MOVE. He will demonstrate some STEM activities at SoutheastCon.
8. **IF YOU HAVE A REQUEST** for the MOVE truck, contact **Mary Ellen Randall** at merandall@ieee.org

To **learn more, donate,** or **volunteer,** visit www.ieeeusa.org/volunteers/outreach

Other meetings:

- 1/26 – Battery discussion
- 2/2 – WIE discussion
- 2/3 - Ideation Committee webex
- 2/4 – N & A Call
- 2/8 – MOVE call re: Wrap
- 2/9 – 2/14 – BOD Series meetings in San Diego
- 2/16 – MOVE Webex
- 2/17 – MOVE Webex

2/23 – MOVE Interview with Colonel Mason for National Science Radio
2/24 – MOVE Weekly Status
2/24 – MOVE Wrap Design
2/26 – Red Cross Fleet Manager call

Respectfully submitted,

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