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To: PSSC Member Superintendents, IU Executive Directors, AVTS Directors and Principals

From: Lawrence Wess, Executive Director

Date: March 2, 2012

Subject: Recognition for Outstanding Service in Education

As many of you are aware, the Pennsylvania School Study Council annually recognizes deserving individuals who have contributed to education in exemplary ways. We rely on our members and associates to identify these candidates through a simple nomination process. I would urge you to immediately take the few minutes necessary to submit a nomination. The process requires minimal work on your part and everyone benefits from a program that promotes excellence in our public schools.

We are requesting nominations for three awards from the membership. The awards are: The Walter J. DeLacy Award for **Excellence in Instruction**; The William E. Caldwell Award for **Excellence in Administration and Supervision**; and the William S. Vincent Award for **Support of Public Schools**. **Award winners receive** a wall plaque and two complimentary tickets to the Educational Leadership Alumni Tailgate held in association with a 2012 Penn State football game (to be announced). At the tailgate, the honorees are acknowledged for the achievements that have led to earning the prestigious awards. Award winners and their nominees also have the opportunity to purchase two tickets to the Penn State football game immediately following the tailgate. Finally, their name is added to the perpetual plaque mounted in the Rackley Building on the University Park campus. There is also provision for recognizing runner-up nominees who receive a certificate of commendation to be presented in their school district or another location designated by the district.

Please submit nominations prior to the May 25, 2012 submission deadline. A member organization may only nominate 3 people per award. The selection committee, consisting of members of the PSSC Awards Committee, will review nominations and select the award winners soon after. Please see the attached overview of PSSC and the awards process for more information.

The nomination process requires the completion of the enclosed nomination form, the provision of selected references, and any other pertinent data. If you wish to submit a nomination in more than one category, please feel free to photo copy the form. ***Return completed nomination forms to:***

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AWARD FOR OUTSTANDING SERVICE TO PUBLIC EDUCATION 2012

Award Category
(Please check one.)

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Excellence in
Administration
and Supervision

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Excellence in
Instruction

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Excellence in Support
of the Public Schools
(Board member,
volunteer or business/
community entity)

Candidate:

Position/Title:

School District/AVTS
or Intermediate Unit:

Candidate's Business Address:

Phone:

Candidate's Home Address:

Phone:

Nominations must be received by Friday, May 25, 2012

To complete this nomination packet, the following information must be attached:

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Candidate's resume

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Completed nomination statement
on the back of this form, endorsed
by the superintendent

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At least one letter of support
from a person other than
nominator

(over)

PSSC Award for Outstanding Service to Public Education Nomination Form 2012

NOMINATION STATEMENT: (continue on extra pages, if necessary)

Information About Person Completing This Form: (self-nominations accepted)

Name: _____ Position: _____

School District/IU/AVTS: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____ Date: _____

Endorsement by District Superintendent/IU Executive Director/AVTS Director:

I have reviewed this application and endorse the nomination.

Name (Please print or type) _____

Signature _____ Date _____
