



KECC UPDATE

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Victory Awards Nominations Due

One of the more important and exciting activities of the KECC is the recognition of hard work and dedication through awards given at the Victory Celebration. This year the Teamwork 2000 Victory Celebration is set for Tuesday, November 14th and will be held at the Farnham Dudgeon Civic Center in Frankfort. Continuing the football theme, the Celebration is titled "**Kentucky Bowl 2000!**" The Awards will be presented for **Best Overall Campaign Performance** and **Most Spirited Campaign**.

Best Overall Campaign Performance is an award for the work group (department, division or facility) that demonstrates the best overall campaign results. Many factors are considered in the criteria for this award since the goal is to recognize outstanding overall efforts that produce results. The Most Spirited Campaign Award will be presented to the work group that demonstrates the most enthusiasm and spirit in running the campaign. Nominations for both awards will be reviewed by a panel of independent judges.

Take advantage of this opportunity to have your group recognized! Anyone can nominate or be nominated. There are two awards presented in each category in order to provide a chance for large cabinets (over 900 employees) and small (under 900 employees.) Be creative in giving the judges reasons to award your nominee! One submission **already received** has included a "Spirit Book" (scrapbook) of that group's activities throughout the campaign.



This is your campaign! Here's your chance to get the recognition you deserve for all you hard work!

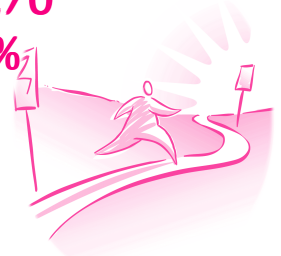
(See "Things You Should Know" for information on obtaining nomination forms.)

Dollars to Date: \$711,270

Percent of Goal: 50.7%

Our Goal:

\$1,400,000



Adjusting the numbers

During last years campaign, the Governor's Office of Technology was a part of Finance and Administration. In order to reflect 1999's totals and this years percentage of that number more fairly, \$13,661 has been moved in that category from Finance and Administration to Governor's Office. At last week's report meeting, Governor's Office had topped 106% of last year. This adjustment moves them to 59%. Easy come, easy go!

BRAGGING RIGHTS!!



This week the number of cabinets over 100% of last year's totals jumped from 6 to 9. But, the real news is that we now have three cabinets –

Economic Development, Labor and Public Protection - who have

surpassed this year's goal of 135%! The leader, by percentage, in both categories is **Eddie Jacobs and the Labor Cabinet**.

But, take a look at page two. Other cabinets are closing in fast!

And, a little bird told me today that **Post Secondary Education** will jump well over 100% of '99 next week and give the others a run for their percentages of \$1.4 million!

Congratulations! Keep up the good work!

**Want to do some bragging of your own?
Drop a line to cgill@crnky.org**

The Numbers

KECC Cabinet	YTD	10/23/00 % 1999
Agriculture	4,324	69.0%
Attorney General	10,712	117.6%
Auditor	10,639	87.8%
County Clerks	948	7.4%
Economic Dev.	9,131	141.7%
Ed, Arts & Humanities	35,569	72.2%
Families & Children	49,069	47.8%
Finance/Adm.	14,287	33.8%
Governor	18,135	59.0%
Health Services	48,623	51.4%
Human Rights	3,416	73.1%
Judicial Branch	22,652	73.1%
Justice	57,921	64.9%
KCTCS	11,543	11.3%
KY Retirement Sys.	2,329	41.7%
Labor	25,454	183.4%
Legislative Research	9,851	87.2%
Military Affairs	11,623	112.5%
Misc Boards	313	8.9%
Natural Resources	22,010	67.4%
Personnel	12,285	127.2%
Post Secondary Ed.	0	0.0%
Public Protection	83,634	155.5%
Revenue	42,309	122.0%
Secretary of State	3,616	88.8%
Tourism	18,251	73.1%
Transportation	140,447	70.1%
Treasury	2,083	121.0%
Unified Prosecutorial	2,788	67.9%
Workforce Dev.	37,308	121.1%
Total	\$ 711,270	68.4%
Goal	\$1,400,000	135.0%

Beating the Drum



If Mid Campaign can be compared to half-time at a football game, then with three weeks left in the campaign we are nearing the Fourth Quarter. Now is a good time to examine some numbers and see what we need to do to make \$1.4 million by November 14th. As of this week, we are at 50.7% of our goal. This time last year we stood at 60.5%. In order to meet this year's goal, we need to average \$229,576 per week for the next three weeks!

Sounds like quite a challenge doesn't it? Well, then look at these facts. In the last week alone we had a jump of nearly 10%. Participation is higher than it has ever been. Most cabinets are closing in on last years totals and will top that number soon. While some cabinets traditionally turn in the bulk of their reports late in the campaign, others which have traditionally lagged behind are setting records for themselves. Most important, veterans of many campaigns have remarked that the enthusiasm this year is unprecedented. Remember the Kickoff? Use that energy to round up those reports that have been slow in getting back. Is there an opportunity to set up another group meeting or two? Go for the Hail Mary pass! **Now** is the time to pull out all the stops!

Things You Should Know



In order to be ready for the Victory Celebration on Tuesday, November 14th, we need to have all the reports in by the Final Report Meeting on November 8th. Remember that the meetings scheduled for the final weeks will be November 1st and November 8th. That leaves just two meetings over the next three weeks to get your reports in. **But, don't wait for a meeting!** You can also drop off any reports you have this week at: Public Protection Cabinet, 90 Airport Rd, Suite I, Attention: Mary Barnes. Please drop them off by 10 A.M. so that we can come over and pick them up.

Have you filled out your nomination forms for Best Overall and Most Spirited Campaign? Criteria for nomination can be found on the forms themselves, which can be downloaded in Word format from the Coordinator's Toolkit on www.kecc.org.

Your next Report Meeting is November 1st.

