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Dear Member,

Perspectives: A Journal of Research and Opinion about Educational Service Agencies

This mailing includes two articles - #3 and #4 of this year's [Perspectives](#). One of them provides an insightful review of the turning points in the history of AESA. Authors - Bob Stephens, Peter Young, and Bill Keane. The other article is a perspective of and example of transformation in learning by ESAs utilizing data to help their school districts increase student achievement. Author - Rob Mancabelli.

AESA is trying to expand the reach of these valuable pieces of research and information about ESAs by sending them out as soon as they are received and continue to compile them in journal format. The Perspectives is released late in the year and will be again this year; however, it will be released in an online edition. We have the capacity to reach many more folks with this method than producing it in printed format. These articles are placed on the [AESAs website](#) for you to refer to or do additional referencing. We hope that you will like this format and we are grateful to the many contributors, the editorial board, and editor, Dr. Brian Talbott.

- [Turning Points in the Growth and Development of AESAs by E. Robert Stephens, Peter C. Young, and William G. Keane](#)
- [How 21st Century Service Agencies Create 21st Century Schools by Rob Mancabelli](#)