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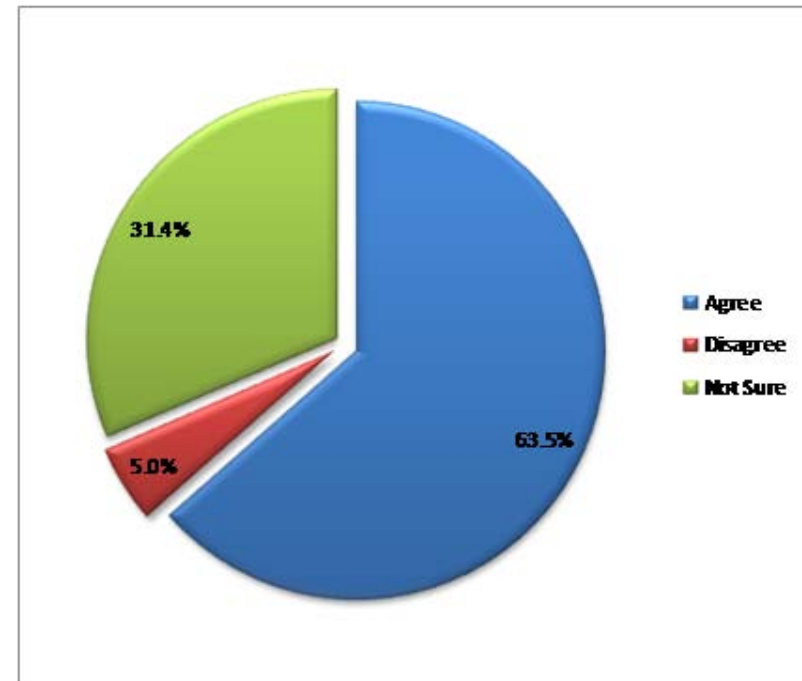
Texas Regional Entity Advisory Committee Self-Evaluation Results

January 19, 2009

Texas RE Self Evaluations

- **6 of 7 Committee Self-Evaluations completed**
- **12 of 16 Board Self-Evaluations completed**
- **Advisory Committee responses indicate:**

Newness of Committee makes it difficult to evaluate some areas at this point



Positive Input

- **Committee has appropriate number and composition of members**
- **Committee receives clear agendas and materials sufficiently ahead of meetings**
- **Committee executive session provides “safe haven” while still allowing thorough and frank questions and discussions**
- **Committee provides appropriate level of detail with recommendations to Texas RE Board**
- **Committee meets with appropriate frequency**

Improvement Needs

- **Members not always clear on which topics should be discussed at the Committee (versus Board) meetings**
 - Scope of Committee is for discussion of administrative (budget, staffing, etc.) matters
- **Members desire more optimum use of meeting time and additional time to discuss issues and ask questions at meetings (1/2 hour has been added to meeting schedules for 2009)**
- **Some members desire more details on long-term planning**
 - What is desired?



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Questions or Discussion

Detailed Discussion of Specific Comments
in Executive Session