

The OSRT is rock-solid. When I go to RT in DC or an ASRT meeting, I hear repeatedly what a progressive society we have. Here are some of the reasons why the OSRT is one of the ASRT's top affiliates. We have 1400 members. We have individuals involved in Rad Aid International; a philanthropic group who finds resources to provide used textbooks, equipment and medical supplies to developing countries.

Nationally, OSRT members serve on the ASRT Advocacy Committee, Radiologic Technology Editorial Review Board, a variety of ASRT Practice Standards Committees. OSRT also has a rich history serving as ASRT Delegates, and the 2013 ASRT President is an OSRT member. On the state level, many of the people across Ohio provide dedicated service on committees and devote valuable time that contributes to the success of our dynamic organization. Ohio efforts at *RT in DC* are paying off. The OSRT is a leader with 8 co-sponsors for HB 2014, the CARE Bill. This is an exciting event and I welcome others to consider attending in 2013.

OSRT's web advertising project is under way. Two companies have signed contracts to advertise on the website. Hopefully this initiative will continue to grow and help us maintain fiscal solubility. As you may have noticed, the OSRT becomes **greener** every year. Under President Moore's leadership, members can now e-register for the annual meeting and we now conduct annual voting online.

OSRT's volunteer organization is successful due to the fact that Ohio has many dedicated and knowledgeable individuals who say yes when asked to help. I feel so fortunate to be part of this organization. If you or you know of someone who would like to become more involved, please contact Jackie Turk who is heading up the OSRT Leadership Program.

OSRT as an organization has provided a network of friends that have been my support team and have guided me throughout my career. I have given careful consideration to the role of the presidency and I will do all I can to meet your expectations. I am humbled and honored to serve as your OSRT President.

OSRT had another fantastic annual meeting, thank you for all that you do, plan to attend next year and encourage others to attend our 75th anniversary of the OSRT.

Respectfully,

Linda Rizzo

Incoming OSRT President