

DISTRICT 24

NEWSLETTER

October 2017



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DECLARATION of UNITY

This we owe to A. A.'s future;
to place our common welfare first;
to keep our Fellowship united.
For on A.A. unity depends our lives,
and the lives of those to come.

RESPONSIBILITY PLEDGE

I Am Responsible. When Anyone,
Anywhere Reaches Out for Help,
I Want The Hand Of A. A.
Always To be There.
And For That I am Responsible.

Final day for submissions is October 27 for inclusion in the November 1, 2017 Newsletter.



THE WESTERN WASHINGTON AREA 72 NEWSLETTER NEEDS YOUR STORY!

The Newsletter helps us stay connected with one another, and informed about what's going on in our Western Washington Area. In order for it to really rock, it needs input from our membership.

- Share your Experience, Strength & Hope
 - Send in your group's flyers
 - Tell us your favorite piece of AA History
 - Let your creative juices flow!
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CHECK THE CURRENT NEWSLETTER FOR NEXT MONTH'S DEADLINE AND TOPIC

- Every group should be receiving a printed version of the newsletter. If you haven't seen one lately, check with your GSR. You can always find the online copies on the Area Website @ <https://area72aa.org/newsletters/>
 - Please submit your articles, ideas, comments to newsletter@area72aa.org
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District 24 Business Meeting Minutes 9/6/17

Meeting brought to order at 7:04 p.m. by DCM Tari B., with the Serenity Prayer and the Responsibility Declaration.

In Attendance:

Chrissy, Secretary; **Jerry**, TUG, Alt. DCM; **Carol**, 3rd Legacy Chair, Sisters in Recovery; **Brain**, AMAA Sub GSR; **Lori**, GSR Sisters in Recovery; **Robert**, GSR Graceland , Newsletter Chair; **Ron**, TUG, Web Chair; **Ed**, GSR St. Jude's and Treatment and Bridging the Gap; **John**, GSR Lynnwood Open, SKIG Rep; **Mark**, GSR Wed Mt Lk Terrace; **Tracy**, GSR Sunday Morning Breakfast Group; **Pam**, GSR Celebrate Life, **Rob**, Ed-Lynn, Treatment and Bridging the Gap Chair; **Terry**, We Are Not Saints; **Diane**, GSR Ed-Lynn Fellowship; **Mark**, GSR Patience Group; **Dara**, GSR Edmonds Group; **Elizabeth**, GSR A New Experience; **Rita**, Alt Archives and Coffee Cup; **Sara**, Alt GSR Coffee Cup; **John**, GSR Lynnwood Study; **Kristy**, GSR WOTS; **Annie**, Archives Chair and Patience Group; **Tom**, SKIG Chair; **John**, We are Not Saints and PI Chair; **Adie**, Dist Chair, Friday BB Study and Monday Discussion Group; **Finn**, GSR On Awakening; **Jamie**, GSR Alderwood Group; **Mike**, GSR Our Primary Purpose North and Schedules Chair; **Paco**, Dist 57; **James**, GSR Happy Hour; **Doug**, TUG and Coffee Cup Groups and Literature Chair for SKIG; **Pete**, GSR The Unity group, **Katrina**.

Concept 9 was read by: Tari

Birthdays for Sept: Tracy 3 years, Diane 6 years.

Guest: Sno-King Intergroup Chair Tom: The SKIG is sometimes the topic of controversy. Tom mentioned the difference between the GSIG and SKIG and the budget variance. He said SKIG has had its issues in the past financially but they are working on getting more active with the districts. The SKIG can become a lot more functional to the AA community with the help of volunteers. He is looking for more participation from Dist. 24 and the other districts. The number 1 priority is having people around during office hours. The volunteers are less during the summer. There are 20 office positions available. They are slots for 2 hours. There are currently 8 out of 20 slots filled. The 2nd priority is for groups to take the cell phone. He would like to see more groups take the cell phone; he mentioned it is a very rewarding experience. It can be a little nerve wracking to answer the calls, but the calls is where the action is and helping the new comer. He would like to see more intergroup reps present at the SKIG monthly meeting. **They meet at 7pm on the 3rd Wednesday of the month.** The 3rd priority would be for the groups to take the weekend slots. When the groups attend those volunteer hours together it is a good opportunity to take group inventory and enjoy fellowship. The calls that have been coming in recently are from people at treatment centers being asked to call AA. Tom would like to office the space for committees to meet. The room holds up to 16 people comfortably. He also mentioned the 7th tradition is welcome. Please call Tom or Tammy in advance to book the room. **The address is 22617 76th Ave W #203 Edmonds. To volunteer call 425-418-9881 for Tammy R., the volunteer coordinator.**

Guest: Paco - Foro Local: Paco wanted to thank Dist. 24 in helping with the event last month and he mentioned there is also \$1000 budget towards next year's event.

District Reports:

Secretary: Chrissy -Minutes were approved from last month.

Registrar: Peg - not present. If there are any new GSRs that need to be registered give the information to Tari.

Alt Treasurer: Claire - not present.

Treasurer: Virgil- Not present. Tari passed out the treasurer's report. John made a motion to approve the minutes. Approved.

PI/CPC: John - Traveled to the PI/CPC quarterly, he and Finn drove down together. It was well attended. The heavy focus was on public schools. John from GSIG shared on his experience with public schools. John is trying to break into that arena. It was helpful for John to hear John's experience. The 9th grade health teachers are a good contact in schools because they have drug classes. They did an exercise where they created a panel of 5 and the rest of the attendees acted as students. They also talked about the technology stuff and getting more information back on the website and sharing information at www.area72pi.org. John did some research in the PI/CPC handbook. He saw there is opportunity for getting bill boards but the price is around \$5,000. At this point it might just be a discussion.

Alt CPC: Finn - He finds that he gets inspired by quarterlies and outreach meetings at the intergroup. He is still getting his feet wet. He is looking to stay involved and inspired.

Treatment and bridging the gap: Robert - There is a new treatment facility, Evergreen Recovery Center, that opened in Lynnwood and they have been holding meetings Mon., Wed., Friday at 10am and 7pm. Robert is still working on getting a young people's meeting at Lakeside Milam. He needs people 18 to 25 with a year of sobriety and are willing to do a year commitment.

Alt Treatment and Bridging the Gap: Ed - Aug 2nd 2016 he made a contact with Tom L. It's a 16 bed facility for both Men and Women. The opening was Aug 15th. There are 17 volunteers who are helping with the meetings. Currently they are calling ahead of time and checking to see if there are anyone who needs a meeting. If not they do not attend. This is just the beginning. Check with Ed if you are interested in volunteering.

Newsletter: Robert - nothing to report.

Web: Ron - www.District24.org. The next quarterly is Oct 24th. Nothing much to report at this point. The information and flyers are being posted to the website. The committee needs to get together again soon. He will be sending out an email to schedule.

Archives: Annie - Archives is doing well. The steering committee is working on a display for the assembly.

Alt archives: Rita - not on agenda

Grapevine: Joyce - not on agenda

Schedules: Mike - He has correlated all the meetings in this district. He is getting a refined list of the active meeting and dark meeting. The schedules have gone up in price because we added Bothell. We need to decide whether or not we need to up the budget or we can lower the buy amount. Currently we print 6000 schedules per year. He does not know of the next stapling party. The next schedules are due out in October. The increase in price

would be \$67.00 twice a year. Mike made a motion to cut the schedules printed to 5500 schedules. Approved

SKIG: John H. - They are looking to replace the phone system. They are starting a newsletter that will be issued quarterly. The SKIG party is November 19th. There will be a 50/50 raffle starting in October.

GSIG: Kelly S. - not present.

Corrections: Lachlan - not on agenda

Accessibility: Jacob - not on agenda

3rd Legacy chair: Carol - not on agenda

Alt DCM: Jerry - The newsletter for area 72 needs submissions for articles on amends. The BB drive is happening at the assembly. Ask your home group to donate a soft cover big book. Safety in AA meeting is Sept 10th at the Sky Valley Alano club. The full report is in the newsletter.

DCM: Tari - report is in the newsletter. Thank you for everyone who came to the pre-assembly. She wanted to make sure everyone has all the questions and background on the questions so the GSRs can explain to their home groups. Ed asked how to keep the information concise. Mike suggested sending the full emails to the home groups members and just discussing the topics of particular interest. Pam suggested giving her home group members specific topics and the pros and cons.

Old Business: - the Young Person's Chair position. The group conscious is to vote on the position for Dist 24. Katrina is interested in the position. She mentioned that is it is suggested that we have a male and a female chair. John mentioned the chairperson would oversee the committee where there could be a male counterpart. We approved to have the Chair position for Dist 24 and we approved Katrina to be the Chair.

New Business: - (1) Corrections Chair position is open. There is a 2 year sobriety requirement and the Chair needs to have a clean criminal background as they will need to enter corrections facilities.

(2) Houston AA after Harvey. The inter groups in Houston have suffered loss after the hurricane and have lost most of their literature. There was a discussion about whether or not it would be better to send money or actually literature. Money allows the inter groups to buy what they need. Buying the literature allows them to have the material without having to buy it. John mentioned money would get there faster. John made a motion that we donate \$750 in books and currency. Jerry mentioned we should not make this kind of decision without so many people here at the moment. Jerry mentioned he thinks this kind of donation should come from the home groups rather than the district as the donations to Dist 24 are to be used in this district. Ed suggested bringing this letter back to his home group and letting his group donate if they want to. John amended his motion to be \$150 rather than \$750 to come from the district. The motion was seconded. Approved. For additional donations see www.houstonaa.com

Meeting adjourned with the Unity Declaration at 8:45pm
Minutes respectfully submitted by Chrissy A.

Alt. DCM Report (Jerry F.): Sept. 29, 2017

Hi All,

The last couple of months have been very exciting in district 24. I have had the pleasure of watching the Treatment/Bridging the-Gap committee, (thank you Ed and Rob) work with the new detox center; I have had the opportunity to watch and take notes while Tari facilitated a group inventory; and I have had the pleasure of helping people interested in the upcoming assembly motions. Most of all, I get to stay sober and I get reminded that AA doesn't need me, I need AA.

With the constant parade of disasters, I searched the GSO website for AA's shared experience. I am attaching a publication from GSO "Responding to Disasters – How Can We Help?".

Finally, I'll see you all in Shelton. There are lots of things to remember at the assembly but the most important, and hardest for me, is Rule 62 "Don't take yourself too damn seriously".

Events:

October 6-8, 2017 Area Assembly--Shelton

RESPONDING TO DISASTERS – “HOW CAN WE HELP?”

After disasters, the General Service Office (G.S.O.) is often inundated with questions about how to help our A.A. family in distressed areas. We hope the following frequently asked questions and answers prove useful.

Q. How does G.S.O. help A.A. groups in distressed areas?

A. The General Service Office is ready to support the efforts of local A.A. members in all types of disasters; hurricanes, fires, floods, earthquakes, mud slides, etc. Since it is rare for A.A. entities to own property (most local A.A. offices and groups rent their spaces), replenishing literature tends to be the main concern after a disaster.

G.S.O.'s experience is that we are often called upon to replace some lost literature, and we are happy to fulfill these requests. Thanks to continuous and generous contributions from A.A. groups in the United States and Canada year round, G.S.O. is ready to respond upon request.

It can be difficult to imagine what is needed immediately following a disaster. In many cases, the immediate needs are for survival items – food, water, shelter and medicine – which A.A. does not provide. It may take time – days, weeks, in some cases, months – for the local A.A. community to determine precisely what is needed to get the affected A.A. groups back on their feet.

So as not to interfere with emergency relief efforts, G.S.O. usually waits until the local conditions are stabilized and local A.A. members have an opportunity to let us know exactly what is needed. Our experience suggests that local A.A. groups and offices view the situation as a Twelfth Step opportunity and try to meet the needs of the local A.A. community before asking for help from G.S.O. or other A.A. entities.

Q. So what exactly does the General Service Office do in these cases?

A. G.S.O. contacts and offers support to intergroups, central offices, General Service Conference delegates and trustees in the affected communities. We wait to hear back from these offices and trusted servants, and gladly respond to their requests for help.

Q. Do you suggest that we send literature and money directly to the affected local A.A. offices?

A. In the instance where an A.A. entity asks for assistance, such as through an announcement placed on a local A.A. Website, it is up to each A.A. member or group to determine whether or how it wishes to respond. If your group decides to

offer help to an affected A.A. office, you may wish to contact them directly to determine the *current* need.

A.A.'s shared experience suggests that after a disaster, local A.A. offices and groups require very few contributions of money or complimentary literature. In many cases, local A.A. members are happy to work together to replace lost literature or office supplies before asking for help outside their local A.A. community. Local groups often make whatever repairs are necessary to their meeting places.

Regardless of your personal or group response, it is important to keep in mind that many of the affected areas may not have mail delivery, electricity, or available storage space after a disaster.

Q. Can I send money to G.S.O. and specify that it be used for disaster relief activities, such as replacement of literature?

A. Every A.A. dollar received at G.S.O. is used on a priority basis to carry A.A.'s message when a need is expressed. This includes responding to literature needs after disasters. G.S.O. does not accept A.A. funds that are earmarked for disaster relief or any other specific project, since G.S.O. needs to be able to respond whenever and wherever there is an expressed need.

Q. So what can I do to help?

A. Many A.A. members choose to support non-A.A. relief organizations in the wake of a disaster as private citizens and individuals. Members may feel compelled to reach out and assist with efforts to bring food, water, shelter and medicine into affected areas. Our experience suggests that many A.A. members in the past have helped as private citizens through relief organizations in just this way. In keeping with A.A.'s Traditions, these members do not give donations under the A.A. name or credit A.A. in any way.

Due to the challenges mentioned above, in most cases this office would not be able to list specific ways to help an A.A. community affected by a disaster. G.S.O. handles direct requests for literature from those affected. If a situation arose where the expressed need could not be met by G.S.O.'s resources alone, we would contact local A.A. groups and ask for additional help. This has not occurred to date.

How the Conference Operates

Generally speaking, the General Service Conference follows *Robert's Rules of Order*, and proceeds on as informal a basis as possible consistent with the rights of all concerned. It is important to remember that the purpose of rules of order is to make it easier for the Conference to conduct its business; rules exist to allow the Conference to do what it needs to do to carry out the will of the Fellowship by reaching an informed group conscience. Over the years the Conference has adopted some exceptions to *Robert's Rules*, which help it to proceed more closely in accord with the spirit of A.A. Tradition.

Conference Quorum

A Conference quorum — two-thirds of all registered members — is required to conduct Conference business.

Committee System

To the extent possible, important matters to come before the Conference will be handled via the “Committee system.” This assures that a large number of questions can be dealt with during Conference week. Members are encouraged to trust the process. Each Committee has considered carefully the items before it and presents its recommendations to the Conference as a whole for acceptance or rejection. Recommendations of Conference committees are automatically motions that have been made and seconded. Members are asked to refrain from spontaneously amending the work of the Committee; there are no “friendly” amendments under Robert’s Rules.

Substantial Unanimity

All matters of policy (Conference Advisory Actions) require substantial unanimity, that is, a *two-thirds majority*. Any actions, including amendments, that affect an Advisory Action, or motions that might result in such an action, also require a *two-thirds majority*. Because the number of members present in the hall during the week of Conference varies from time to time, the phrase “two-thirds majority” is taken to mean two-thirds vote of the Conference members voting, as long as the total vote constitutes a Conference quorum.

Minority Opinion

After each vote on a matter of policy, the side which did not prevail will always be given an opportunity to speak to their position. If the motion passes with two-thirds vote, the minority may speak. If the motion receives a majority vote, but fails to pass for lack of a two-thirds vote, the majority may speak.

Remember that saving “minority opinions” for after the vote, when there is no rebuttal, is a time-waster, for it can force the Conference body to reconsider a question that might well have been decided the first time around if it had been thoroughly examined from all sides.

General Rules of Debate and Voting

(Agreed to at the beginning of each Conference)

- People who wish to speak line up at the microphones and address their comments to the chair.
- Each person may speak for two (2) minutes.
- No one may speak for a second time on a topic until all who wish to have spoken for the first time.
- Full discussion of a recommendation should take place before each vote.
- Everyone is entitled to express his or her opinion. However, if your perspective has already been stated by someone else, it is not necessary to go to the mike and say it again.

- Our experience is that premature actions such as amending motions early in the discussion or hastily calling the question can divert attention from the subject at hand, confusing and/or delaying Conference business.
- Voting is by show of hands unless the Conference decides otherwise.

Motions Made During Conference

When making a motion, come to the microphone and address the chair. There are various types of motions we use to help reach an informed group conscience. The specific rules governing each are on the next page.

Tabling a Motion

Tabling a motion postpones discussion to a later time during the same Conference.

Motion to Recommit

The motion to recommit returns a motion or proposal to the respective trustees’ committee for further consideration. A motion to recommit must be seconded, is debatable and can be amended.

Calling the Question

Calling the question brings debate to a halt while Conference members decide whether to proceed directly to a vote (the question) or go on with the debate.

Reconsideration

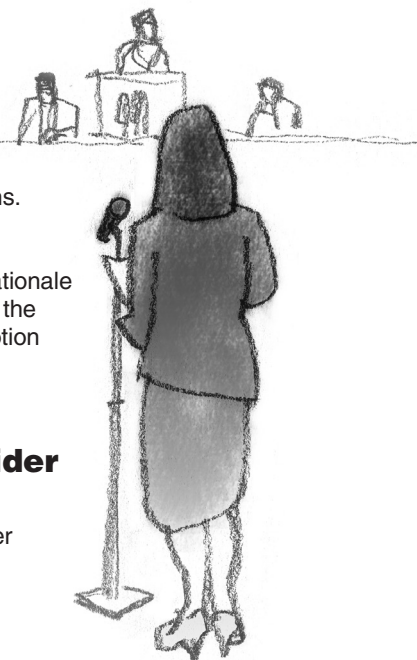
A motion to reconsider a vote may be made only by a member who voted with the prevailing side, but it can be seconded by anyone. If the majority votes to reconsider, full debate, pro and cons, is resumed.

Floor Actions

Floor actions may be introduced at any time during the Conference except at the Sharing Sessions. When a floor action is to be heard, its maker will be given two (2) minutes to state the rationale behind the action, after which the chair shall ask if there is a motion that the Conference decline to consider the floor action.

Declining to Consider a Floor Action

A motion to decline to consider a floor action is made without comment.



Summary of Conference Procedures

Remember:

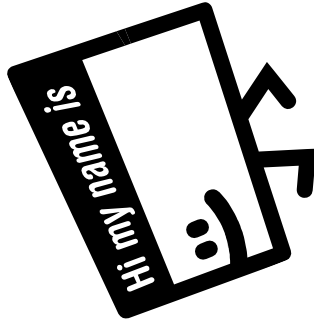
- Motions must be made in order at the microphone.
- Address motions to the chair.

MOTION		Requires a "Second"?	Is Debatable?	Vote Required for Approval	Minority Voice Heard?
Committee Recommendation	Presented in the committee report.	Automatically seconded	YES	Two-thirds	YES
Amending a Motion	<p>A motion on the floor is owned by the entire Conference body, no longer by the Committee which recommended it.</p> <p>The committee is not asked to vote on the motion to amend; any motion to amend a main motion depends on the approval of the Conference.</p>	YES	YES	Two-thirds	YES
Tabling a Motion	Made without comment.	YES	NO	Simple Majority	NO
Moving to Recommit	Made without comment.	YES	YES	Two-thirds	NO
Calling the Question	Made without comment.	YES	NO	Two-thirds	NO
Reconsidering a Vote	<p>May only be made by a member who voted with the prevailing side.</p> <p>No action may be reconsidered twice.</p>	<p>YES</p> <p>May be seconded by either side.</p>	NO	Simple Majority	NO
Making a Floor Action	<p>Made without comment.</p> <p>Introduced any time during the Conference except at the Sharing Sessions.</p> <p>Is submitted in writing by the maker to the Conference secretary.</p>	YES	YES	Two-thirds	YES
Declining to Consider a Floor Action	<p>Made without comment.</p> <p>May be made after the maker of a floor action is provided time to state the rationale for it.</p>	YES	NO	Two-thirds	NO

WELCOME TO THE 2017 WESTERN WASHINGTON AREA 72 ASSEMBLY

ASSEMBLY BADGE COLORS

GSR	Purple
Alternate GSR	Light Purple
DCM	Orange
Alternate DCM	Light Orange
Elected Trusted Servant	Blue
Appointed Trusted Servant	Light Blue
Past Delegate	Dark Green
Trustee	Light Green
Host Committee	Yellow
Volunteers	Red
Others	Grey



FRIDAY, OCTOBER 6th

11am–9pm	Registration (Events Center)
11am–8pm	Archives (Steh-Chas)
11am–8pm	Grapevine/Lit. (T-Peeksin)
1pm–5pm	Panels (Ballrooms A, B & C)
5pm–7pm	Dinner Break (Events Center)
7pm–8:30pm	GSR Sharing (Events Center)
8:30pm–9pm	Ice Cream Social (Events Center)
9pm–10pm	Ask It Basket (Events Center)
10pm–11pm	Open AA Meeting (Events Center)

2017 ASSEMBLY PANELS

“A.A. – A Solution for All Generations”

Inclusivity, Attractiveness & Responsibility

Three panels will cover a different facet of each topic in one of the Ballroom rooms on the 2nd floor of the hotel.

1:00 – 1:50

Treatment–Mystery Panel Topic (Ballroom A)

Shu D.	Area Treatment (Chair)
Kathy W.	DCM District 12
Mike G.	DCM District 31
Robin M.	DCM District 56

Communication Services within our Area (Ballroom B)

Carina W.	Area Newsletter Editor (Chair)
Carol	Area Secretary
Conrad	Area Sound
Kris W.	Area Registrar

Carrying the Message: Grapevine, La Vina & Literature (Ballroom C)

Karla L.	Area GV&L (Chair)
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Astri T.	Past Delegate
Jaime W.	DCM District 17
James R.	DCM District 32

2:00 – 2:50

Promoting the Attractiveness of Corrections (Ballroom A)

Sammy H.	Area Corrections (Chair)
Gail H.	Past Delegate
Kevin P.	DCM District 2
Maria R.	DCM District 22

Public Information - Mystery Panel (Ballroom B)

Lupita Y-M	Area PI (Chair)
Adina F.	DCM District 11
Kristee M.	DCM District 33
Walter A.	DCM District 27

Archives & Their Importance to AA's Future (Ballroom C)

Courtney S.	Area Archives (Chair)
Jim F.	DCM District 39
Laurie S.	DCM District 44
Roger C.	DCM District 14

3:00 – 3:50

Maintaining Unity Through Accessibility & Communication (Events Center)

Keri S.	Area Accessibility (Chair)
Juan Carlos G.	DCM District 1
Oscar L.	DCM District 57

CPC - Mystery Panel (Ballroom B)

Craig C.	Area CPC (Chair)
Brenden D.	DCM District 4

Laurel W.	DCM District 41
Meghan W.	DCM District 38

To Have a Website or Not Have a Website; that is the question (Ballroom C)

Eddy M.	Area Web Chair (Co-Chair)
Mary T.	Area Web Servant (Co-Chair)
Frank M.	DCM District 46
Mark S.	DCM District 40

4:00 – 4:50

GSR Orientation (Events Center)

Denis F.	Past Delegate (Chair)
Alan F.	Area Alternate Delegate
Steve C.	Area Delegate

DCM Orientation (Ballroom A & B)

Eddie H.	Past Delegate (Chair)
Geene F.	Area Chairperson
Heather C.	Area Alternate Chairperson

General Service - Beyond the Homegroup (Ballroom C)

Dave T.	Past Delegate (Chair)
Barbara M.	Past Delegate
Crystal S.	Area Alternate Treasurer



SATURDAY, OCTOBER 7th

7am – 12pm Registration (Events Center)
11am–8pm Archives (Steh-Chas)
11am–8pm Grapevine/Lit. (T-Peeksin)

BUSINESS OF THE DAY
Events Center

- 8:30am Call to Order**
- Serenity Prayer
 - Twelve Traditions/Twelve Concepts/ Warranties
 - Introductions
 - Approve 2016 Assembly Minutes
 - Host Committee Announcements
 - Area Elected Servants Reports
 - Ad Hoc Committee Reports
 - Election – Regional Trustee

10:00am BREAK (15 minutes)

- Old Business
- New Business
- Area Appointed Servants Reports
- Discussion Topics
- Motions

12:00pm LUNCH (Events Center)

- 1:00pm Resume Business**
- GSR Sharing
 - Host Committee Reports
 - 2017 Pacific NW Conference
 - Foro Local 2017
 - 2018 Assembly HC - Tacoma
 - 2019 Assembly HC – Kelso

- 2020 Assembly HC - Lynden
- 2018 Jan Qtrly HC – Pt. Angeles
- Bids for 2021 & 2022 Assembly
- Motions

3:30pm BREAK (15 minutes)

- DCM Reports
- Motions

6:00pm DINNER (Events Center)

7:00pm Speaker, Keith M. - Past Delegate - Panel 61, Area 69 Utah

8:00pm Resume Business

- Motions
- Floor Motions
- Floor Discussion Topics

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 8th
Events Center

7:30am Doors Open
8:30am Spiritual Breakfast
9:30am Sobriety Countdown
10:00am Speaker, Darren F. - Past Delegate – Panel 65
11:30am Closing Prayer

We look forward to seeing you at the 2018 Area 72 Assembly in Tacoma!

HOST COMMITTEE MEMBERS

Co-Chairperson	Thomas L.
Co-Chairperson	Katie H.
Treasurer	Kay M.
Alternate Treasurer	Lynn B.
Secretary	April A.
Alternate Area 72 Chairperson	Heather C.
Catering Chair	Lauren S.
Public Information	Lynn B.
Program/Flyer	Felicia D.
Registration	Caitlin R.
Volunteer Chair	Kelly T.
Web Chair	Dan Mc.

2017-2018 WWA 72 COMMITTEE

Delegate	Steve C.
Alternate Delegate	Alan F.
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Alternate Chairperson	Heather C.
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Alternate Treasurer	Crystal S.
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Archivist	Dean T.
Coop. w/Professional Comm.	Craig C.
Corrections	Sammy H.
Grapevine & Literature	Karla L.
Newsletter Editor	Carina W.
Public Information	Lupita Y-M
Registrar	Kris B.
Secretary	Carol H.
Sound System	Conrad J.
Treatment	Shu D.
Web Chair	Eddy M.
Web Servant	Mary T.

2017 Western Washington Area Assembly

Hosted by District 8

October 6-8
Shelton, Washington
Little Creek Casino & Events Center



“A.A. – A Solution for All Generations”