

DCM Report

June 5, 2022

Area 35 meeting:

Aug 7, 2022 - 9:00 am - 4:00 pm Aitkin Alano Club, 322 1st Ave NE, Aitkin, MN 56431, USA

Join by zoom: 815 9332 1019 passcode: 696590 (10:30am)

Fall Assembly - Oct 1-2. 2022; 9:00am registration; 10:00am Assembly Convenes

Held at Crookston Inn & Convention Center: Room rates \$92.99/night: call 218-470-1000; reserve under Area 35 Assembly Block: cut off: Aug 30

Nominations for a new Area Treasurer will be accepted

Groups can send Area 35 Contributions to:

NMAA 126 13th Ave So St. Cloud, MN 56301

Area 35 archives were moved to Aitken location mid-May

Steve Lere, Area 35 Delegate shared the General Service Board Consolidated Financial Statements as of 12/31/21; we will upload them to the district website for interested parties to view

He will provide a report back on Sun July 17 at 12pm; potluck held with Dist 5, 6, and 11 For anyone interested you can ride with me. It is a good way to see what happens at the General Service Conference and meet other people involved in service.

General Service Conference Proposals - Secretary will upload on our website

Take to your groups to get their input and let me know by phone: 218-461-2807; or email: <u>vicki.radtke@outlook.com</u> what your groups think by the Aug 7 Area meeting where I'll represent your thoughts.

- 1) Change the wording of the Open Meeting Statement on the Primary Purpose Statement F-17(blue card) to incorporate the Open meeting Statement I the AA Group Pamphlet
- 2) Any new, updated or addition to existing service material be sent to the appropriate conference committee for review before being printed or posted on our website <u>www.aa.org</u>. Those items that clearly do not fit under a specific committee can be referred to the Report and Charter Committee.

3) We are making a proposal regarding the translation of the book Alcoholics Anonymous (fourth edition) into plain and simple language. WE propose that the Twelve Steps, the twelve traditions, and the Twelve Concepts not be translated into plain language in any way; that these remain in the existing form in English as in the Fourth Edition of the Book Alcoholics Anonymous.

Old news:

See me if you are planning to attend the 2025 International Convention of AA - July 3-6 in Vancouver, BC< Canada if you have DUI or other concerns about crossing the border.

Arden Anderson, Area Corrections chair has been hosting regular zoom meetings to promote sharing of information between Area 35 and Area 36 Districts. Last one was June 8 – zoom # 867 4713 5238 password: p9irsM

Email: Anderson.arden@gmail.com for information on the next meeting