

THE WAMMO WORD

March 21-22, 2020

2020 GSC Theme: 2020—A Clear Vision for You

Action News!

Saturday Night Workshop

Discussion of General Service Conference Agenda Items
Presented by Jenny D. Area 39 Delegate

Area 39 Treasurer will be submitting the 2020/2021 Budget Proposal for approval by the Assembly. A copy was sent at the end of January and is also attached to this email. Please print, review and bring it with you to Assembly.

The Assembly will be voting on the recommended updates to the Area Guidelines presented in January. A copy of those changes is attached to this email. A copy of the existing Guidelines is also attached. Please print, review and bring it with you to Assembly.

NOTE: Items on the agenda can be voted on at this assembly if a motion is made and seconded during discussion, as long as they are not Guideline changes.



Register now for the International Convention!

The 2020 International Convention of Alcoholics Anonymous will be held July 2-5, 2020 in Detroit, Michigan with the theme "Love and Tolerance is our Code." A.A. members and guests from around the world will celebrate AA's 85th year at this event

For detailed information about the Convention, registration, housing and Detroit, our host city, visit the aa.org website.

Advanced registration is \$115.00 and ends April 14, 2020

Registration after April 15, 2020 will be \$140.00 per attendee.



Institutions Forum

May 2, 2020

10:00 am

Mozing Lake Recreation Area
Multipurpose room
Maryville, MO

Please put this date on your calendar and plan to support this important Area 39 event!

2020 Assembly Dates

June 27-28

September 19-20

2021 Assembly Dates

January 16-17

March 27-28

June 26-27

September 18-19

Best Western
State Fair Hotel
3120 S Limit Ave, Sedalia
660-826-6100

AREA 39
WESTERN AREA OF MISSOURI ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS
Agenda for Panel 69 Assembly – March 21-22, 2020
Assemblies are Closed Meetings for Alcoholics Only
Host District: 9

Assembly Agenda – Saturday

- 10:00 – 10:10** **General Opening, Announcements and Introductions** – Debbie H., Area Chair – Upstairs
- 10:15 – 12:00** **General Service Representative Workshop (GSR)- Reports** – Derrick B. Alt. Area Chair – Upstairs
District Committee Member (DCM) Workshop – Pam K., Alt Delegate – Conference Room
Committee Chair Workshop – Debbie H., Area Chair – Executive Two.
- 12:00 – 1:00** Lunch on your own
- 12:00 – 1:00** Committee Meetings: **Finance Committee** – Craig W., Chair – Dining Room
- 1:00 – 2:05** Committee Meetings: **Bridge the Gap** – Cat H., Chair – Conference Room
Literature – Jimmy C., Chair – Executive Two
Website Committee – Jared R., Chair – Upstairs
Accessibilities – Jeff G., Chair – Executive One
- 2:15 – 3:20** Committee Meetings: **Treatment Facilities** – Trinity C., Chair – Conference Room
Grapevine – Anita C., Chair – Executive Two
Coop. with Prof. Community – Jay M., Chair – Upstairs
Webmaster’s Round Table – Cheri J., Webmaster – Executive One
- 3:30 – 4:35** Committee Meetings: **Correctional Facilities** – Wendell S., Chair – Conference Room
Archives – John S., Chair – Executive One
Public Information – Michael O., Chair – Upstairs
WAMYPAA Committee – John T., Chair – Executive Two
- 4:45 – 5:50** Committee Meetings: **Institutions Forum** – Kathleen B., Chair – Conference Room
WAMO Convention – Michel B., Chair – Upstairs
Missouri State Convention – Chris K., Chair – Executive One
- 5:50 – 7:40** Dinner on your own
- 7:45 – 8:15** **Area Officers Reports, Past Delegate Remarks** -- Debbie H., Area Chair – Upstairs
8:15 – 9:15 **Review of Agenda Items for General Service Conf.** – Derrick B., Alt. Chair -- Upstairs
Ice Cream Social following workshop
- Late night closed AA meeting** Volunteer needed to chair see Debbie H. – Conference Room

Assembly Agenda – Sunday

- 9:00 – 10:25** **Committee Reports** -- Upstairs
Break
- 10:45 –** **Business Meeting** – Debbie H. – Area Chair
Reading of the minutes – Greg G. – Area Secretary
Attendance – Brian H. - Alt Area Secretary
Financial Report – Amy K. – Area Treasurer

Old Business:

For discussion and vote (2/3 majority required to pass):

The Ad Hoc Committee will submit their recommendations for Area 39 Guidelines updates and changes for discussion and vote. Copy of recommendations was sent in the email with this agenda.

--Submitted by Ad Hoc Committee on Guidelines Chair, Abby K.

New Business:

1. For Discussion and vote (simple majority):

Presentation of 2019/2020 Proposed Budget for approval, June 1, 2020 – May 31, 2021.

--presented by Amy K, Area 39 Treasurer

2. For Discussion:

Guideline - Finance - 4.3 E. After the prudent reserve is maintained, any surplus funds may be dispersed to the General Service Office by a majority vote at the Assembly immediately following the end of the fiscal year.

--submitted by Area Treasurer, Amy K.

3. For Discussion:

Realigning the job duties of the Secretary and Alt. Secretary to create a separate Registrar position for a trial period. The Alt. Secretary would be acting as Registrar and most of his current duties would be carried out by the Secretary. This would allow one person to concentrate on learning the new database system rolled out by GSO; verify the status of our information; catch up on the backlog of Group and District change forms; and hopefully, in time, provide some new and creative ways to use the information for Assembly projects and reports. It would also allow for estimating benefits of the change to the Secretary's current workload.

--submitted by Area Secretary/Registrar, Greg G.

4. Presentation of Archivist Review ad hoc committee that has been formed to research and evaluate the Archivist position, in regard to rotation.

Other Applicable business - ***If needed*** - Any committee or officer requesting funds expenditures either over budget or for items not previously approved will be presented to the assembly at this time.