

## CNCA Motions – August 2017

### Area Committee:

#### Assembly Bids:

#### Housekeeping Motions:

#### Guidelines:

#### Presentation of New Business:

#### Old Business at Area Committee Meeting:

- “That a portion of CNCA Motion 1008-3 be amended from ‘...professional quality simultaneous Spanish/English interpretation at all assembly workshops, the Area Meeting (including the DCMC and DCM sharing sessions and 2 standing committees on a rotating basis but so that there shall be no more than 2 being interpreted concurrently)’ to read:  
‘... professional quality simultaneous Spanish/English interpretation at all assembly workshops, the Area Meeting (including the DCMC and DCM sharing sessions and all standing committees, subcommittees and sharing sessions which request interpretation). Interpretation shall be subject to availability of interpreters and available equipment.’” —*Presented by the I&T Committee*

#### New Business at Area Committee Meeting:

- “That CNCA contract with a service provider determined by the Web Committee, to obtain a ‘Hot Spot’ for Internet access. Hot Spot to be available at all CNCA committee meetings, assemblies and other CNCA events. Internet access to be used by Standing Committees and Sub Committees and Area Officers to conduct CNCA business, committee work and presentations requested. Cost of provider not to exceed \$50 per month, plus initial set up fee not to exceed \$100.” —*Presented by the Web Committee*

#### Discussion topics:

- Pros and Cons of using both volunteers and professionals (as available) for simultaneous interpretation at our Assemblies
- Translating the *Comentarios*: Is our process effective? If so, how? If not, why not?

### Area Assembly Motions:

#### Redistricting Requests:

#### Presentation of New Business at Area Assembly:

#### Old Business at Area Assembly:

1. “That language similar to the following be added to the section “How Decisions Affecting A.A. Are Made” in “The A.A. Group” pamphlet at the conclusion of the following sentence: Annually, groups from the U.S. and Canada elect delegates (serving two-year terms) from their areas to the yearly meeting of the Conference in New York—to hear the reports of the board's committees, G.S.O. and Grapevine staffs, and to recommend future directions, mainly in the form of Advisory Actions.

‘Prior to the annual General Service Conference a list of important issues to be discussed during the Conference is published and made available to each and every Group in the U.S. and Canada. Because these issues make up a part of the entire General Service Conference Agenda, they are referred to as Agenda Topics. Every Group in the U.S. and Canada has the opportunity to review, discuss, and develop an informed Group Conscience on these Agenda Topics. The Group's GSR then carries the Group's Conscience on Conference Agenda Topics to the Area's Delegate, usually at an Area Assembly prior to the General Service Conference. The Area Delegate then represents the collective conscience of the Groups in the Area at the General Service Conference on these matters vital to A.A. as a whole.’”

2. “That the General Service Board of Alcoholics Anonymous and the General Service Conference of Alcoholics Anonymous approve the development of a new public service announcement in video format that utilizes full-face actors (not members of A.A.). – *presented by the CNCA PI/CPC Committee*

#### New Business at the Area Assembly: None.