

## **Chair Preview: April 2021**

We experienced our first Pre-Conference Assembly of Panel 71, we got to see, hear and feel the love, unity and deep thoughts of our Area. Having our Delegate listening to what you had to share from your groups, having my heart and mind deeply fortunate for being able to be a physical part of the General Service Conference process. Also we got a lot of practice voting, heard our first minority opinion of the new panel and passing our first Assembly Business referring to a requests for a pamphlet entitled "Experience, Strength and Hope: AA for the Transgender Alcoholic" be produced. Big thanks to District 08 and all the volunteers helping conducting the assembly.

On other topic, at the Area Committee Meeting we've spent several months discussing a number of motions including the motion related to incorporating CNCA as a California Non-Profit Public Benefit Corporation having a presentation by the ad-hoc committee chair Justin H. from last panel to help understanding the origin and the intention of the motion. We also approved a bid for the 2021 Summer Assembly proposed by District 70, which will be held virtually in August.

Reminding us that we still have work to do with several Old business items; 1.- That CNCA requires affirmation of auto liability coverage for any member or contractor that CNCA reimburses for mileage & 2.- Increase the reimbursement amount for qualified hotel stays from \$100 to \$150 per night. It is very likely that additional motions will be introduced in the coming months, giving us much more to discuss as we strive to make AA the inclusive, welcoming place it can be.

Thank you for my Service  
Miguel H.  
CNCA Chair Panel 71