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RCM Report for June 2014

The Regional Service Committee meeting and a Regional Learning Day for Spring 2014 was held in Austin May 17 and 18, 2014. The primary focus of the meeting and the learning day was the 2014 World Service Conference. George H. and Heidi M. attended the Conference and submitted reports. They also conducted the learning day. Heidi M. posted her personal experience and observations along with pictures in the TBRNA group on Facebook.

As far as the motions that our groups voted on, here are the results:

Motion 1 to approve IP#29 An Introduction to NA Meetings PASSED unanimously.

Motion 2 to limit seating at the WSC to 1 delegate per Region FAILED with strong opposition.

Motion 3 to no longer automatically fund delegates to the WSC FAILED with a vote of 64 for and 44 opposed (requires 2/3 vote to pass).

Motion 4 regarding the SSP and specifically the Group Support Forums was amended to specify that the GSF would be included in the Guide to Local Services as an option and was PASSED 78 for and 28 opposed. Motion 5 regarding the SSP and specifically the Local Service Conference was amended to specify that the LSC

would be included in the Guide to Local Services as an option and was PASSED 76 for and 33 opposed.

Motion 6 regarding the SSP and specifically the Local Service Board was amended to specify that the LSB would be included in the Guide to Local Services as an option and was PASSED 75 for and 33 opposed.

Motion 7 to limit motions to be considered and alter how motions will be handled by the WSC PASSED. Motion 8 to approve the minutes of the 2012 WSC PASSED.

There were dozens more motions and proposals that were discussed and polled and they are included in the RDA's report.

There were obviously numerous discussion groups, some elections, old and new business, presentations and reports. I have a few copies of Heidi M.'s report or I can email it to anyone who wants to read the whole thing. A lot of the focus was on the WSC itself and the problems they're having with the size and scope of the Conference. It seems that the unanimous opinion of attendees at the WSC is that the Fellowship will have to move toward Zonal seating at the Conference and there is a need for a transition plan to be developed.

The Traditions Bok Project is moving along. If our Area or a Group would like more information, or would like to have a workshop, please contact Lynn S., the Regional Literature Review Chair, and she will be glad to help. There will be a Literature Review workshop on Traditions Five and Six at the Esperanza Area Subcommittee Appreciation Day at 4102 Eisenhauer Rd. in San Antonio on Saturday July 12.

Areas gave their reports. Hill Country Area is hosting ROAR next Sunday June 8 from noon to 6pm at Canyon Lake Park.

Central Texas Area is having an event August 2nd from 1-6 at the San Marcos Lions Club. For more info check www.ctana.org

The next Southern Zonal Forum will be July 25-27, 2014, in Chattanooga, TN.

There will also be a Multi-Zonal Service Symposium September 26-28, 2014, in St. Louis, Missouri. See www.mzssna.org for flyer and further info.

The next RSC will be hosted by HASCONA August 9, 2014. Location to be announced.