Common Welfare Topics

The World Service Conference Committee announced this month:

Thank you to everyone who participated in the first Common Welfare Topic Poll! 47 CWT Ballots were submitted.

The three topics chosen by the fellowship are: 1. Financials 2. Conference 3. Legal Entity

As you probably remember, our region had chosen Growth, Communication, and Service. We will keep our groups' interest in these topics in mind going forward. For instance, we discussed focusing on these topics in planning for our next Narathon.

IWSC 2024

The Interim World Service Conference is coming up this month, and I'd encourage as many of you as possible to come as observers. The agenda and the observer invitation are both posted on the World Service website at: https://www.nar-anon.org/world-service-conference I am so looking forward to our first IWSC and having the opportunity to discuss Common Welfare Topics and bring back this information to our region.

Motions

This month, our region submitted three draft motions to Policy and Guidelines to begin the process of developing them for next year's World Service Conference. The three motions were:

- Elect an ad hoc committee chair with authority to recruit a committee, try projects to increase two-way communication within Nar-Anon, and then report to the next World Service Conference with suggestions for options and projects that can help improve twoway communication within Nar-Anon.
- 2. Elect an ad hoc committee chair with authority to recruit a committee, try fundraising projects, and then report to the next World Service Conference with suggestions for ways to do fundraising to help Nar-Anon grow while honoring the Nar-Anon Principles.
- 3. Update the GLS section on Finances to allow contributions to be directed to designated purposes by: Strike through the second paragraph in the GLS section on Finances, on page 9-1: "Contributions to WSO cannot be earmarked for special purposes; all contributions are allocated to the general fund." Insert a replacement paragraph that reads: "Contributions processed through the WSO can be designated for the NFGH General Fund, World Service Conferences, or World Convention."

These motions are aimed toward finding ways to improve communication, explore fundraising, and make it easier for regions or members to help send others regions or members to conferences or conventions. Thank you to the groups who provided us with feedback.

In Service, Sunny J Delegate CCR