

What is the Interim World Service Conference (IWSC)?

It is a biennial business meeting where Regional Delegates from around the world come together to discuss topics that affect regions worldwide, to vote on approving new literature, and to continue our primary purpose as we grow and develop in our fellowship. The Interim Conference comes in the off year between our main business conference, so we won't have motions to be considered, and during this Interim conference we will have time to discuss three Common Welfare Topics.

What are the Common Welfare Topics:

The Common Welfare topics were submitted by groups to their Regions and compiled by the Conference Committee in a poll. All groups and their members will have an opportunity to review it and have their voice heard at the group level. Each group can let their Delegate know which of the topics are the three most important to them. Only three can be discussed at the IWSC.

The Group Service Representative (GSR) Role

- The GSR receives the CWT and shares them with their group
- In the 'Announcements' portion of the recovery meeting inform the group of a brief business meeting after the meeting to encourage participation for the group's voice
- Coordinate the review, discuss and gather a group conscience of the Common Welfare Topics, and decide which are the three top choices of your group. Indicate this on the tally sheet.
- The GSR submits the Tally Sheet by or before the deadline of March 2, 2024 to the Delegate

Optional Script if using the Screen Share display.

(Take what you like leave the rest)

GSR: Thank you for being here and participating in having a voice and vote in the direction of our fellowship. A reminder, if you consider this to be your desired or home group, please vote here. If you choose to vote with this group, you will be unable to vote elsewhere.

GSR: Let's invite Higher Power into our Group Conscience for this meeting.

(Options: Serenity Prayer, Prayer for the Fellowship)

GSR: Did anyone get an opportunity to look over the Common Welfare Topics? GSR: Are we ready to go over the *(first or next)* topic?

To summarize each motion:

- *Slideshow can be displayed during the meeting*

- *Read the Title of the topic, and share the subtopics listed (Read and then ask)*

GSR: [Are there any concerns or questions on this topic?](#)

(The tally process can be through a group conscience vote or Consensus Based Decision Making)

GSR: [Are we ready to take a vote? Does our group feel this is one of the three most important topics for this year's conference? All in favor?](#)

[Any opposed?](#)

[Any abstains?](#)

(Record votes to Tally Sheet)

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