## **Looking Ahead**

As 2022 gets off the ground, I am looking forward to a wonderful and prosperous year. I am hoping that we can work together and get your groups conscience and carry that to the conference with me.

I have received a preliminary list of the agenda items for the conference. On or around February 15<sup>th</sup>, I should get the full list of conference agenda items. At which time, I will distribute them out to the entire assembly. The Alternate Delegate and I will set down and come up with a few items to discuss.

I am looking to have more committee involvement. I will ask each committee to review their corresponding items and decide which ones they would like to discuss and present.

The Alternate Delegate has created a timeline to the conference. Our first draft has been placed in the assembly package that you received. It will be updated as we go along. We have some proposed dates to have the Pre-Conference Workshop. I will be looking for districts to come together and host a workshop. My idea to have one in North County, One in Central or South County, One in Mid or East. I also have plans to visit Imperial County. I am excited and happy that District 17 is participating again. I will be reaching out to District 9 to ask them to participate with us.

This year the conference is scheduled to be in person. There are 178 conference agenda items right now. Some are duplicates and some are reviewing the work that has been done on those items. The conference will be the last week in April.

I also wanted to make sure that every GSR was made aware that if your group or you would like to submit a conference agenda item, the deadline has been moved up. The deadline is now September 15<sup>th</sup> to get on the next year conference. An item can be submitted at any time. This is a year long process.

As a GSR you as asked to join a committee. Our area has adopted the tradition and mirrors the conference committees. I didn't get to pick which committee I wanted to be on. This is one reason for the blind pick. I am personally going to ask that you get on a committee and stay. Your voice will be helpful to the committee and the entire conference process.

After the post conference, I will be visiting each district and committee to do an overview of the conference. I look forward to chatting as the year and conference happens.

Thank you for allowing me to be of service.

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