

**Alt. Delegate- ACM Report**  
**November 16, 2023**

Good evening Everyone,

Wishing everyone is doing well tonight, enjoying the blessings of our wonderful program. These months always seem to be the most enjoyable because of the holidays that approach us. I have to admit that October and November have been the busiest months for me out of this year, service commitments, at work and in my personal life having to find a new place to live and scheduling a move out/move in date. Everything has been manageable and placed on a calendar to make things happen, I am so blessed to live the lived I do today thanks to AA.

I did provide a lengthier report at our Budget Assembly. All my reports are available in English and Spanish on the area's website, under the area information tab at the Alternate Delegate documents and reports or at the Assembly Documents at the Glide App.

I personally had such a wonderful time/day at Budget Assembly, the budget approval process went very well, the motions portion of the assembly also went very well. It is so great to listen to our groups voices with the hard work of our GSRs and our membership who attend. Thank you all for your participation and best interests of our areas twelve step work and the wealth of our area..

Some of my activities since the last ACM have been;

- On Sunday October 22<sup>nd</sup> I did attend a Districts Anniversary up in Jarupa Valley, (Area 09) to share my experience on General Service and what gets done in General Service.
- On Monday the 23<sup>rd</sup> the "three amigos" Adrian, Monty and I met up for dinner and just shared good times, memories and upcoming business before we rotate in to our new service positions for the next years panel. Its been great spending time with them two and our fellow officers when we gather up either of online (virtually) or in person for breakfast twice a month.
- Saturday Morning of the 28<sup>th</sup>, We attended the Pancake Breakfast in Mission Valley in unity and support for celebrating the 83 years of AA in San Diego. We were able to fill up two tables of panel 72 and panel 74 officers, had such a wonderful time, got to hear about San Diego and AA history.
- Saturday evening of the 28<sup>th</sup>, I drove up to Oceanside for the Dia de los Muertos/ Halloween Event that our young people put together, meeting was awesome and hanging out with the young AA was very fun. Had such a fun time up there. I am ALL registered in ACYPAA51 since February this year and have booked my hotel room this month. Please remember to register or help out with a scholarship to make it possible for someone new to attend. Its going to be such a wonderful weekend, can't wait!!
- Sunday the 29<sup>th</sup>, I was invited to share on, How to Carry the Message Behind Walls, at a corrections workshop hosted by Districts 18. Room got full and great information shared by the other panelist.

- On Friday, November 3<sup>rd</sup>, I was invited to a group in National City (Grupo Nuevo Sendero) to share on Chapter 7-Working with Others.
- On Sunday, November 5<sup>th</sup>, I attended the General Service workshop hosted by District 15. Very informative and helpful for all of us involved in General Service.
- On Saturday the 11<sup>th</sup>, we had our Budget Assembly.
- On Sunday the 12<sup>th</sup>, we drove up to Rosemead, CA. for Area's 5 Hispanic Local (Area) Forum, both District 15 and 18 attended, good participation and great sharing on the Conference Charter. Area 8 was well represented!!

I so look forward to seeing you at Area's 09 Servathon Event this Saturday the 18<sup>th</sup>, they have invited us to be there in Unity and support. And, also we have ROOTS Event on Sunday the 19<sup>th</sup>..

I want to wish all of you Happy Holidays and a Happy Thanksgiving time with your families, loved ones and friends. Be safe and remember that we are never alone, we are just a call or text away!!

Thank you for allowing me to be of Service.

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