

**TREASURER'S REPORT
HAWAII AREA 17
Budget Assembly
August 16, 2014**

Aloha Panel 63 trusted servants,

As of July 31, 2014, the Hawaii Area funds are as follows:

Operating Funds	\$13,122.52
Prudent Reserve	\$5,003.60
Reserve for Computer Equipment	\$1,032.65
Reserve for International Convention	\$1,400.00
Total Cash in Bank	\$20,555.97

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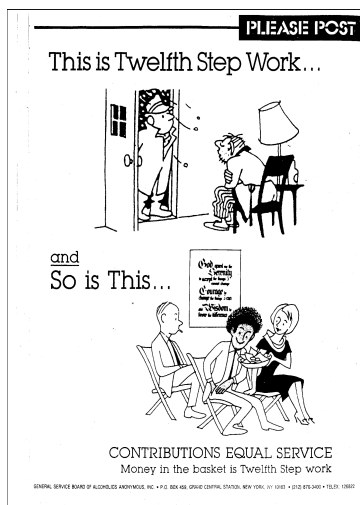
As of July 31, 2014:

Total Contributions and Income	\$23,420.65
Total Expenditures	\$27,150.29
Net Income/Loss	-\$3,729.64

As of the end of July, the Area has a deficit of \$3,729.64. As we know from experience, the majority of the Area's expenses come during the first 5 months of the year and for this year that period is extended with the Pacific Regional Forum and the Trustee visit. However, this has changed with the August deposits and we will be in the black. I wanted to thank you for your contributions and service to the Hawaii Area. I wanted to acknowledge the International Women's Conference and HICYPAA for their generous contributions.

Today we will be voting on the proposed 2015 budget for Hawai'i Area. The finance committee (Steve N., Tami G., Colleen A., Alejandro/Ron A. and I) has worked very hard to present the budget to all districts during the last few months. I want to acknowledge the finance committee and thank them for their service. The process works. We are looking forward to passing the 2015 Hawaii Area Budget.

I continue to receive many requests for district mailing addresses. Currently, there is no where for the fellowship to find this information and it has been a challenge for me also. I sent an email out to all DCMs requesting this information and received a reply from only 4 DCMs. I would like to request that all DCMs see me during this assembly with this information. I will then ask the Webmaster add this information to your district's page on the Area website.



Please continue to spread the word to ensure all home groups to use the current Area mailing address. The forwarding order for the old mailing address has expired. Mail being sent to the old address will be returned to the sender. We want to thank all groups and the fellowship for their continued support through your 7th tradition contributions.

Officers and standing committee chairs traveling to Puna for the October Elections assembly please book your flights now. As we experienced with this assembly, airfare prices increased quickly due to the long weekend. If you would like me to put your travel costs on the area debit card, please talk to me and we can do this together! Once the dates for the Budget Assembly and committee meeting to plan for the Budget Assembly are set, please book your tickets. **Don't forget to use the Area's Hawaiian Airlines code.** The Hawaiian Airlines Affiliate code is **HAWAIIAREA**. The term "Affiliate Program" does not imply that we are affiliated or endorsing Hawaiian Airlines. The name is their choice, not ours, and this is not something special they are offering us because we are Alcoholics Anonymous. Any group can become an affiliate group. Airline programs are used for many A.A. events, including the International Convention of Alcoholics Anonymous. The earlier we book, the cheaper the tickets are. *In the spirit of financial prudence and responsibility.* More information regarding Air Travel can be found on the Area website, <http://www.area17aa.org/air-travel/>.

Should you need any assistance and/or treasurer support such as a check between now and the elections assembly, please feel free to contact me through the Area email at treasurer@area17aa.org. Have a safe and joyous holiday season.

In love and service,

Kunane D.
Area Treasurer, Panel 63