

**Hawaii Area 17 Inform the Delegate Assembly  
Saturday April 2, 2016  
Hosted by Honolulu #2**

- 8:00-9:00 Breakfast and Registration  
9:00-9:15 Call to Order with the Serenity Prayer, Host DCM announcements, Guests and Sobriety Birthdays  
Reading –
- 9:15-9:30 Delegate's Report  
Plan for the presentations:  
- Panel groups meet 1½ hours  
- Presentations 15-18 minutes, (2-3 presenters suggested)  
- Members at the mic ≤2 minutes each  
- Delegate summary 2 minutes  
- 5 minutes transition time between Panels
- 9:30-10:55 Panel groups – Meet, discuss and prepare presentations.  
10:55-11:10 Break
- 11:10-11:40 Panel 1: **Cooperation with the Professional Community – Tommy G.**  
**II. Cooperation with the Professional Community** Consider discontinuing the pamphlet “Three Talks to Medical Societies by Bill W.” **Page 408**  
A. Consider adding text regarding A.A. and medications to the pamphlet “If You are a Professional...” **Page 409**  
B. Considering adding text to the pamphlet “Is there an Alcoholic in the Workplace?” **Page 410**
- 11:45-12:15 Panel 2: **Grapevine – Pattilynne** IV. Finance-  
B. Review the Conference approved level of \$5,000 for individual bequests to The General Service Board from A.A. members. **Pages 447 - 448**  
C. Review the Conference approved maximum annual contribution to the General Service Board from an individual A.A. Member of \$3,000. **Pages 449 – 450**
- 12:15-1:15 Lunch (Finance committee meets)
- 1:15-1:45 Panel 3: **Cooperation with the Elder Community (CEC) – Jack** **Literature - Group 1**  
A. Consider developing a plain language version of the Big Book, *Alcoholics Anonymous*. **Pages 511 – 523**
- 1:50-2:20 Panel 4: **Mynah Bird – Jim D.** **VI. Literature – Group 2**  
H. Consider request for revision to the pamphlet “Young People and A.A.” **Pages 550 - 597**  
I. Consider request to update the pamphlet “Twelve Traditions Illustrated.” **Pages 598 – 615**
- 2:25-2:55 Panel 5: **Website – Sue** **VII. Public Information – Group 1**  
B. Public Information Comprehensive Media Plan.  
1. Review the trustees’ Public Information Committee report on the Public Information Comprehensive Media Plan.  
2. Review 2016 Public Information Comprehensive Media Plan **Pages 680 – 694**
- 3:00-3:15 Break
- 3:15-3:45 Panel 6: **Public Information – Cynthia B.** **VII. Public Information – Group 2**  
E. Discuss a request to reconsider the 2011 Advisory Action regarding the “Policy on Actors Portraying A.A. Members or Potential A.A. Members in Videos Produced by the General Service Board or its Affiliates.” **Pages 705 – 713**
- 3:50-4:20 Panel 7: **Corrections – Erik T.** **IX. Report and Charter**  
A. *The A.A. Service Manual*, 2016-2017 Edition:  
2. Consider adding definition of “Service Manual” to Glossary of Service Terms.  
3. Consider adding text in the Third Legacy Procedure chart in Chapter One.  
4. Consider draft text for a section on “Local Forums” to be added to Chapter Nine.  
5. Consider removing endnote #4 in *Concept Twelve of the Twelve Concepts for World Service*.  
6. Consider request to revise text in the Concept Eleven essay regarding “male/female” distinctions in the *Twelve Concepts for World Service*. **Pages 721 - 742**  
B. Consider A.A.W.S. recommendation regarding an alternative publishing schedule for *The A.A. Service Manual/Twelve Concepts for World Service*. **Pages 743 – 746**
- 4:025- 4:55 Ask It Basket/ What’s on your mind?/Adjourn with the Declaration of Unity  
5:00 Dinner served by Honolulu District

**Declaration of Unity –**

**This we owe to AA’s future: place  
our common welfare first;  
  
to keep our fellowship united; for on  
AA unity depend our lives  
  
and the lives of those to come.**

**Hawaii Area 17 Orientation Assembly  
Sunday April 3, 2016  
Hosted by Honolulu #2**

- 8:00- 9:00 Breakfast and Registration
- 9:00-9:15 Call to Order with the Serenity Prayer, Host DCM announcements  
Reading –
- 9:15-9:45 Officer Reports: (4 minutes)  
Secretary (10 minutes)  
Treasurer (10 minutes)  
Registrar  
Alternate Delegate  
Alternate Chair  
Chair
- Review procedure for presentations:  
- Presentations 15-18 minutes,  
- Members at the mic ≤2 minutes each, 10-12 minutes allotted per panel  
- Delegate summary 2 minutes  
- 5 minute transition time between Panels
- 9:45-10:15 Panel 8: Treatment – Alan X. Treatment/Special Needs-Accessibilities  
A. Consider removing “Special Needs” from Conference Committee on  
Treatment/Special Needs – Accessibilities’ name and throughout committees’  
Composition, Scope and Procedure. **Pages 757 – 766**
- 10:15-10:30 Break
- 10:30-11:00 Panel 9: Archives –Lauren XII. Archives  
A. Explore ways to encourage groups to write or update their histories.  
**Pages 805 – 809**
- 11:05-11:35 Panel 10: Annual Hawaii Convention – Judy C.  
XIII. International Convention/Regional Forums  
A. Discuss ways to encourage interest in Regional Forums and attract first-time  
attendees. **Pages 811 – 815**
- 11:40-12:10 Panel 11: DCMs 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10 III. Corrections  
A. Discuss the Corrections Correspondence Service (C.C.S.) **Pages 429 – 438**
- 12:10 Host Announcements
- 12:15 Lunch (Finance Committee meets)
- 1:15-1:45 Panel 12: DCMs 11, 12, 13, 17, Intergroup Chairs and Area Officers VII. Policy/Admissions -  
Review report from the trustees’ Committee on the General Service Conference regarding Conference observers from other fellowships.  
**Pages 627 – 640**
- 1:45 Proposal from Corrections Committee, Proposal from Mynah Bird Chair
- 2:15 DCM Reports (3 minutes)
- 3:00 Standing Committee Reports followed by Intergroup Reports (3 minutes)
- 3:30 PRAASA Reports followed by Ask it Basket, At the Mic and “What’s on your mind?” Host DCM Announcements  
Adjourn with the Declaration of Unity

**2016 Calendar**

**April 2-3, 2016**

Inform the Delegate  
Assembly  
Honolulu District #2, Oahu

**May 21, 2016**

Committee Meeting  
Waianae #17, Oahu

**August 27-28, 2016**

Budget Assembly  
Kihei #11, Maui

**November 12-13, 2016**

Election Assembly  
West Hawaii District #8

**Other service or area  
events:**

**Sept. 30 - Oct 2, 2016**

Regional Forum -Pacific  
Hilton Waikoloa, Big Island

**Annual Hawaii Convention  
Oct. 27-30, 2016**

Hilton Hawaiian Village  
Honolulu, Oahu

