

Area Alt. Chair Report  
Fall Committee Meeting Report  
Hawaii Area 17 Panel 71  
2/26/2022

Aloha,

My name is Jeannie and I am an alcoholic. I currently serve as your Hawaii Area 17 Alternate Chair.

I would like to thank our officers for facilitating our first hybrid committee meeting, Hilo/Hamakua District 7, and a few others for their awesome job hosting today.

It is exciting to be here in person to help set up, share meals and car rides, laugh, and have great conversations among friends. We are thrilled members are attending virtually and hope you feel as though you are in the room with us. We pray today runs smoothly but there is always a chance we may hit a bump or two so please bear with us if that should happen.

My duties outlined in 2.9 of the Structure and Guidelines for Hawaii Area 17 General Service are as follows:

*A. Perform the duties of the area chair in their absence. Pray not, but stand ready.*

*B. Arrange meeting places and hospitality for all area assemblies and committee meetings.* It has been fun working with Len, our hosting DCM. She reminds me often who is in charge and I am grateful for that. I look forward to being more involved with the districts when we move to in-person meetings.

- We have already started preparations for the Inform the Delegate Virtual Assembly on April 9th & 10th. Online registration will be posted on the area website by Monday at 8 AM and the flyer is on the table.
- The night before the assembly, on April 8th at 6 PM we will be having our first Friday Night Q & A Session. A great opportunity for members to ask questions and get oriented for the assembly.

*C. Serve as a member of the finance committee.*

*D. Serve as a voting member on the Hawaii Annual State Convention Steering Committee.* We meet once a month and I will pass the reporting on to Kawika our Convention Steering Chair.

*E. Serve as temporary group registrar, recording secretary, or treasurer if any of these officers are absent.* Grateful Deborah, our secretary was able to make it!

*F. Appoint the area's standing committee chairs in conjunction with other area officers.*

Deborah and I also finished up a document "Guidelines for Tech Team: Hosting Virtual Assemblies and Committee Meetings". This is an area that just keeps morphing as we learn more and more.

Thank you all for your service, thank you for the opportunity to serve, and please do not hesitate to contact me or any other members of the Area Committee.

Jeannie G