# Motions Passed At the 2014 World Service Conference

## Motions pertaining to the GSB and By-Laws

- The GSB will no longer recognize the office of Traditions Keeper.
- The GSB will recognize the office of Archivist (to make available motions, etc. made previously by the GSB). Initially, there will be two co-Archivists.
- Only GSB officers (Chair, Vice-Chair, Secretary, Treasurer, and co-Archivists), committee chairs, and General Services Representatives (GSR's) can vote on regular GSB meetings.
- Guidelines for eligibility to become a GSB Officer
  - Completed the 12 Steps in UA
  - Actively working with a UA Sponsor
  - o Active in UA for at least 18 months
  - Previously served in at least one of the following:
    - Business chair of an individual UA meeting
    - GSR
    - Committee chair
  - Have a home group
  - Have time available (estimated to be 10 to 12 hours per week, especially for Chair and Treasurer
  - Working knowledge of the 12 Traditions
  - Working knowledge of the 12 Concepts for World Service
  - 6 months solvency (defined as not incurring any new unsecured debt), except that the Treasurer must have 12 months solvency
- The term of service for GSB officers will be one year, with the opportunity to stand for re-election for another one year term.
- The co-archivists will give a monthly status report regarding the Articles of Incorporation and By-Laws of the GSB at each GSB meeting.
- If our By-Laws do not already authorize us to have an annual business meeting, then, by this motion, the By-Laws are amended to authorize this; it is the spirit of our Fellowship to so amend.

### Motions pertaining to the WSC in the future

- The next WSC as a face-to-face event will be no sooner than 2016, at the earliest.
- There will be no stipends at the next WSC.

- There will be a scholarship fund at the next WSC (Although there was no explicit statement of this in the motion, the intent is that the GSR's will come up with a spending plan and some level of funding from their meetings. The scholarship will fund the rest,).
- There will be an establishment of clear criteria regarding the next location.
- Officers of the WSC will be expected to demonstrate a working knowledge of the 12 Concepts within 6 months of election.
- Unless explicitly allocated otherwise, donations to Underearners' Anonymous will be split as follows:
  - $\circ$  60% to UA as a whole (website maintenance, etc.)
  - $\circ$  30% for the WSC
  - $\circ$  10% for scholarships for WSC attendance

### Motions pertaining to Literature

- The existing statement of the Symptoms of Underearning are Conference Approved.
- The existing statement of the Tools of Underearning are Conference Approved.
- The pamphlet "About UA" is Conference Approved.

<u>Note</u>: Hallie C., who was serving on the GSB when many of the other documents on our website were prepared, was in attendance. She stated that many of these other documents, while not WSC approved, were, in fact, approved by the GSB soon after their preparation. She therefore suggests that these other documents be designated "GSB approved" and notated as such on the website, pending further review, possible revision, and eventual conference approval.

### Respectfully submitted,

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