

CNIA AREA ACCENTS



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Area 07 Chair's Report

CNIA Mini-PRAASA Assembly is upon us. It's an opportunity for GSR's and DCM's to share thoughts about our Area. Over the course of the weekend, there will be panels and most importantly, our Area will take an inventory. When we come into AA, we're encouraged to take an inventory in Step 4 to learn from our past mistakes. As we go along, our homegroups might decide to do a group inventory to look at how well the group is carrying the message. It gives us as an Area opportunity to pause and look at how effectively we are carrying the group conscience through the General Service structure. Questions that we'll be looking at for our inventory can be found in our Accents. Please get feedback from your group and share with us at the Assembly. Reading these ahead of time with members will help us all to be prepared for discussion at the Assembly.

At the last ACM the Finance Committee presented their final Draft spending plane for next year. We had great discussion and feed back. I want to thank the Finance Committee for their hard work. Please check the Accents for the spending plan. Just like the Inventory Questions please look over the spending plan for 2023 and present it to your groups, Look forward to your groups feedback.

I would like to say Thank You to all of our Appointed Chairs, Officers but especially to both the Finance and E-service Committees. Both Committees have been busy and working hard on leading our Area into the future. At times the Tech and Finance language can be difficult to understand but what I've learned that the Language of the Heart is also spoken in those languages. Thank you to all the GSR's and DCM's for your service to our Area but most importantly your service to Alcoholics Anonymous.

Happy 24hrs

Claudio B

CNIA Chair

Panel 72

Mini Prassa Agenda, October 14, 2022

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 14

4:00 PM Registration opens

7:00 PM Call to order

- Housekeeping
- Readings: GSR Preamble, 12 Traditions (short form), 12 Concepts (short form), "Why Do We Need A Conference?"

- Introductions

Districts Roll Call

7:15 PM Weekend Overview - CNIA Past Delegate, Lela M. (Panel 62)

7:30-8:30 PM Consideration of 2022 Post-Conference Assembly minutes

Reports: Assemblies

Reports: Liaisons, Appointed Chairs, DCMs, Officers

8:30-9:30 PM Panel: 73rd General Service Conference, "A.A.'s Three Legacies – Our Common Solution"

- Practicing Our Twelve Traditions Across All Group Settings
 - Our Common Perils and Common Solution
- Fostering a Thriving Three Legacy Culture
Adjourn to Saturday

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 15

8:00-9:00 AM Registration opens

9:00 AM Reconvene / Call to Order

- Housekeeping
- Readings: GSR Preamble, 12 Traditions (short form), 12 Concepts (short form), "Why Do We Need A Conference?"

- Introductions

Seventh Tradition

9:30-10:15 AM Presentation, Discussion, Consideration of 2023 Spending Plan

10:15-11:30 AM Delegate Report

11:30 AM-12:30 PM Panel: Literature topics

- The Many Voices of Alcoholics Anonymous
- What is "Conference Approved" literature?

Study Guides and Checklists—Too Much or Not Enough?

12:30-1:30 PM Lunch

1:30-5:30 PM Area Inventory. Facilitator: CNCA 06 Panel 65 Delegate, Raymundo L.

5:30-7:00 PM Dinner

7:00-8:00 PM Speaker Meeting. Raymundo L., CNCA

8:00 PM Ice cream social and roundtable discussions

9:30 PM Adjourn to Sunday

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 16

9:00 AM Assembly reconvenes

9:00-09:30 AM Roundtable report-backs

9:30-10:00 AM Remaining reports

10:00-11:15 AM Old Business

11:15-11:45 AM New Business

11:45 AM Ask-it Basket, What's On Your Mind

Noon Assembly Adjourns

Thank you for your service 🙏 See you in Gridley for the Winter Assembly!

Post Conference Minutes (unapproved)

The Post Conference Assembly of California Northern Interior Area (CNIA) was held in Placerville Saturday, May 21 through Sunday, May 22, 2022. The assembly was called to order by CNIA Chair Claudio, at 12pm. The GSR Preamble was read by Harry; the 12 Traditions were read by Luis; the 12 Concepts were read by Mark; Why Do We Need a Conference was read by Christine.

Introductions: A roll call of districts was conducted. Past delegates were introduced: Inez (P44), Marianne (P56), Melody (P60), Vikki (P66), Mike (P68), Tom (P70)

Weekend Overview: Marianne H (P56) gave an overview of the weekend

Assembly Reports:

Pre Conference (follow up), Christine (D21): we have 230 registrants, everything went great

Mini PRAASA, Brad (D19): it will be in Yuba City, Fairgrounds location is reserved. We're preparing a flyer

Winter Assembly, Elias (D57): we're working on planning the assembly

Liaison Reports:

Hospital and Institutions (H&I), Vikki: H&I updated their policy manuals in English and Spanish. H&I is discussing restructuring and inviting area chairs to be more accountable to districts that they serve - more to come.

North Valley Intergroup, Martha: email nvignewsletter@gmail.com for our newsletter. Quarterly speaker meeting

paradise 6/11. Founders Day 6/26.

Campout Aug 12/13th

Fresno Central Office, Reyna: office under construction since December. Annual picnic coming up June

Young Peoples in AA: SACYPAA (Carlos) - May 28 speaker meeting/dance. RE-DYPAA (Suzy) - we have a new GSR Ashley; we just had elections for a new committee, we're hosting ACYPAA Summit; Norcal Bid for ICYPAA - we're bidding to bring ICYPAA back to Norcal

Seventh tradition was conducted

Appointed Chair Reports:

Accents, Jeff: I will be attending a history day in Sutter Creek next month

Archives, Nancy: We are making a dent in our history files. We participated in agenda topic presentations. We attended the Pre-Conference Assembly and took the Archives display to Turlock for their 30th Unity Day. Come visit the Archives the first Saturday monthly

Bridging the Gap (BTG), Brad: Since January we have connected with 15 of the 30 Districts in the Area. The districts have responded to 54 requests YTD for service in the Area. I am hosting a monthly Zoom Bridging the Gap Area Committee meeting the last Wednesday of the month from 6:30 to 8:00.

Eservices, Jessica: working on a new website. I'll be attending NAATW in September

Finance Committee, Don: Financials are stable. Expenditures 2019 \$62,000 and 2020-21 \$40,000 (rounded off)--could

rise to 60,000+ as in-person, higher rent and gas costs and hybrid meetings. Prudent Reserve – currently \$9881.9. We have some things to discuss with the groups - info will be sent to DCMs for review regarding 1) spending flexibility of approved funds; previously presented to ACM and Assembly and 2) adjusting prudent reserve to 3 months of annual budget, 3) new mileage rate. Spanish Interpretation Expenditures: Pre-conference = \$751.00 and Post-conference = \$1,552.00 based on standardizing mileage, hourly, over-night, meals, breaks and such for CNIA or outside workers.

Grapevine, Jorge: We have some new GV books. Hope your home groups and districts have Grapevine subscriptions! La Vina celebrates its 26th anniversary in July.

Literature, Lorri: I'm available to set up literature tables at your events. I attended District 53 GSR school with Kendyce

Oral Translation, Jose: Thank you Juan for your service as well!

Written Translation, Amanda: I translated the minutes for the May Acentos and the agenda items result quick guide

Officer Reports:

Registrar, Loren: I've processed all forms submitted into GSO's Fellowship Connection system.

Treasurer, Holly: thank you to the groups for their contributions - they support Spanish translation and ASL interpretation. E-services/written translation are currently not funded, maybe we should evaluate that. We may want to consider increasing our \$0.575 mileage reimbursement to what GSO does - \$0.585/

mile. Contributions can be sent via USPS, Zelle, or cna.org

Recording Secretary, Emily: Google form for reports seems to be working - if you don't get my emails it's because the registrar needs your updated information. I attended the REDYPAA elections with another service commitment and got to put a plug in for general service

Alternate Chair, Kendyce: I've been traveling the area to meet districts and give a couple of GSR Schools. I'm looking for folks to participate in sharing sessions on zoom. We're discussing CNIA guidelines for paid Spanish and English interpretation at ACMs and assemblies. Planning is underway for the Mini PRAASA and 2023 Winter Assemblies.

Chair, Claudio: I visited District 9 for their last meeting - we're excited to have representation from them this month

Alternate Delegate, Matthew: I attended the Intra-District Meeting in Gridley for a Public Information presentation. All of the Spanish District Meeting Information was updated on our website. We are starting up the PI/CPC Committee every 4th Tuesday at 7pm Meeting ID:861 9041 1117 Passcode:465838

Delegate Report: Jenn D. gave her conference report. More information can be found on the Delegate's page on cna.org.

DCM Reports:

D9, Wes: We're working to reestablish our committees. Working on getting a sign on our Sis-kiyou bus sign. We'll be doing outreach to the homeless with a bag lunch program giving out meeting schedules/literature. We're trying to start an Archives. Working on getting PSAs to get to local treatment programs.

D11, Suzy: we have a new GSR for REDYPAA.

We're struggling to get GSRs, we're open to suggestions. Most of our positions are filled

D15, Lianne: we're getting our committees formed. We've added an accessibility committee. 2 new GSRs since last meeting. Looking forward to host next year's post conference assembly

D17, Ryan: We had GSR school - and will be having another as a workshop. Groups are having strong attendance both in person and virtual. Finances are strong. Recently found that our old teleservice number has been receiving increased calls in the past few months including long distance charges - unexpected since we were planning to discontinue this # since we participate in CCFAA's teleservice. We think the recent increase in calls is due to SEO algorithm on our website and the # being posted on out-of-state listings; we would love experience from other districts on this issue.

D19, Steve: There were several new GSRs at the last meeting. Planning the 2022 Mini PRAASA and our Unity Day, looking for volunteers.

D20, Lisette: looking forward to summer in person events - bowling, picnic, water events. The Grass Valley Fellowship had a picnic and potluck with great live music last weekend. We are experimenting with a hybrid business meeting for the district. We are slowly filling our vacant Chair positions. The District as a whole is experiencing a rebirth and growing again.

D21, Sam: We have filled all of our open positions. Our PI/CPC committee is reinvigorated. District Financials are healthy and we are working to create a viable plan to appropriately spend down the amount above prudent reserve built up during covid. We are reaching out to non represented groups and developing a plan to reach out to the local unhoused community.

D22, Peter: Our district now meets as a hybrid format. We continue to improve the appearance and functionality of our District Website with an up to date on line Meeting Schedule and section containing fliers. Will be working on our "GSR Project" in which we will visit every Fellowship in the District to invite them to have active GSRs with Service Sponsors that are fully engaged in General Service.

D23, Carlos: All is well

D24, Rachel: We are financially hosting a writing workshop that Kimberly W. is leading for the Call for Stories for the Black and African American pamphlet update. North Hall in Sacramento on June 11th at 12:00 pm. We discussed hosting a General Service workshop in the coming months.

D25, Don: Financials are stable - fewer donations and fewer costs. Encouraging service sponsorship in our committee. Trying to reach out to inactive/unknown groups

D27, Kayla: We donated to Carry the Message Project recently. We recently filled our H&I chair, and we have other positions hoping. Still meeting on Zoom

D29, Valerie: Discussing a Sacramento Unity Day in August. One virtual meeting in our district - trying a hybrid district meeting this month. Thinking about inviting past delegates to teach the concepts

D30, Titia: Working with the Delta Intergroup to help us straighten out the My Meeting Guide issue of our meetings not being listed on the app.

D33, Susie: Discussing going hybrid - going to do a trial run for three months before voting. Discussed our hotline issues and getting it back in service. We are ready to have a printed meeting schedule.

D34, Ada: The Freedom Weekend Campout Group will be at Davis Park in Modesto on June 4th starting at 11am to pick spots for our annual camping trip at River Ranch Campground June 23-26. Working on identifying dark groups

D36, Michael: Unity Day at Yosemite Lake Sept 18

D37, Gavin: may have found a location in Stockton to have our business meeting, currently on Zoom. We have successfully implemented a cash app, venmo and paypal for electronic contributions. A motion was passed to make a \$500 contribution to help cover costs of our central office for their mid-year bbq/picnic/speaker event on July 30 per their request.

D40, Carrie: We will meet in person in June. Our PI/CPC chair is working on getting books to our local libraries. Planning our Unity Day at Bass Lake in October.

D41: no report

D42, Reyna: Meeting on Zoom, finances stable.

Discussing 2022 events we may hold

D43: no report

D47, Allen: Considering hosting a Unity Day/

Delegate Report event with our local districts

D49: no report

D53, Jesus: We have a district book study, concept study, topic study, and tradition study. We visit groups weekly, both those with/without GSR representation

D54, Guadalupe: 8 active GSRs and 16 groups.

Encouraging inactive groups to get GSRs. working with PI and have distributed literature this month

D55, Nicolas: no report

D56, Herberto: no report

D57, Elias: Thank to those that participated in our interdistrict event for the linguistic districts

Panel 1: Literature Connection. Katie (D27) spoke about the Big Book accessibility research. Kimberly (D24) spoke about "AA for the Black and African American Alcoholic." Lupe (D54) Fourth Edition of "Alcoholicos Anonimos"

Roundtables were conducted. Roundtable report backs were given Sunday morning.

Panel 2: Getting involved with local service committees. Brenda spoke on PI/CPC. Ron spoke on Bridging the Gap. Tim spoke on NCCAA. Casey spoke on getting into service. Pete spoke on teleservice.

Consideration of Pre Conf Assembly Minutes: Don made a motion to approve the minutes It was seconded by a member and was approved by substantial unanimity.

Old Business: Flexibility in Approved Spending: to give finance committee for flexibility in spending between meetings. Right now we can spend up to 5% of annual budget. Proposal is to have expenditures not exceed EITHER 5% of expenditures of approved spending plan OR 20% of funds in excess of prudent reserve. We'll send to the DCMs to discuss.

New Business: Regional Forum for Officers/Appt Chairs: Currently only delegate is funded to attend. Don makes the following *MOTION*: fund officers and appointed chairs to go to Regional Forum Sept 16-18, 2022 in SLC, Utah. 16 people (if all go) and \$12,000

(based on projections of flights, shared rooms and such). Dave seconds the motion. *DISCUSSION*: the service manual says that regional forums allow for sharing/exchanging valuable experiences - would love to see this for our officers/appointed chairs without paying out of pocket. There's not another assembly before this event so we should vote on this now. We have leftover \$ from PRAASA since that was online. I don't think that's enough \$ given plane tickets. Money would be better spent on upgrading translation equipment. What if half go this year and half next time, or can we just send a few people. Let's keep in mind that something like this, historically, will continue in future years if we approve it now. *The group decided that they are not ready to vote.* Celia made a *FRIENDLY AMENDMENT*: that only the 6 officers are funded. Lissette seconded and Don accepted. *DISCUSSION*: is this an either/or doing this and replacing translation equipment? We have the money to do both. Jenn made a *MOTION TO TABLE UNTIL MINI PRAASA.* A member seconded. Passed by simple majority, motion will be tabled.

Ask-It-Basket: Alt Chair Kendyce conducted the ask-it -basket with area officers/appointed chairs answering the area's questions

Assembly closed at 12pm.

In Love and Service,
Emily L
Recording Secretary, Panel 72

The Area Takes Its Inventory

Greetings, fellow trusted servants. Thinking back to my first personal inventories, it was suggested to look at my life and actions— good, bad, and indifferent. To see what I've done well, where I've gone off the beam, to set things right, and not wait too long between house cleanings. In a similar way, the time is upon us to take the area's inventory, as we do every other year at our Mini PRAASA Assembly. This is our opportunity to consider how we carry the Area's informed group conscience and meet our responsibilities in the General Service structure.

In the years ahead we shall, of course, make mistakes. Experience has taught us that we need have no fear of doing this, providing that we always remain willing to confess our faults and to correct them promptly. Our growth as individuals has depended upon this healthy process of trial and error. So will our growth as a fellowship. Let us always remember that any society of men and women that cannot freely correct its own faults must surely fall into decay if not into collapse. Such is the universal penalty for the failure to go on growing. Just as each A.A. must continue to take his moral inventory and act upon it, so must our whole society do if we are to survive and if we are to serve usefully and well. – Alcoholics Anonymous Comes of Age, p. 231

DCMs who participated to develop this year's questions shared their experience, strength, and hope, and were guided by past Area inventories, the A.A. Group pamphlet, and our Twelve Steps, Traditions, and Concepts. We used whatever communication channels worked best – Zoom, text, phone, in person, and email. I am grateful for the loving discussions.

To all the GSRs, thank you in advance! Please review these questions with your group and get ready to share at the assembly.

2022 Area Inventory Questions

How can our Area become more receptive to change?

How can the Area support all Districts to grow and participate in ways that make sense for their unique geographic locations, meetings, and members? Do we support all members to participate in service events and activities?

Do I have a good understanding of the Area's primary purpose? Does our spending plan reflect and support the priorities? Do we make efficient use of our 7th Tradition contributions, resources, time, energy, knowledge?

How effective and useful is the two-way communication between the Area and districts? How can the Area support Districts, Groups and GSRs to use the Traditions, carry the message, and fulfill their primary purpose to reach the still-suffering alcoholic?

DCMs: If you would like to submit an additional question, please send an email to alt-chair@cnia.org by September 30.

In fellowship,

Kendyce M.

CNIA Alternate Chair, Panel 72

January 1 - September 30, 2022

	Jan-Sept 2022	Spending Plan 2022	% of budget
Revenue/Income			
4010 Group Contributions	42,992.32	54,380.00	79.06%
4020 Seventh Tradition	2,019.66	3,480.00	58.04%
4050 Contribution - Other	1,745.99	1,185.00	147.34%
Total 4 Contributed support	46,757.97	59,045.00	79.19%
5110 Literature Sales	743.50	1,500.00	49.57%
5140 Grapevine Sales	1,366.00	2,300.00	59.39%
5160 Assembly Income (net)	151.42	4,800.00	3.15%
5310 Interest-savings/short-term Inv	0.4	1.50	26.67%
Total 5 Earned revenues	2,261.32	8,601.50	26.29%
Sales	910.00		
Unapplied Cash Payment Revenue (2021 zero balance)	-1192.98	4,800.00	-24.85%
Total Revenue	\$ 48,736.31	\$ 67,646.50	72.05%
Expenditures/Expense			
Total 7620 Delegate	4130.86	6,880.00	60.04%
Total 7640 Alt. Delegate	865.80	4,580.00	18.90%
Total 7660 Chair	1051.13	2,340.00	44.92%
Total 7680 Alt. Chair	992.79	2,285.00	43.45%
Total 7700 Secretary	285.67	1,550.00	18.43%
Total 7720 Treasurer	1284.24	3,515.00	36.54%
Total 7740 Registrar	198.31	1,950.00	10.17%
Total 7600 Officers Expenses	8,808.80	23,100.00	38.13%
Total 7820 Literature Chair	853.54	2,140.00	39.89%
Total 7840 Grapevine Chair	1802.05	2,225.00	80.99%
Total 7860 Bridging The Gap Chair	460.93	3,240.00	14.23%
Total 7880 Accents Chair	719.73	1,475.00	48.80%
Total 7900 Archives Chair	1887.82	2,830.00	66.71%
Total 7920 Alt Archives Chair	1452.07	3,160.00	45.95%
Total 7940 Oral Translation Chair (Special Worker-Spanish Translation moved to 7970)	1110.90	3,090.00	35.95%
Total 7950 Written Translation Chair (Previously 7940.1)	0.00	1,385.00	0.00%
Total 7960 E Services Chair/Ad Hoc	838.65	900.00	93.18%
Total 7800 Appointed Chair Expenses	9,125.69	20,445.00	44.64%
Total 7970 Special Worker-Spanish Translation (pulled from 7940)	1472.50	4,160.00	35.40%
Total 7980 Professional Translation-Assemblies (previously 7940.2)	2706.97	9,800.00	27.62%
Total 8000 Assemblies	1925.41	4,800.00	40.11%
Total 8060 Assembly (Host District)	87.39		
Total 8070 Area Workshops	1544.88	800.00	193.11%
Total 8100 Accents, Grapevine, Literature	5,919.63	11,420.00	51.84%
Total 8200 Meeting Room Expenses	5120.00	5,580.00	91.76%
Total 8300 Website	268.20	500.00	53.64%
Total 8400 Other Service Expenses-Liaisons (previously 8920; 8930; 8970)	600.00	4,000.00	15.00%
Total 8500 Misc expenses (includes accounting fees)	\$ 6,083.99	6,305.00	96.49%
Total 8600 Taxes & Fees	366.44	810.00	45.24%
Total 8000-9000 Other Expenditures	\$ 26,095.41	34,215.00	76.27%
Total Expenditures	\$ 44,029.90	\$ 77,760.00	56.62%
Net Revenue/Income	\$ 4,706.41	\$ (10,113.50)	-46.54%
Checking Account Balance	\$62,035.40		
Prudent Reserve Account Balance	\$9,882.55		
Total Account Balance	\$71,917.95		

2023 CNIA Proposed Spending Plan_English

	A	B
1	Revenue	
2	4 Contributed support	
3	4010 Group Contributions	\$ 62,000.00
4	Total 4010 Group Contributions	\$ 62,000.00
5	4020 Seventh Tradition	
6	4021 7th - ACM	\$ 1,000.00
7	4022 7th - Assy	\$ 2,000.00
8	Total 4020 Seventh Tradition	\$ 3,000.00
9	4050 Contribution - Other	\$ 1,000.00
10	4056 By Individual	\$ 500.00
11	Total 4 Contributed support	\$ 66,500.00
12	5 Earned revenues	
13	5110 Literature Sales	\$ 1,500.00
14	5140 Grapevine Sales	\$ 2,400.00
15	5160 Assembly Income	\$ 4,800.00
16	5310 Interest savings/short-term interest	\$ 1.50
17	Total 5 Earned revenues	\$ 8,701.50
18	Total Revenue:	\$ 75,201.50
19	Gross Profit	\$ 75,201.50
20	Expenditures	
21	7600 Officers Expense	
22	7620 Delegate	
23	7621 Mileage	\$ 2,250.00
24	7622 Lodging	\$ 400.00
25	7623 Registration, Meals, Coffee	\$ 150.00
26	7624 Phone, Copies, Supplies	\$ 1,500.00
27	7627 Forum	\$ 400.00
28	7628 Personal Stipend for spending at GSC	\$ 1,100.00
29	7630 NCCAA	\$ 1,000.00
30	7631 PRAASA	\$ 800.00
31	7632 International Conference (every 5 years)	\$ 500.00
32	Total 7620 Delegate	\$ 8,100.00
33	7640 Alt. Delegate	
34	7641 Mileage	\$ 1,000.00
35	7642 Lodging	\$ 400.00
36	7643 Registration, Meals, Coffee	\$ 150.00
37	7644 Phone, Copies, Supplies	\$ 180.00
38	7647 Forum	\$ 400.00
39	7649 PLCPC	\$ 500.00
40	7651 PRAASA	\$ 800.00
41	7652 PLCPC Professional Conference	\$ 800.00
42	Total 7640 Alt. Delegate	\$ 4,230.00
43	7660 Chair	
44	7661 Mileage	\$ 350.00
45	7662 Lodging	\$ 400.00
46	7663 Registration, Meals, Coffee	\$ 150.00
47	7664 Phone, Copies, Supplies	\$ 600.00
48	7647 Forum	\$ 400.00
49	7671 PRAASA	\$ 800.00
50	Total 7660 Chair	\$ 2,700.00
51	7680 Alt. Chair	
52	7661 Mileage	\$ 450.00
53	7682 Lodging	\$ 600.00
54	7683 Registration, Meals, Coffee	\$ 150.00
55	7684 Phone, Copies, Supplies	\$ 200.00
56	7647 Forum	\$ 400.00

2023 CNIA Proposed Spending Plan_English

	A	B
57	7691 PRAASA	\$ 800.00
58	Total 7680 Alt. Chair	\$ 2,600.00
59	7700 Secretary	
60	7703 Registration, Meals, Coffee	\$ 150.00
61	7701 Mileage	\$ 450.00
62	7702 Lodging	\$ 400.00
63	7704 Phone, Copies, Supplies	\$ 50.00
64	7647 Forum	\$ 400.00
65	7711 PRAASA	\$ 800.00
66	Total 7700 Secretary	\$ 2,100.00
67	7720 Treasurer	
68	7721 Mileage	\$ 1,000.00
69	7722 Lodging	\$ 400.00
70	7723 Registration, Meals, Coffee	\$ 150.00
71	7724 Phone, Copies, Supplies	\$ 500.00
72	7647 Forum	\$ 400.00
73	7725 Postage	\$ 1,000.00
74	7731 PRAASA	\$ 800.00
75	Total 7720 Treasurer	\$ 4,250.00
76	7740 Registrar	
77	7741 Mileage	\$ 550.00
78	7742 Lodging	\$ 400.00
79	7743 Registration, Meals, Coffee	\$ 150.00
80	7744 Phone, Copies, Supplies	\$ 200.00
81	7647 Forum	\$ 400.00
82	7751 PRAASA	\$ 500.00
83	Total 7740 Registrar	\$ 2,500.00
84	Total 7600 Officers Expenses	\$ 26,480.00
85	7800 Appointed Chair Expenses	
86	7820 Literature Chair	
87	7821 Mileage	\$ 900.00
88	7822 Lodging	\$ 400.00
89	7823 Registration, Meals, Coffee	\$ 150.00
90	7824 Phone, Copies, Supplies	n/a
91	7831 PRAASA	\$ 800.00
92	Total 7820 Literature Chair	\$ 2,250.00
93	7840 Grapevine Chair	
94	7841 Mileage	\$ 1,000.00
95	7842 Lodging	\$ 400.00
96	7843 Registration, Meals, Coffee	\$ 150.00
97	7844 Phone, Copies, Supplies	n/a
98	78xx Special Conference	\$ 1,100.00
99	7851 PRAASA	\$ 800.00
100	Total 7840 Grapevine Chair	\$ 3,450.00
101	7860 Bridging The Gap Chair	
102	7861 Mileage	\$ 700.00
103	7862 Lodging	\$ 400.00
104	7863 Registration, Meals, Coffee	\$ 150.00
105	7864 Phone, Copies, Supplies	\$ 700.00
106	7866 Special Conference	\$ 1,100.00
107	7851 PRAASA	\$ 800.00
108	Total 7860 Bridging The Gap Chair	\$ 3,850.00
109	7880 Accents Chair	
110	7881 Mileage	\$ 600.00
111	7882 Lodging	\$ 400.00
112	7883 Registration, Meals, Coffee	\$ 160.00

2023 CNIA Proposed Spending Plan_English

	A	B
113	7884 Phone, Copies, Supplies	\$ 50.00
114	7891 PRAASA	\$ 800.00
115	Total 7880 Accents Chair	\$ 2,000.00
116	7900 Archives Chair	
117	7901 Mileage	\$ 950.00
118	7902 Lodging	\$ 400.00
119	7903 Registration, Meals, Coffee	\$ 150.00
120	7904 Phone, Copies, Supplies	\$ 1,200.00
121	7911 PRAASA	\$ 800.00
122	Total 7900 Archives Chair	\$ 3,500.00
123	7920 Alt Archives Chair	
124	7921 Mileage	\$ 1,250.00
125	7922 Lodging	\$ 400.00
126	7923 Registration, Meals, Coffee	\$ 150.00
127	7926 Special Conference	\$ 1,100.00
128	7931 PRAASA	\$ 800.00
129	Total 7920 Alt Archives Chair	\$ 3,700.00
130	7940 Oral (Linguist) Chair	
131	7941 Mileage	\$ 2,350.00
132	7942 Lodging	\$ 400.00
133	7943 Registration, Meals, Coffee	\$ 150.00
134	7944 Phone, Copies, Supplies	n/a
135	7951 PRAASA	\$ 800.00
136	Total 7940 Oral (Linguist) Chair	\$ 3,700.00
137	7940.1 Written Translation Chair	
138	7941.1 - Mileage	\$ 450.00
139	7942.1 - Lodging	\$ 400.00
140	7943.1 - Registration, Coffee, Meals	\$ 150.00
141	7944.1 Phone, Copies, Supplies	\$ 25.00
142	7945.1 - PRAASA	\$ 800.00
143	Total 7940.1 Written Translation Chair	\$ 1,825.00
144	7960 E Services Chair	
145	79xx Mileage	\$ 450.00
146	79xx Lodging	\$ 400.00
147	79xx Registration, Meals, Coffee	\$ 150.00
148	79xx Phone, Copies, Supplies	\$ 50.00
149	7966 Special Conference	\$ 900.00
150	Total 7960 E Services Chair	\$ 1,950.00
151	Total 7800 Appointed Chair Expenses	\$ 26,225.00
152	TRANSLATION	
153	7970 Special Worker (Spanish Translation)	\$ 1,760.00
154	7980 Professional Translation (Assemblies)	\$ 5,800.00
155	79xx Translation Equipment	\$ 2,500.00
156	7966 ASL Interpreter	\$ 4,000.00
157	TOTAL TRANSLATION	\$ 14,060.00
158	8000 Assemblies	
159	8010 Winter Assembly	\$ 1,200.00
160	8020 Pre-Conference Assembly	\$ 1,200.00
161	8030 Post-Conference Assembly	\$ 1,200.00
162	8040 Election Assembly (odd years)	\$ 1,200.00
163	80xx Mini PRAASA (even years)	n/a
164	80xx Misc. Assembly Expenses	\$ 200.00
165	80xx Assembly Invited Guest Participants	\$ 1,000.00
166	Total 8000 Assemblies	\$ 6,000.00
167	8070 Other Area Mileage	
168	8071 Preconference Agenda Topic Workshops Mileage	\$ 1,800.00

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169	80xx Unreimbursed Expenses for District Events	\$ 1,000.00
170	80xx Mileage for Underfunded DCMs to ACMs/Assemblies	\$ 1,000.00
171	Total 8070 Area Workshops	\$ 3,800.00
172	8100 Accents, Grapevine, Literature	
173	8150 Accents & Accents Production	\$ 1,800.00
174	8153 English Accents Printing	\$ 1,400.00
175	8156 Spanish Accents Printing	\$ 2,300.00
176	8158 Accents & Accents Postage	\$ 1,100.00
177	Total 8100 Accents & Accents Production	\$ 6,000.00
178	8180 AA Grapevine Purchases	\$ 2,400.00
179	8190 AA Literature Purchases	\$ 1,500.00
180	Total 8100 Accents, Grapevine, Literature	\$ 9,900.00
181	8200 Meeting Room Expenses	
182	8210 Rent, parking, other occupancy	\$ 1,400.00
183	82xx Coffee and other ACM expenses	\$ 500.00
184	8230 Liability Insurance	\$ 2,250.00
185	8240 Archives Facility Rental	\$ 2,520.00
186	Total 8200 Meeting Room Expenses	\$ 6,970.00
187	8300 Website	
188	83xx Domain	\$ 100.00
189	83xx Hosting	\$ 100.00
190	83xx SSL Certificate	\$ 100.00
191	83xx Additional Expenses	\$ 200.00
192	Total 8300 Website	\$ 500.00
193	8500 Misc expenses	
194	8510 E-Committee Expenses	\$ 200.00
195	8520 Equipment & Support	\$ 5,000.00
196	8530 Finance Committee Expenses	\$ 250.00
197	8540 Area Contribution for General Service Conference	\$ 5,000.00
198	8550 Video Conferencing/Remote Platform	\$ 200.00
199	8545 Accounting	
200	8545.1 Accounting Fees	\$ 1,400.00
201	Total 8545 Accounting	\$ 1,400.00
205	8620 Sales Taxes	\$ 600.00
206	8630 Bank Fees	
207	8633 Bank Account Fees	\$ 180.00
208	8638 Chargeback Fees	
209	8638 Website Processing Fee	\$ 200.00
210	Total 8630 Bank Fees	\$ 480.00
211	8650 Taxes - Other	
212	Total 8600 Taxes & Fees	\$ 1,080.00
213	8900 Accessibilities, Linguistics, and other service contributions	
214	89xx Hispanic Women's Workshop Annual Contribution	\$ 600.00
215	8920 Hispanic Women's Workshop Luncheon	\$ 1,000.00
216	8950 Hispanic Local Forum Luncheon	\$ 1,000.00
217	89xx Carry the Message Project (GVLV annual)	\$ 1,000.00
218	8970 Northern CA Accessibility Committee Contribution	\$ 1,000.00
219	Total 8900 Accessibilities and Linguistics	\$ 4,600.00
220	Total Other Expenditures	\$ 58,960.00
221		
222	Total Expenditures	\$ 111,665.00
225	Net Operating Revenue	\$ 79,201.09
224	Net Revenue	\$ (38,463.50)

CNIA MINI PRAASA 2022 Service Assembly

October 14, 15, 16, 2022

Hosted by District 19 (Yuba, Sutter, and Colusa Counties)

Yuba Sutter Fairgrounds, Franklin Hall

442 Franklin Avenue, Yuba City, CA 95991

Friday October 14	7 pm – 10 pm	Registration opens at 4:00 pm
Saturday October 15	9 am – 10 pm	Registration opens at 8:00 am
Sunday October 16	9 am – 12 pm	Registration opens at 8:30 am

Register online <https://ti.to/minipraasa2022/cnia-mini-praasa> or QR code

Online Registration due by October 3, 2022



Questions: Contact minipraasa2022@cnia.org or Brad E @ 530-701-3484

Any questions about the accommodations, please contact Sue E, cell phone 707-863-1140

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Please mail Pre-Registration forms with payment enclosed by October 3, 2022

- District 19, P.O. Box 3422, Yuba City, CA 95992. Checks Payable to District 19

Name: _____ Name on Badge: _____

Telephone #: _____ Email: _____

Registration: \$15.00 _____ Dinner (Saturday night) \$14.00 _____ (veg. available)

Total enclosed: _____

Service Position: _____ Panel #: _____

(GSR, Alt GSR, DCM, Alt DCM, Area Officer/Chair, Delegate, Past Delegate, AA member)

<p>Accommodation/Accessibility – Spanish translation provided; ASL Interpretation on request</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Spanish Interpretation <input type="checkbox"/> ASL Interpretation (request by September 23)</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> “Back to Basics” Housing <input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female <input type="checkbox"/> Assisted Listening</p> <p>Other Accommodations Requested _____</p> <p>_____</p>

Accommodations

RV (full hook-up) Available at the Fairgrounds. 530-674-1280

Hotels/Motels

America's Best Value Inn

721 10th Street (aka Highway 20)
Marysville, CA 95901
530-742-8586
Queen bed \$100 plus tax
2 Queen beds \$120 plus tax

Magnusson Hotel Bonanza Inn

1001 Clark Avenue
Yuba City, CA 95991
530-674-8824
1 King or 2 Queens \$109.95 plus tax
Must register by September 30 – CNIA

Best Western Yuba City Inn

894 W. Onstott Road (frontage road
west of Highway 99, south of Highway 20)
Yuba City, CA 95991
530-674-1650
2 Queen beds \$145.99 plus tax
Please register by September 30 – CNIA

Travelodge By Wyndham

865 Gray Avenue
Yuba City, CA 95991
530-790-7066
1 Queen or 2 Doubles \$109 plus tax
Must register by October 1 – CNIA

Other hotels/motels in the area include:

Marysville: Comfort Suites Marriott, 530-742-9200 or Motel 6, 530-743-5465

Yuba City: EconoLodge Inn & Suites, 530-674-1592, Days Inn, 530-674-1711,
Hampton Inn & Suites, (530) 751-1714.

Directions:

From North: Southbound Highway 99 to Franklin Avenue, turn left, until the Fairground – main entrance, Franklin Hall is on the North and parking is on the South.

From South: Northbound Highway 99 to Franklin Avenue, turn right, until the Fairground – main entrance, Franklin Hall is on the North and parking is on the South. Highway 65 turns into Highway 70.

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Finance Chair	finance@cnia.org
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Translation Committee	translation@cnia.org
Written Translation Chair	writtentranslation@cnia.org
Eservices Committee Chair	eservices@cnia.org

GSR Preamble

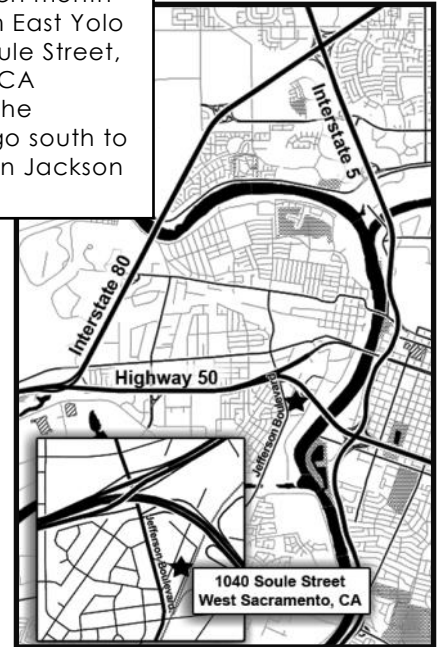
We are the General Service Representatives. We are the link in the chain of communication for our groups with the General Service Conference and the world of A.A.

We realize that the ultimate authority in A.A. is a loving God as He may express Himself in our group conscience. As trusted servants, our job is to bring information to our groups in order that the group can reach an informed group conscience. Passing along this group conscience we are helping to maintain the unity and strength so vital to our fellowship.

Let us, therefore, have the patience and tolerance to listen while others share, the courage to speak up when we have something to share, and the wisdom to do what is right for our groups and A.A. as a whole.

Area General Service Meetings

3rd Saturday of each month
from 10 am to 4 pm East Yolo
Fellowship, 1040 Soule Street,
West Sacramento, CA
From 80/50 – Take the
Jefferson exit and go south to
Jackson. Turn left on Jackson
and right on Soule.



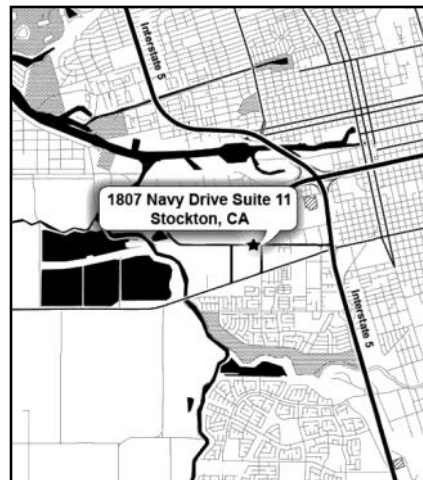
CNIA Archives Center

1807 Navy Drive (at Fresno Ave) Suite #11, Stockton,
CA 95555 (Rodgers Construction, Inc., near Port of
Stockton) – Second Floor Rear

From Fresno (and other points south): 99 North to Highway 4 West. Turn left at dead end at Navy Dr, to Navy Dr–Fresno Ave. Building is on the left.

From Sacramento (and other points north): 99 South to Highway 4 West or I-5 South to Navy Dr–Highway 4 West exit. From dead end on Navy Dr, turn left to Fresno Ave. Building is on the left.

From both directions: The Archives is located in the Rodgers Construction building on the NW corner of the intersection of Navy and Fresno. The entrance is at the far end of the building, up the stairs.



**CNIA Archives
will be open
the 1st Saturday
10 am to 2 pm**

**Contact Area
Archivist before
Visiting**

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P.O. Box 161712
Sacramento, CA 95816-1712
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CALIFORNIA NORTHERN INTERIOR AREA · CALENDAR 2022-2023

2022			2023 (Proposed)		
Jan 15-16	Winter Assembly	Zoom	Jan 21-22	Winter Assembly	D57
Feb 19	Area Committee Meeting		Feb 18	Area Committee Meeting	
March 4-6	PRAASA	Zoom	March 3-5	PRAASA	Area 05
March 19	Area Committee Meeting		March 18	Area Committee Meeting	
April 9-10	Pre-Conference Assembly	Auburn (D21)	April 15-16	Pre-Conference Assembly	D40
April 24-30	General Service Conference	New York	April	General Service Conference	New York
May 21-22	Post-Conference Assembly	Placerville (D22)	May 6-7	Post-Conference Assembly	Chico (D15)
June 18	Area Committee Meeting		June 17	Area Committee Meeting	
July 16	Area Committee Meeting		July 15	Area Committee Meeting	
Aug 20	Area Committee Meeting		Aug 19	Area Committee Meeting	
Sep 16-18	Pacific Regional Forum	Salt Lake City, UT	Sep 24	Area Committee Meeting	
Sep 24	Area Committee Meeting		Oct 21	Area Committee Meeting	
Oct 14-16	Mini-PRAASA	Marysville/ Yuba City (D19)	Nov 17-19	Election Assembly	Placerville (D22)
Nov. 19	Area Committee Meeting		Dec 16	Area Planning Meeting	
Dec 17	Area Planning Meeting				