July10, 2026

RE: Letter of Intent for Area 21 position – Alternate Delegate

Hello Area 21,

I am planning on standing for the Alternate Delegate position for the period of January 2027 – December 2028.

My sobriety date is 4/24/2004. My AA service history is as follows:

June 2011-Present: GSR – Big Book Study group in Tilton, IL

August 2017 – present: IL Dept of Corrections – Last Chance AA meeting

September 2018 – Present: Corrections Correspondence Service (CCS) program

January 2019 – December 2020: Treasurer – District 12

January 2017-December 2018: Grapevine Representative – District 12

January 2015-December 2016: Grapevine Representative - Southern IL Area 21

September 2012-December 2014: Treasurer - Southern IL Area 21

January 2012-December 2012: Alternate DCM - District 12

January 2009-December 2011: Treasurer - District 9

I would also like to state that I have been semi-retired for the last 20 months. I have the availability to travel to the required and suggested meetings/events.

I believe that my willingness to serve and my varied AA service experience are a strong indication of my ability to serve competently as the next Alternate Delegate for SIA 21. I also have the experience of my professional career, corporate finance and accounting, to draw upon to assist me in fulfilling the duties required.

Sincerely,

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