
As Group Representatives, you are the vital link between the District and our groups. To ensure our fellowship stays informed with accurate facts, the Board has put together a brief, unifying message. We ask that you please read this as part of your report on District 3's Meeting.

Should you need it, the "Learnings" document you received at the District Meeting contains much more detailed information.

A Message from the Literature Center Board

The Literature Center Board recently met to discuss transforming our business model to better serve our fellowship. Together, we are considering the following areas:

- **Aligning Governance:** Addressing structural and legal inconsistencies within our corporate framework.
- **Balancing Relationships:** Harmonizing the legal and spiritual relationship between the AAISC Corporation and District 3, using our Concepts of Service as a guide.
- **Managing Costs:** Acting as responsible trusted servants to effectively manage and reduce operational costs.
- **Ensuring Financial Stewardship:** Reviewing our financial assets to establish an appropriate Prudent Reserve that directly supports the fellowship.
- **Adapting to Change:** Recognizing the massive shifts in digital purchasing methods and communication that have occurred since 1986.

Our Objective: To ensure that the vital benefits currently provided by the AAISC are accommodated in any future model.

Next Steps: We are officially moving into the phase of collecting, researching, and analyzing viable alternative models.

Our Request: We ask that your groups maintain their current support as we carefully conduct this collaborative review.

Our Guiding Principle: Approaching this journey with a *"Beginner's Mind."* As the saying goes: *"In the beginner's mind there are many possibilities, but in the expert's mind there are few."*