Trustee Line – Current Issue March 2022

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Thoughts From The Trustees – Current and Past

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1. Rolling Agenda

March 10, 2022 – 1:19pm

Subject: 6 Days before the close of the Agenda, where is it?

According to the Trustee Website, the Cherry Hill Rolling Agenda closes on March 16, 2022. Today is March 10, 2022, it's about 1:00 PM Eastern Time and the Rolling Agenda is still not visible to the fellowship.

I've reached out to both the Chairman of the Board of Trustees as well as the Chair of the Website Committee over a week ago and all I was told is that it's being worked on.

The whole idea of a Rolling Agenda is so that the fellowship could see the individual topics that are going to be discussed at the next Trustee Meeting which could prompt yet another topic of discussion. Without this, we are all running blind.

As I'm writing this, I can't help to think to myself "Andy, what's your endgame"? I guess ultimately it would to to be able to see the Rolling Agenda and to find out what the challenges are so that collectively we could avoid this from happening again.

Andy R. – Past Trustee – Area 13B – New Jersey

March 13, 2022 – 1:08pm

I reached out to the executive board as well about the rolling agenda many weeks ago, plus I submitted a post to the Trustee Line. I myself as a compulsive gambler always want things done as I expect them to be and without delay. Is it important to know what is on the rolling agenda? Yes, it may be beneficial.

I also have learned in my years of recovery to be patient and my willingness to change. For some trustees that may not be aware the volunteer who used to post the rolling agenda had given up their role at the last BOT meeting and we have a new volunteer that does the posting.

To my knowledge, this is a new role for them and they were learning their new position. I would hope the Executive Board may allow an extension for items to be added to the agenda to March 31 or April 7.

Whoever is handling this new position I like to thank you for your service and trust you are learning as fast as you can to provide the information to our fellowship.

Walter G. – Trustee – Area 12 – New Jersey and Eastern Pennsylvania

2. Memorial Page

March 14, 2022 – 4:41pm

Has there been a sister or brother that may have passed away since the last International Conference and they should be honored with placing their name on the trustee website memorial page? If you would like to have any GA sister or brother member memorialized on this list, please submit their information at the below trustee website address.

Only a Gamblers Anonymous member may submit a memorial for a deceased sister or brother.

Memorial Page.

http://trusteewebsite.com/memorial-submission/

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