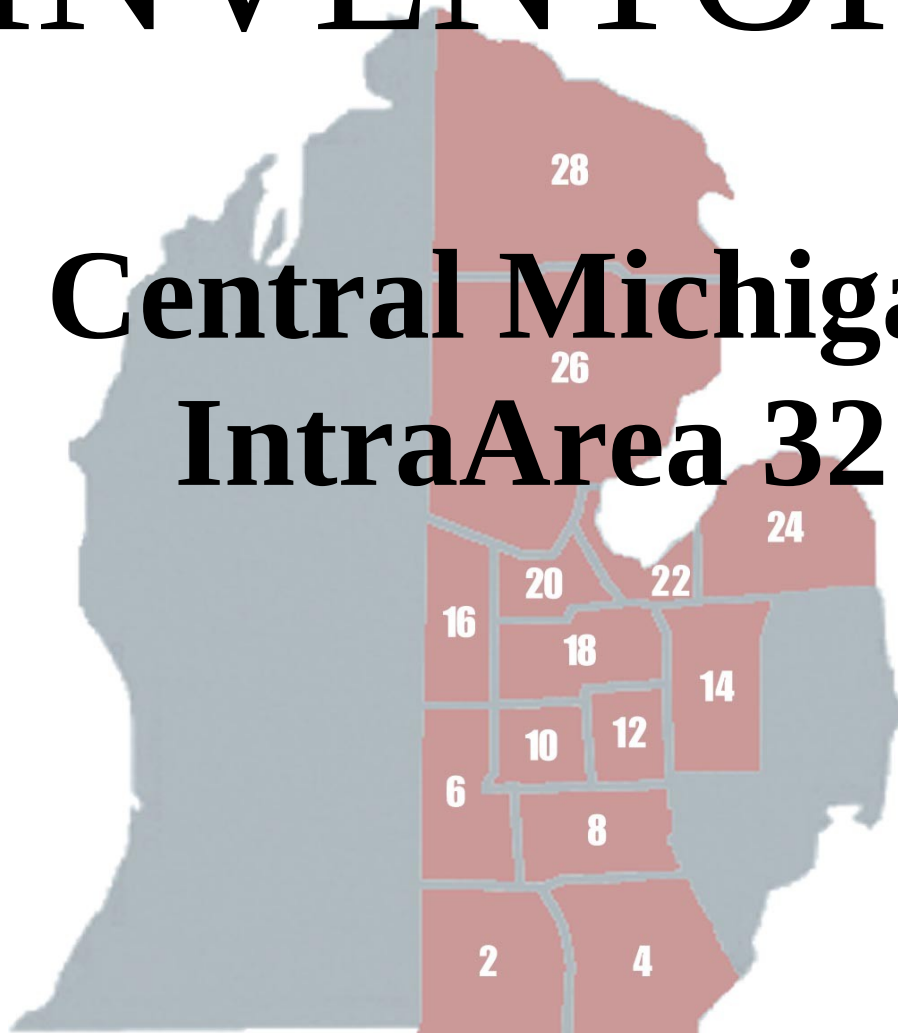


INVENTORY



Central Michigan IntraArea 32

Submitted December 6, 2009

Replies to Inventory form questions provided at CMIA32 events in 2009.



INVENTORY SUMMARY

CENTRAL MICHIGAN INTRA-AREA 32 of AA

Submitted to CMIA32 on December 6, 2009

CMIA 32 AA members were invited to respond to the following questionnaire to assist the area officers in planning future CMIA32 structure and events. The results of this inventory are summarized and distributed to Central Michigan AA Area 32. The total number responding to each question is noted following the question. There were a total of eighty-one (81) responses.

1. Do you attend CMIA32 every meeting?
34 persons said Yes, or 42%; Sometimes, 27 or 33.3%; Once or twice, 16 or 20%;
4 persons or 4% responded, "never" or "not yet"
2. Do you find the CMIA32 meetings informative?
Yes, 59 or 73%; No, 3 or 3.7%; Sometimes, 19 or 32.5% .
3. Do you attend to represent your meeting group?
38 yes or 47%; District, 4 or 5%; or both, 28 or 34.5%; No answer, 11 or 13.5%.
4. Do you understand the purpose for the area service?
Yes, 62 or 76.5%; No, 2 or 2.5%; A little, 17 or 21%.
5. Do you attend service committee meetings?
Yes, 46 or 56%; No, 26 or 32%; Sometimes, 4 or 5%; No answer, 6 or 7%.
6. Do you find service committee Chair's knowledgeable about the service?
Yes, 39 or 48%; No, 2 or 2.5%; Sometimes, 29 or 36%; Not sure/no answer, 11 or 13.5%.
7. Do service committee meetings provide information useful for your use in your district or home group?
Yes 55 or 68%; No, 9 or 10%; Not sure/sometimes, 4 or 5%; No answer, 13 or 17%.
8. Would you like CMIA32 officers and/or service committee Chairs to attend your local district and present the services and resources available in AA to your district?
Yes, 66 or 81.5%; No, 10 or 12.5%; No answer, 5 or 6%.
9. Do you feel well received upon arriving at CMIA32 meetings?
Yes, 73 or 90%; No, 0 or 0%; Sometimes, 6 or 7.5%; No answer, 3 or 3.7%.
10. Is the GSR meeting of value in providing education about how AA functions and resources available from your area and the GSO? Yes, 59 or 72.8%; No or written in "have to go", 1 or 2.3%; No answer, 4 or 4.9%; Sometimes, 17 or 20%.
11. Are the General Assembly meetings informative and of value for your service in your local meeting groups and district?
Yes, 49 or 60.5%; No, 4 or 5%; Sometimes, 25 or 30.8%; No answer, 3 or 3.7%.

11A. Will you consider more service in Area 32 service committees?

Yes, 53 or 65.5%; No, 22 or 27.5%; No answer, 5 or 6%.

12. Are you generally pleased with the CMIA32 purposes and services?

Yes, 71 or 87.5%; No, 6 or 7.5%; No answer, 5 or 6.

13. Do you use CMIA32 meetings to buy literature & other AA materials?

Yes, 65 or 80.25%; No, 16 or 19.75%.

Notes:

- (A) Percentages were calculated based upon the total questionnaires (81) returned.
- (B) Original copies of the respondent forms are kept securely by CMIA32 as originally submitted. Throughout this Inventory summary, names and personal notes have been removed for purposes of anonymity.

Closing comments

When this inventory was introduced, it was announced that all written comments and suggestions would be included unedited as has been done in this report. For the many AAs who verbally expressed comments and suggestions, it is suggested that they be shared at the proper Area 32 forums. Comments, suggestions or questions related to service committees and officers may best be presented to the appropriate person chairing the committee or holding the office position. General matters related to Area 32 may best be presented at a General Assembly or other committee or business meetings. For assistance identifying the appropriate person, committee, officer or manner in which to present your thoughts and suggestions, Area 23 officers should be available to assist you.

When advised that an Area 32 Inventory is the responsibility of the Alternate Delegate in the first year of the two year term, it was somewhat challenging to determine how this is best done. In the absence of guidelines and references for such an inventory, questions to be presented and how it should be summarized and presented to the body of Area 32 and its Districts, were left to my discretion. The *12 Steps*, *12 Traditions* and *Concepts of Service* and more were among the resources consulted in determining how this Inventory was to be handled. It is my hope that there is value in this Inventory for the continuing growth in service of Area 32.

Gratefully in service,



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