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Hi, my name is John L and I am the District 37 Website Chair. My primary role as Committee Chair is to maintain the functioning of our District Website.

Before our website was created several years ago, the GSRs decided who would be our primary audience(s) so our website content would align with who we wanted to assist. The GSRs decision was to focus our content to support our District Trusted Servants in their various roles. Those Trusted Servant roles include District Officers, Committee Chairs/Alt Chairs, and anyone interested in learning about the various Trusted Servant positions.

As the tag line in the heading of our website states, our purpose is 'Helping Groups Carry the Message'. Our website contains a tremendous amount of easily accessed, AA approved, reference material to assist in our various roles of 'Carrying the Message'.

We have the flexibility to make changes to our website content, per GSR approval. Last year there was agreement to add a page, 'New to AA?' This page provides many links to AA approved literature, mainly GSO pamphlets, that may be helpful for anyone visiting the site that has questions about our recovery program.

Included in our website are contact emails for all our District Trusted Servants, monthly Meeting Minutes, Treasurer's Reports, Trusted Servant descriptions, links to AA Approved reference materials, as well as Vancouver Intergroup, Area 72, and GSO websites.

We also have areas on each web page for our District Blog, a 7th Tradition donation PayPal button, a search feature, and Upcoming Local/Area AA events.

We strive to follow GSO social media guidelines in maintaining personal anonymity with regards to any information we include on our website. This means no last names and/or personal information such as emails and phone numbers. All contact emails we share on our website are Area provided for the specific Trusted Servant role.

All Trusted Servant openings are noted in the 'Contact Us' page. Currently, there are 3 Committee Chair openings and several Alt Chair Committee openings. We hope you will consider assisting in these areas of need.

We have a great District team and we look forward to seeing you on one of our upcoming Zoom calls that occur on the 4th Tuesday of every month at 7 PM. All are welcome to join.

In Service,

John L
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