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State Advocate

State Advocate's Message

My Brothers all,

As we get closer to the end of the calendar year, I pray each one of you and your families enjoy the Advent season and that you all grow closer to our Lord and Savior.

Hopefully, this does not come as a surprise, but we are just over 6 months away from the State Convention to be held in Bend. With that said, it is time for you and your Councils to once again be thinking about any resolutions you may wish to bring to the State. Below are the procedures for submitting a resolution. It was taken from the State by-laws, which can be found on the State Website.

Section 13. The State Deputy shall appoint the Resolution Committee and notify same in writing not later than 120 days prior to the date of the State Council meeting (Convention). The Chairman of said committee is to be the State Advocate with five additional members. Resolutions for consideration by the committee shall be submitted not later than ninety days prior to the scheduled date of the State Council meeting (Convention).

All resolutions shall be prepared in triplicate. The original to be mailed to the State Advocate and copies to the State Deputy and State Secretary. The State Advocate shall forward copies of all resolutions to the members of the committee for review and consideration. A copy of a resolution with the recommendations of the Resolutions Committee shall be mailed to every Grand Knight of an Oregon Council thirty days prior to the State Convention. Additional copies shall be distributed to all State Officers and accredited delegates at the opening session of the State Council meeting.

In the event of no resolution being received, notice of it is to be sent as prescribed as if there were resolutions.

Section 14. The Resolutions Committee shall meet between sixty and ninety days prior to the annual meeting of the State Council to review resolutions and make recommendations.

Thank you all for everything you do for the Knights here in Oregon! I am Blessed to be part of such a fantastic organization!

Vivat Jesus,

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A Resolution Committee meeting.