



Area 59 EASTERN PENNSYLVANIA
GENERAL SERVICE ASSEMBLY
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**Third Quarterly Area Committee Meeting
9 June 2013
Delegate's Report**

63^{ed} General Service Conference (GSC)

My eight days in Manhattan were pretty much all that was predicted. Words cannot adequately describe the experience. Nor can I express the depth of my sincere gratitude for the privilege of being permitted to attend the conference and to serve you there.

Pre-Conference Sharing Session

I thank all those who participated. I received invaluable guidance and input regarding the issues we covered that came up during the Conference.

Delegate's Conference Reports / Mini Assemblies

About one hundred and fifty people attended the first report on June 2, 2013 in Warminster. I presented about 25 slides, with appropriate commentary, to inform people of what happened at the General Service Conference. Overall, it seemed to be very well received. Our second report will be held on June 23, 2013 in Bloomsburg. Shortly after this, I will post an expanded version of my presentation online at our website, area59aa.org.

Northeast Regional Forum (NERF) 2013

The purpose of the Forum is to provide AA members in the Northeast Region an opportunity to ask questions and spark new ideas to help carry the AA message of hope to the still suffering alcoholic. This free weekend event happens every two years and is sponsored by the General Service Board.

From our General Service Office

Applications are being sought for a G.S.O. Staff member. Applications will be accepted up to August 1, 2013. Interested members may apply via email at staffcoord@aa.org, postal mail or fax, (212) 870-3003. Questions may be addressed to staff coordinator Rick W. Tel: (212) 870-3124.

Convention/Assembly

I am asking all DCMs and Area officers to submit specific suggestions for workshop and presentation topics for our Convention and Assembly in November. I also welcome any and all suggestions for anything to do with the Convention and/or Assembly agenda. Please submit your ideas for consideration by June 20, 2013 to make this an interesting and informative EPGSA. Our Convention and Assembly programs, for which I am responsible, need to be finalized and sent to the printer by late August.

Other

Reminder: copies of all reports and documents should be distributed in both English and Spanish, although you need only bring a limited number of the latter.

Always feel free to contact me or any of the other officers if you have any questions or concerns. I'm sure our Past Delegates, who overflow with experience, strength and hope, would be happy to talk to you as well.

**Steve O.
EPGSA Delegate, Panel 63**