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Communication Services District 11 Northern Region Supporting Utah, Nevada, and Northern California



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D11N CS Projects/Goals:

- Develop a D11N Communications Services Guide for the D11N CS team. The purpose of the Guide is to:
 - Provide guidance, procedures, and information for future District Communications Services team members.
 - Document the various aspects (where to find) of our hosting account (accounting, billing, website management) and the various activities related to D11N hosting services, this includes but not limited to:
 - Identifying and establish central and groups administration accounts for the D11N Communications Services Team.
 - Where to find account information.
 - Identifying and describing what alerts are sent from the hosting services
 - Identifying when backups are performed.
 - Identifying and documenting the D11N directory structure i.e., what the directories are and what information is within those directories
- Determine the retention age for keeping Board and Staff reports, photos, and other related information (files) that is not being used on any D11N web page. How long should these files be kept (e.g., 3, 4, 7, etc.)?
- Clean up the D11N website directory structure: currently there is a lot of related information and content in multiple directories by moving all related content to a central location. Determine what is the status out of date directories on D11N.
- Ensure that the D11N Communications Services Team is involved in the planning aspects that pertain to D-Train and PCA events, when using the RSVPBOOK reservation and ticketing application.

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D11N CS Activities

- Worked with the PCA President, Mike Thompson and coordinator, Michelle Thompson in creating the PCA Registration (i.e., classes, and ticketing) on the RSVPbook website. Updated the D11N home web page with content to inform and provide members with information pertaining to the PCA Fair in September. This included in provide links to the PCA class grid and the RSVPbook.com registration form.
- Updated the D11N website with requests for webpage updates and corrections to the:
 - Surface web page
 - OTO webpage
- Received reports from D11N Staff and prepared them for subsequent uploading (posting) to the D11N website. This included:
 - Created PDF files from those reports that where in Word and jpeg formats
 - Renamed those reports that were sent in PDF format to correspond to D11N website file naming standards (i.e., DSOxx.pdf, DistrictMinutes.pdf)
- Troubleshooting D11N web server errors as they occur

D11N Division CS Activities

Division 1 (No SO Appointed)

• No Report Received

Division 3 (Ernest Shih)

- Division 3:
 - Keep calendar updated with relevant information.
 - Manage the Division website inquiries.
- Flotilla 3-1:

• No report received.

• Flotilla 3-3:

• No report received.

- Flotilla 3-5:
 - No report received.
- Flotilla 3-10:
 - Keep calendar updated with relevant information.
 - Manage the Flotilla website inquiries.
 - Manage the Flotilla GoToMeeting calendar event.

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- Projects
 - Continue to validate website (113-3 and 3-10) compliance requirements.
 - Continue to update and/or clean up some old files, old website links and pictures on 113-3 and 3-10 websites.
- Future Activities

o N/A

- Challenges
 - $\circ~$ 3-1 offers no monthly report and/or contact.
- Agency Interactions:
 - o N/A
- Goals and Objectives
 - Continue looking for improvement and stability.

Division 4 (Derek Chan)

• No Report Received

Division 5 (Robert Gleason)

- Division 5
 - No Report Received
- Flotilla 51 (Jon Sargent, FSO-CS)
 - No Report Received
- Flotilla 52 (Ray Tanaka, FSO-Cs)
 - No Report Received
- Flotilla 53 (Giovanni Paolo Bacigalupi, FSO-CS)
 - No Report Received
- Flotilla 55 (Thomas Herbst, FSO-CS)
 - No Report Received

Division 6 (Kim Huynh)

• No Report Received

Division 7 (Carl Henning)

• Nothing to report

Division 8 (William Hale)

- No Report Received.
- Flotilla 08-07,
 - Nothing to Report.

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- Flotilla 08-08
 Nothing to Report.
- Flotilla 08-11
 - Nothing to Report.
- Flotilla 08-39
 - Reviewing and updating Flotilla webpage.

Division 10 (Michael Brady)

• No report received

Division 11 (Bryce Leinan)

• No Reports Received

Division 12

• No Reports Received

End of District CS Team Report