

Ad Hoc Technical Committee Interim Report for the 2017 Summer Assembly

We are all well aware of the rapid advancement of digital technology, particularly as it affects communication on the internet, including websites, social media and internal area committee interactions. At the 2017 winter committee meeting we formed an ad hoc committee to determine whether the Area should establish a standing technical committee to deal with the both the current and unforeseen technological issues. There are eight people on ad hoc committee.

We've had two conference calls so far and have been using an on-line forum to share our thoughts. In short order we unanimously agreed that a technical committee was needed. Our subsequent discussions have concerned the structure, duties and responsibilities of the technical committee.

At the summer committee meeting we plan to present a motion to form a technical committee for potential voting at the Fall Assembly.

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