

Area 53 Assembly Quarter Meeting Archives Committee Report - March 14, 2021

The Archives Committee continues to meet once a month on the fourth Saturday of each Month at 9:00 a.m. on Zoom. The Committee has approved the position description ([Area 53 Archivist Position Available – Area 53 General Service \(area53aa.org\)](#)) for the Area 53 Archivist. Please pass along to your Home Groups and AA Business Meetings that the Area is looking for an Archivist. The Archives Committee welcomed a few new members to the Committee and we are very excited to be working together.

The work related to sorting and inventorying the items currently in storage at COGF has resumed. The Committee plans to have a list of the inventory to share in the future as well as make space for the COGF library to open. Thank you to those volunteers that have restarted this effort.

The sub-committee working on the AA Oral History Project has been busy scheduling interviews and learning how to conduct this project. The sub-committee has developed a set of questions for the interviews and shared this with the Archives Committee. The interviews will be next week and we plan to have a couple of great recordings to share with the Fellowship soon. Thank you to all the folks who are working on this project.

The Archives Committee has decided we are not accepting any items or donations for the Archives at this time. We need to work on inventorying and sorting what we have before we take on new items.

The Area 53 Archives Committee is working with COGF's Archivist Mark W. to explore how to digitize some of the reel-to-reel tapes.

The Archives Committee will explore a suggestion for the Archives to develop a Power Point presentation. The Committee will discuss this suggestion to determine the targeted audience and content of the presentation.

Respectfully,
Teri G, Chair Area 53 Archives Committee