

# REGIONAL EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE DESCRIPTION AND RESPONSIBILITIES

The Regional Executive Committee of a particular region serves as a source of training, advice, and direction for fellow committee members and youth within their community. The REC executes several events a year, keeping the spirit of MYNA strong in between camp cycles. RECs should strive to use their experience in helping breed future leaders and oversee the development of their region.

## Important Events and Dates

- RECs will serve one-year terms that will begin and end at that year's ISNA Convention unless re-elected or re-appointed.
- REC members are invited to attend the Summer Leadership Summit at the start and end of their term to create new year-long goals and tasks for their REC and the incoming REC.

## Expectations

- Regional Executive Committee members attend weekly conference calls led by the REC Chair
- REC members stay in contact with and report to their EC departmental head. Specific year-long responsibilities differ between departments
  - See position-specific role descriptions
- RECs serve as the camp committee for the summer camp of the incoming term, retaining their corresponding positions (Secretary / Ansar, Program, PR, Finance, Chair)
- RECs select, train, and mentor the camp committees for the winter and spring camp cycles
- RECs also ensure outside-of-camp events are planned and executed. Similar to the winter and spring camp cycles, they select, train, and mentor the committees for these events
  - The goal is to hold at least one "reunion" event between each camp cycle (Winter-Spring, Spring-Summer, Summer-Winter).
    - **Developing regions** (as of 2018, South Central, Midatlantic, South Atlantic, and Pacific as classified as developing) are to execute at least **three** non-camp regional events, one in between each camp cycle
    - **Developed regions** (As of 2018, North Central and Midwest are classified as developed) are to execute at least **four** non-camp regional events

throughout the year

- One of the events must be a local Get to Know MYNA Fundraising Dinner
- The goal is that, eventually, we give campers within the region experience in planning these events and you would be overseeing them similarly to how you oversee spring camps.
  - This would go along with helping the EC Outreach Coordinator oversee local chapters, who would hopefully develop to a point where they would be the ones on the committee to plan such events
- Examples of these events include but are not limited to
  - A camp reunion at a bonfire
  - MYNA Jam event (entertainment night)
  - Community service call-out
    - Packaging event
    - Cleaning a local park
    - Visiting a nursing home
  - Fundraising for various causes
  - Sledding/Skiing
  - And so on
- Each REC member is expected to raise \$200 per camp cycle, and \$50 per regional event (discounting fundraising dinners). This amounts to at least \$750 over the full term.
- Training up and coming youth leaders in your region

**May Allah bless you for your time and efforts and make this a source of sadaqah jariyah for you and the rest of your committee.**

