



Board of Directors Recap

May 17, 2022

Aloha LAX,

As you all know, a recall of the MEC-P and VP occurred at the BOD this year. Unfortunately, the recall has overshadowed a lot of great things that happened at this year’s Board of Director’s meeting and we would like to showcase some highlights.

Reception

Our very own Rick Schwabauer was acknowledged for all his hard work that he did and continues to do with his Political Affairs Committee. AFA International acknowledged that work with the Terri Owen Government Affairs Activist Award.



Sharon Soper was acknowledged for her contribution to AFA and received the Ada Brown Greenfield Award.



Day 1

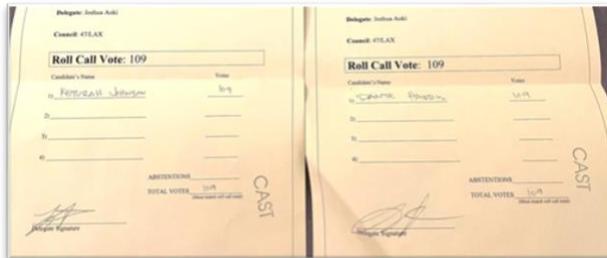
- BOD was called to order
- INTL Officer presentations
- Delegates broke off into their Agenda Item Committees to make recommendations to the Board

Day 2



Your LEC-P, Joshua Aoki, was committee chair for Agenda #4 and presented the recommendation of the committee to pass the resolution as proposed changing the name of the AFA Scholarship to the “AFA Dee Maki Scholarship”. All Agenda Items were passed and Council 47 voted the same way in which we discussed in our LAX Membership Meeting.

INTL elections were conducted for the VP and Secretary positions. Council 47 casted all 109 votes to Keturah Johnson for VP and all 109 votes to Dante Harris for Secretary. Keturah Brown made history for being the first queer woman of color being elected to the INTL-VP position and Dante Harris made history by being the first person of color to be elected as INTL-SEC. Congrats to the both of them!!!!



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