## AFG Area 9 Archives Report Area World Service Committee



February 4, 2017 PARTICIPATION

- Thanks to the efforts of a member who wishes to remain anonymous, we now have audio and video material transposed from audio and video cassettes into MP3 and MP4 files which have been loaded into 2 folders prior to being available in the Archives portion of the Area 9 website.
- Next we have a folder ready to move into the Archives portion of the website
  which has a collection of correspondence between members of the newly
  emerging Al-Anon Family Groups in Florida and folks in the early clearinghouse
  including Lois and Ann from 1951-1960.
- Folders for Panels 16 and 19 are now populated with a wealth of material from 1976-1978 and 1979-1981. After AWSC I share the link for everyone for these folders then ask Roger to do the coding necessary for those folders to be live for member access along with those already active.
- The Archives Committee and I have begun packing materials into large tubs with labels to make the move for the Panel 58 Archives Coordinator as easy as possible. We have two crates with material for a panel labeled with the words "not organized". I hope we will begin work on this project at our January 27<sup>th</sup> meeting at the storage unit.
- The Archives Task Force has completed its task for this panel. You will hear my report on this live at AWSC.
- I will continue to scan material until the last week of December this year to make as much progress not perfection possible. I have been asked to do some research on the Legacy publication for their task force which I will complete prior to AWSC and forward.
- Continuing from my historical research of Legacy, I will do a final inventory of all scanned issues to be sure it is complete then add folders for The Legacy in each appropriate Panel folder for member access. The title of Participation relates to this work being the efforts of many. Together we accomplish much.

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