

## **District 7 Inventory Mid Panel 74 (2024 – 2025)**

**Why is a District Inventory important?** A District takes an inventory to see if they are meeting the needs of the A.A. Groups, General Service Representatives (“GSR”) and the purpose to which they are to serve. An inventory allows a District to identify what has been effective and consider areas of improvement.

The inventory questions focus on reviewing these basic ideas:

- ⇒ Are we fulfilling the basic purpose of the District?
- ⇒ Are we fulfilling the basic purpose of the District Committee?
- ⇒ Are we fulfilling the basic purpose of the District Meetings?

**Who Participates?** All District 7 Voting Members and Alternates (GSRs, Alternates GSRs, District 7 Officers, Committee Chairs and Website Chair)

*All A.A. Members in District 7 are welcome to attend as observers. If you would like to provide feedback or suggestions, please communicate these in advance to your Group GSR (or Alt GSR).*

**When?** August 17<sup>th</sup> – 9:30am to 11:30am

**Where?** Unity AA Group – 202 Stanly St. Victoria, TX. 77904  
(Meets at Christ the Victor Lutheran Church)

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### **Inventory Questions:**

- Inventory questions (see pages 2-4) are available for all District 7 A.A. Members
- Please give each of the questions thoughtful contemplation
- Please have your answers available the day of the inventory

### **Day of Inventory:**

- Our Facilitator will read the questions one at a time.
- Each participant will be given the opportunity to share once per question for 1 minute.
- A scribe will take the sense of the responses for review by an ad hoc committee and for presentation to the district.

Facilitator: Tony R (Southwest Area 68 Alternate Chair)

Scribe: \_\_\_\_\_ (Pending)

Time Keeper: \_\_\_\_\_ (Pending)

**Questions regarding the Inventory?** Tahtianna F: [District7@aa-swta.org](mailto:District7@aa-swta.org) or Call/Text: 214.683.1381

**District 7 Inventory Questions**  
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1. How effective are we in communicating within our groups?

Thoughts to consider:

- Do all our Group A.A. members know about district meetings and the opportunity to attend?
- How well are our groups informed about what is happening in A.A. as a whole?
- How well does information flow between the Groups, the District, and the Area?
- Is our District 7 Website effective? What additional information/changes would improve effectiveness?

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2. Do new GSR's stay with us, or does turnover and missed meetings seem excessive?

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3. How effectively do we support the GSRs?

Thoughts to consider:

- Do we adequately inform GSRs so they can communicate relevant A.A. information to the groups?
- Is enough effort made to explain the value and purpose of a GSR?
- Do we provide sufficient availability to help individual GSRs and their Groups?
- Is enough effort been made to explain the value of Unity (Traditions) and Service (Concepts)?

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4. Are Officers and Standing Committee Chairs elected with care and consideration on the basis that being a District Trusted Servant is a great responsibility?

Thoughts to Consider:

- Do we define well the scope of authority and service responsibility of our District Committee, by specific job descriptions or guidelines?
- Are the elected District Officers and Standing Committee Chairs effective in serving?

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5. Are we “self-supporting” through Group contributions?

Thoughts to consider:

- Do we operate on a prudent financial principle?
- Is our District effective in both accounting for and reporting of funds?

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6. How well do we convey the responsibility to practice the Seventh Tradition within our groups, our district, our area, and to A.A. as a whole?

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7. Are District meetings informative, enthusiastic and effective in serving the district?

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8. Are we mindful of the right of decision and the right of participation when we conduct District business?

Thoughts to consider:

- Do we offer ample opportunities for participation and discussion at monthly District meetings?
- Do we support arriving at an actual voice and effective conscience for our whole District?
- Are all important decisions reached by discussion, vote, and whenever possible, substantial unanimity?

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9. Do we provide ample time to review and prepare for the district meetings?

Thoughts to consider:

- Is our communication for business matters clear and concise?
- Is our Agenda and related documents organized and effective?
- Are reports and meeting minutes of benefit?

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**Any additional areas of improvement not previously mentioned:**

10. What is your vision for how we can better fulfill our purpose as a District?

Thoughts to consider:

- What more can we do to unify our District and better serve the groups?
- What additional activities can our District engage in, to support carrying the A.A. message?

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11. Are you willing to serve on the Ad Hoc Committee in September/October? Review the inventory results and offer suggestions for the next year of the Panel (*Suggestions to then be e-mailed out to all and reviewed during November 2024 District Meeting*)?

**Yes or No**