



**Adult Children of Alcoholics & Dysfunctional Families
World Service Organization**

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Informational Sessions:

Understanding the New Fellowship Group Voting Process

DATE: Mar 22 and 23, 2025

9:00 PM et / 9 AM et ET;

Time (ET)	Agenda Topic
9:00	<p>I. Opening -10 min. (Sue V)</p> <p>A. Open with the ACA Serenity Prayer</p> <p>B. Readings:</p> <p>Tradition Five: Each group has but one primary purpose - to carry its message to the adult child who still suffers.</p> <p>Meditation: Higher Power. Help us remember that ACA has but one primary purpose which centers the fellowship and which simplifies most discussions. Help us remember to ask ourselves a simple question when we are doing the business of ACA. "Does what we are about to do support the primary purpose of carrying the ACA message to another adult child needing help?"</p> <p>Concept I: The final responsibility and the ultimate authority for ACA World Services should always reside in the collective conscience of our whole fellowship.</p> <p><u>Meeting Protocol:</u> This is a business meeting. We ask that everyone keeps their microphones muted unless called on to speak and stay focused on each agenda item. There will be time for questions and comments after each section. Disruptions will be muted to ensure the meeting stays on track and remains respectful to all participants.</p> <p><u>Diversity Statement:</u> ACA is an inclusive organization and open to all affected by family dysfunction. We strive to create an atmosphere that reflects the diverse communities we serve and where everyone feels empowered to be their full, authentic selves.</p> <p><u>Health and Safety Statement:</u> ACA WSO is committed to the health and safety of all who are choosing to be in service within the fellowship. This is a shared responsibility. Our service experience is affected by our personal recovery and by our commitment to Tradition One - unity. With this cooperative approach, we prioritize the health and safety of our committees and ourselves.</p>

	<p><u>Notice of Recording:</u> The audio recordings of this meeting will be posted on the WSO website. Please be aware of this if you choose to speak during today's call.</p> <p>[Start Recording]</p> <p>Purpose- We are here to provide information and answer questions on a new Fellowship Group Voting process for groups that can be initiated by delegates at a Conference. We won't be discussing specific details of any actual votes in this session.</p> <p>C Meeting Support:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a. Chair(s): Ken R, Kaz S, Sue V c. Tech Host: Mary Jo d. Point of Safety: Erin (Sat) / Brad L (Sun) e. Timekeepers: Ken (section) and Mardi (individuals) <p>D. Participant Introductions: Please add to Zoom chat your WSO registration group, if a delegate, first name, country/state/province.</p>
9:10	II. Fellowship Group Vote Process Presentation
9:40	III. Q and A Fellowship Group Voting Process (Q-1 min, extra 30 seconds for language difficulties, A-2 min- each) Kaz S
10:10	IV .Conclusion and Thank you (5 min.) Ken R
10:15	<p>V. Closing (5 min.) Ken</p> <p>A. Additional Information Sessions</p> <p>Town Halls/ Information Sessions: Understanding the New Fellowship Group Voting Process</p> <p>Sunday, March 23, 9:00 AM ET</p> <p>Join via Zoom: Zoom Link Meeting ID: 985 8218 9599 Passcode: 785372</p> <p>Town Halls/ Information Sessions: Group Voting on the "Fellowship Name Change" Motion</p> <p>Saturday, March 29, 9:00 PM ET</p> <p>Sunday, March 30, 9:00 AM ET</p> <p>Join via Zoom: Zoom Link Meeting ID: 985 8218 9599 Passcode: 785372</p> <p>B. Reminder to register as a delegate for the 2025 ABC, see resources links below.</p> <p>C. Motion to Adjourn Meeting</p> <p>D. Closing Serenity Prayer</p>

Resources:

Fellowship Group Voting: <https://adultchildren.org/fellowship-group-voting/>, email: fgv@acawso.org

Name Study Information: <https://acawso.org/name-study/>

Register as a Delegate at the next 2025 ABC: <https://adultchildren.org/conference/>

[Delegate-Direction-from-the-Annual-Business-Conferences](#), Service Website: <https://acawso.org/>