

IMPACT COLLABORATIVE - COMMUNICATION

Recommendations

- 1. Be more effective in attracting and retaining those in need of recovery; engage the Professional Community and A.A. members; and, improve public perception.
 - Do you agree with the report's conclusion that the public perceives AA as a religious organization? If so, how can our service committees work to change that perception in Area 16, Georgia?
 - How can we use our Communications Committee to strengthen communication in Area
 16, Georgia? Is our message of recovery consistent and accurate?
- 2. Develop structures, processes, and procedures that strengthen and unify overall messaging, and more effectively manage identity, content, and communication as a whole.
 - How can we utilize our Grapevine committee to encourage our members to share their stories with the Grapevine? Do we need more open speaker meetings? How can our story-telling help the public perception?
- 3. Leverage A.A.'s rich history of storytelling in becoming more impactful communicators.
 - Do you relate more to someone telling about something or sharing their personal experience? What is an effective way to share our stories?
 - How can our Archives Committee provide additional platforms to share our AA history?
- 4. Guide A.A. in utilizing social media, cross-platform content strategies, and other interactive tools to more deeply engage the Fellowship.
 - What are the benefits and pitfalls of AA and social media? How can we communicate in the modern age of technology and social media and follow our traditions?
 - What happens if we opt out of social media? Should Grapevine stories be posted on You Tube?