

Hello Fellow IIMC Region IV Members:

Janice Almy and I attended the IIMC Board of Directors' Mid-Year Meeting on October 26 & 27 in Little Rock, Arkansas. Below are just several items approved by the board:

- Board Awarded the 2023 IIMC Annual Conference to Minneapolis, Minnesota.
- A \$10.00 membership dues increase beginning with the January 2019 statement.
- Approved a new Board Policy on Elections and Campaigning.
- Approved the 2018 Budget and the 2019 projected Budget as presented by the Budget and Planning Committee.
- Approved an additional 10% from the 2018 Conference Sponsorship revenue to the IIMC Foundation for Clerk Education.
- Approved IIMC Past President Dyanne Reese, MMC, retired City Clerk, Savannah, GA for Honorary Membership to be presented at the Birmingham Conference.
- Approved continuing the development of growing Region X (Canada).
- Approved in concept to further develop the "Beyond the MMC Program".
- Approved suspending the current Annual Conference scanning policy for the next two conferences in exchange for utilizing a new self-tracking method.
- Approved new Athenian Leadership Society and Athenian Mentor/Mentee Dialogue Agreement policy.
- Approved new policy regarding Diversity and Inclusivity, based on IIMC's Constitution.
- Approved a new policy regarding use of the IIMC Logo in campaign materials.

Please be sure to register for our IIMC Region IV Meeting to be held on December 5-7 at the Holiday Inn & Suites in Oklahoma City, OK

Register at this link: <https://business.okstate.edu/cepd/open-enrollment/pacp/iimc-region-iv-meeting.html>

Have a Happy Thanksgiving All! From Leticia Vacek, IIMC Region IV Director