



Jerry L. Levay

Grand Master

**Most Worshipful Jerry L. Levay
Grand Master of Masons in Iowa
2011-12**

Brother Jerry L. Levay is a lifelong Siouxland resident and was born in Sioux City on May 18, 1952, and later graduating from Central High School. He married Susan Kochen on February 21, 1987. They have a son Jonathan, currently serving in the Navy. He also has daughters Jessica and Allison. Brother Jerry is retired from the U. S. Postal Service after 34 years of service, beginning as a mail carrier and ending as Supervisor Maintenance Operations. He is currently the Facilities Manager at the Tyson Events Center in Sioux City. He is a member of Augustana Lutheran Church.

Masonically, Brother Levay was Raised in Landmark Lodge No. 103 on March 2, 1981. He has held most of the lodge offices and serving as Worshipful Master in 2000. He is a dual member with Twilight Lodge No. 329 at Spirit Lake. Brother Levay wore the purple of the Fraternity as Grand Marshal in 2001-02 and Senior Grand Warden in 2008-09. He has served on the Credentials Committee, the Scholarship Selection Committee, the Public Relations Committee, the Committee on Division and Reference, and the *ad hoc* Long Range Planning Committee. He proudly holds District Lecturer's Certificate No. 3063.

Brother Levay is active in the Scottish Rite, receiving a 33rd Degree Inspector General Honorary Degree in 2005. He was invested with his KCCH in 1995, and since August 2003 served as Assistant Director of the Work. He is a member of the Sioux City York Rite Bodies: Sioux City Chapter #26 R.A.M.; Zadok Council #24 R. & S.M.; and Columbian Commandery #18 K.T. He is also a member of High Twelve #1 and the Lewis and Clark York Rite College. He received the DeMolay Legion of Honor award in 2010.

2011-12 Grand Lodge Officers



Front Row, L. to R.: Deputy Grand Master Michael W. Fletcher, Winterset; Grand Treasurer Shane A. Harshbarger, Altoona; Senior Grand Warden Jon D. Wagoner, Sioux City; Grand Master Jerry L. Levey, Sioux City; Junior Grand Warden Richard L. Martin, Creston; Grand Secretary William R. Crawford, Cedar Rapids; and Grand Chaplain Jon M. Gimmy, Davenport. Back Row: Grand Tyler Wendell B. Borland, Moville; Grand Musician John M. Klaus, Mount Vernon; Senior Grand Steward Kevin A. Nelson, Waterloo; Grand Marshal Brian D. Pappaducas, Ankeny; Junior Grand Steward Jeremy J. Myers, Osage; Senior Grand Deacon W. Charles Smithson, Des Moines; Junior Grand Deacon John D. Pierce, Clarinda; and Deputy Grand Secretary Tim S. Anderson, Cedar Rapids

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**William R. Crawford, Grand Secretary
Cedar Rapids, Iowa**

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GRAND MASTER'S FELLOWSHIP BANQUET
Thursday, September 20, 2012

MASTER OF CEREMONIES

Thomas P. Youngblut, P.G.T.

INVOCATION

Grand Chaplain Jon M. Gimmy

BANQUET

INTRODUCTIONS

Grand Master Jerry L. Levay

WELCOME

Buck Clark, Mayor of Waterloo

RESPONSE

Michael W. Fletcher, Deputy Grand Master

TEACHER OF THE YEAR PRESENTATION

Brian D. Pappaducas, Public School Support Committee
To Brian Lentz, Agriculture Education Instructor at
Southern Cal High School

REMARKS

Grand Hope Jessica Walton, Rainbow
State Councilor Tim Miner, DeMolay
Senior Princess Taylor Coulter, Job's Daughters
Karen Hyde, Worthy Grand Matron, O.E.S.
Dennis W. DeJoode, Worthy Grand Patron, O.E.S.
Col. Gregory O. Hapgood, Jr., Public Affairs Officer, Iowa National Guard

TAYLOR MORRIS RECOGNITION

Dan and Juli Morris, parents

KEYNOTE ADDRESS

Donald E. Ballard, Medal of Honor Recipient

BENEDICTION

Grand Chaplain Jon M. Gimmy

Proceedings of the GRAND LODGE OF IOWA, A.F. & A.M.

One Hundred Sixty Eighth Annual Communication
Five Sullivan Brothers Convention Center
Waterloo, Iowa
Friday, September 21

A.D. 2012, A.L. 6012

Most Worshipful Jerry L. Levay, Grand Master
Right Worshipful William R. Crawford, Grand Secretary

The Grand Lodge of Iowa, A.F. & A.M. was opened in Ample Form at 8:30 A.M. with Grand Master Jerry L. Levay in the East.

INVOCATION

Grand Chaplain Jon M. Gimmy gave the Invocation:

"Great Architect of the Universe, we are gathered in this place and time, preparing to undertake the various tasks set before us. Be with us and bless us in our discussions, deliberations, and decisions.

In Thy name we have assembled and in Thy name we desire to proceed in all our doings. Grant that the sublime principles of Freemasonry may so subdue every discordant passion within us - so harmonize and enrich our hearts with thine own love and goodness - that the Lodge at this time may humbly reflect that order and beauty which reign forever before Thy throne. Amen."

COLORS PRESENTED

The Flags of our Nation and our State were presented by Sir Knights Gene R. Hatfield, Kevin T. Christians, and Charles Williams of the Grand Commandery of Iowa, Knights Templar.

The Pledge of Allegiance was given, followed by the singing of the *National Anthem*.

PRELIMINARY REPORT ON CREDENTIALS

William R. Crawford, Grand Secretary, reporting for the Committee on Credentials, stated that delegates from more than 50 lodges were present which, according to law, constituted a quorum for the transaction of business.

ROLL CALL

William R. Crawford, Grand Secretary, asked unanimous consent to be excused from reading the names of Grand and Elective Past Grand

Lodge Officers, and to approve them as printed in the Proceedings. It was approved. They are as follows:

Elective

(Present 8)

Most Worshipful Jerry L. Levay, Grand Master (103 & 329)
 Right Worshipful Jon D. Wagoner, Senior Grand Warden (103)
 Right Worshipful Richard L. Martin, Junior Grand Warden (522 & 386)
 Right Worshipful Shane A. Harshbarger, Grand Treasurer (318 & 678)
 Right Worshipful William R. Crawford, Grand Secretary (369 & 677)
 Right Worshipful Arthur G. Crandon, P.J.G.W., Custodian (108)
 Right Worshipful Loren C. Stein, P.J.G.W., Custodian (318, 650 & 1)
 Right Worshipful Wendell D. Leonard, P.S.G.W., Custodian (140)

Appointive

(Present 10)

Right Worshipful Michael W. Fletcher, Deputy Grand Master (80 & 43)
 Right Worshipful Jon M. Gimmy, Grand Chaplain (672)
 Worshipful Tim S. Anderson, Deputy Grand Secretary (4, 63, 168, 325, 505, 523 & 676)
 Worshipful Brian D. Pappaducas, Grand Marshal (632)
 Worshipful W. Charles Smithson, Senior Grand Deacon (632)
 Worshipful John D. Pierce, Junior Grand Deacon (140)
 Worshipful Kevin A. Nelson, Senior Grand Steward (105)
 Worshipful Jeremy J. Myers, Junior Grand Steward (649, 679, 102 & U.D. North Liberty)
 Worshipful Wendell B. Borland, Grand Tyler (532)
 Worshipful John M. Klaus, Grand Musician (112, 141, 678 & U.D. Cedar Rapids)

PERMANENT MEMBERS

Past Grand Masters

(Present 19)

W. Ross McCulla (174 & 52) 1976-77	Lester C. Fleming (448 & 83) 1999-2000
Donald E. Stamy (6) 1978-79	Robert H. Erickson (370 & 633) 2003-04
Lowell Wagoner (80, 407 & 299) 1990-91	Donald E. Mayer (13) 2004-05
Edwin D. Blinks (125) 1992-93	Charles L. Brinkerhoff (370 & 678) 2005-06
Jerrold R. Anderson (205) 1993-94	Dennis M. Zahrt (675) 2006-07
Donald W. Gurney (394 & 229) 1994-95	Donald E. Mosier (676, 678 & U.D.) 2007-08
Paul H. Wieck (393 & 263) 1995-96	Jack L. Butler (520, 49, 3 & 66 WI) 2009-10
D. Dean Johnson (407 & 308) 1996-97	Craig C. Hummel (335 & 430) 2010-11
Ralph A. Livermore (232) 1997-98	Craig L. Davis (657) 2011-12
Raymond E. Clause (532) 1998-99	

(Absent 3)

Harold R. Barkley (478) 1986-87	Alfred L. Jensen (59 & 329) 2001-02
L. Ray Chamberlin (654) 1989-90	

Past Senior Grand Wardens

(Present 4)

Eric A. Rozeboom (419)	Wade E. Sheeler (59 & 678)
John D. Lillibridge (657)	* Wendell D. Leonard (140)
	* Also counted as Grand Lodge Officer

(Absent 10)

Kenneth C. Chilton (74)	R. Jay Hartman (616)
Donald D. Schoof (79)	Wilfred H. Armentrout (204)

Elmer D. Louth (15)
Galen A. Rozeboom (419)
Jon B. Proctor (53)

George W. Robinson (83)
F. Walter Buffon (412)
Edison Sharp Jr. (174)

Past Junior Grand Wardens

(Present 10)

* Loren C. Stein (318, 1 & 650)
Kenneth M. Anderson (624)
* Arthur G. Crandon (108)
Bryce B. Hildreth (636 & 110)
Terry E. Osborne (174)

Robert J. Holliday (664, 44, 626 & 675)
Larry E. Shears (81)
Michael B. Aves Sr. (308 & 561)
Carl J. Van Der Kamp (218)
John A. "Jack" Cook (179)
** Also counted as Grand Lodge Officer*

(Absent 9)

Bernard D. Allen (77 & 555)
Samuel J. McKenrick (60)
Floyd H. Murray (63)
Robert W. Kilfoil (59)
Virgil J. Mackey (632)

James B. Jones (229)
Edwin E. Armstead (87, 222, 121, 374 & 165)
William E. Kimler (664)
John Barry Kane (218)

Past Grand Treasurers

(Present 11)

Tex R. Heyer (69)
Kenneth A. Hurmence (179 & 112)
D. Keith Robertson (125)
Thomas P. Youngblut (222 & 87)
John L. Mills (332)
Charles D. Yates (508)

Randall D. Crouch (103)
William C. Jacobson (263)
Andrew E. Schaffer (105)
Richard L. Bowersox (6, 325, 677 & 523)
*John M. Klaus (112, 141, 678 & U.D)
** Also counted as Grand Lodge Officer*

(Absent 15)

Robert H. Van Horn (369)
Dale L. Klauss (632)
Lawrence N. Crail (649)
Edward T. Johnson (103)
Robert H. Hatch, Jr. (632)
D. Dean Schlapia (205)
Gary T. Warwick (271)
Noel W. Willis (4)

Ernest W. C. Webster (116 & 6 MT)
Ronald L. Marsh (229)
John C. Summerson (299)
Duane S. Munson (174)
John A. Hansen (420)
Steven J. Donaldson (191)
Scott A. Johnson (615)

LIST OF BOARDS AND COMMITTEES

The Grand Secretary referred to the list of those brothers who had been appointed to serve on Boards and Standing Committees.

TRUSTEES AND CUSTODIANS OF THE WORK**TRUSTEES OF GRAND LODGE**

Jack L. Butler (520 Baxter, 49, 3 & 66 Wl), P.G.M. Chairman, Term Expires 2015 Dubuque
 Bill V. Northup (230 Ollie), Term expires 2013 Clive
 Craig L. Davis (657 Des Moines), P.G.M., Term expires 2017 West Des Moines
 Paul H. Wieck (263 Cedar Rapids & 393), P.G.M., Emeritus.....Dysart

TRUSTEES OF GRAND CHARITY FUNDS

Terry E. Osborne (174 Malcom), P.J.G.W., Chairman, Term expires 2013..... Brooklyn
 Eldon F. Walton, (660 Des Moines & 522 Creston) Term expires 2012 West Des Moines
 Realf H. Ottesen (672 Bettendorf, 664 Bettendorf & 44 Le Claire), Term expires 2014 ..Hampton, IL
 Theodore C. Wiley (8), P.G.M., Vice-Chairman, Term expires 2015..... Mount Pleasant
 Damian N. Hurmence (112), Term expires 2016..... Cedar Falls
 Noel W. Willis (4), P.G.T., Emeritus Sun City West, AZ
 Marsha J. Miller, Secretary to the Board Bettendorf

TRUSTEES OF HERMAN L. ROWLEY MEMORIAL TRUST

Michael W. Fletcher (43 & 80 Adel), Deputy Grand Master, Chairman, Term expires 2013 Winterset
 Lowell Wagoner (80, 299 Perry & 407 Altoona), P.G.M., Vice Chairman, Term expires 2012Adel
 John C. Powell (299), Term expires 2014 Perry
 William R. Yungclas (249), Chaplain, Term expires 2015.....Ames
 Kyle A. Gordon (592 Des Moines), Secretary-Treasurer, Term expires 2016Granger
 Robert K. Gubser (299 Perry), EmeritusPanora
 John C. Summerson (299), P.G.T., Emeritus.....Perry
 Jerrold R. Anderson (205), P.G.M., Emeritus.....Algona
 Donald W. Gurney (229 Attica & 394), P.G.M., Emeritus.....Reinbeck
 Earl R. Freel (407 Altoona), Emeritus Pleasant Hill
 Larry G. Blaker (299), Emeritus Perry
 LuCinda L. Friess, Secretary to the Board..... Perry

TRUSTEES OF MASONIC CHARITABLE EDUCATIONAL CORPORATION

Paul Wofford (329 Spirit Lake), Chairman, Term expires 2014 Okoboji
 Guy H. Posey (103 & 329 Spirit Lake), Term expires 2012 Sioux City
 Edison Sharp Jr. (174), P.J.G.W., Term expires 2016..... Malcom
 Raymond E. Clause (532), P.G.M., Secretary, Emeritus Merville
 Duane S. Munson (174 Malcom), P.G.T., Emeritus..... Cedar Rapids

TRUSTEES OF IOWA MASONIC SCHOLARSHIP ENDOWMENT FUND

James H. Windsor III (110), Chairman, Term expires 2012 Des Moines
 Gerald F. Bergman (16 & 74 Eddyville), Term expires 2014..... Ottumwa
 Arthur W. Pixler (205 Algona & 299 Perry), Term expires 2016..... Fenton

**DIRECTORS OF IOWA MASONIC LIBRARY AND MUSEUMS
BUILDING ENDOWMENT FUND**

D. Dean Johnson (308 Polk City & 407), P.G.M., Chairman, Term expires 2012 Altoona
 Donald E. Mosier (676, 678 Des Moines & U.D.), P.G.M., Term expires 2014..... Cedar Rapids
 Thomas P. Youngblut (87 Independence & 222), P.G.T., Term expires 2016..... Jesup

CUSTODIANS OF THE WORK

Arthur G. Crandon (108 Marshalltown), P.J.G.W., Chairman, Term expires 2015.....Gilman
 Loren C. Stein (318, 650 & 1), P.J.G.W., Secretary, Term expires 2013..... Burlington
 Wendell D. Leonard (140), P.S.G.W., Term expires 2017 Clarinda

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F. Walter Buffon (412 Griswold), P.S.G.W. Emeritus Elliott
Alfred L. Jensen (59 & 329 Spirit Lake), P.G.M., Emeritus Newton
Dennis M. Zahrt (675 Davenport), P.G.M., Emeritus Bettendorf

STANDING COMMITTEES**CREDENTIALS**

Loren J. Pierce (140 Clarinda), Chairman, Term expires 2012 Essex
 Damian N. Hurmence (112 Mount Vernon), Term expires 2012 Cedar Falls
 Chad E. Clapper (649 Mason City, 679 & U.D. North Liberty), Term expires 2013 Clear Lake
 Justin R. Dodge (249), Term expires 2013 Ames
 Douglas E. Walker (532), Term expires 2014 Merville
 David G. Best (342 Exira), Term expires 2014 Brayton

LODGE SERVICE

Tim S. Anderson (4 Iowa City, 63 Chariton, 168 Kinross, 325 Clarion, 505 Albia, 523 Coggon & 676), D.G.S./L.S.C. Executive Director - dgs@gl-iowa.org Cedar Rapids
 A. J. Brown (16 Ottumwa & U.D. North Liberty) Bloomfield
 Jeffrey M. Brown (93, 255 & 168 Kinross) Clinton
 James W. Burr (4 & 263 Cedar Rapids) Iowa City
 James E. Cline Jr. (71 & 631) Council Bluffs
 John A. "Jack" Cook (179), P.J.G.W. Mount Ayr
 Jeremy N. Davis (200 Olin, 249 & 678 Des Moines) Ames
 John M. Klaus (112, 141 Marble Rock, 678 Des Moines & U.D. Cedar Rapids), Grand Musician Mount Vernon
 Martin C. Lonsdale (386 & U.D. North Liberty) Greenfield
 Stacy D. Newgard (519 Laurens & 329 Spirit Lake) Milford
 William A. Peake (319 Garner, 679 Clear Lake & 329 Spirit Lake) Buffalo Center
 Gregory R. Spooner (370 Pleasant Hill) Altoona
 Dennis E. "Toby" Williams (633 Windsor Heights, 59 Newton & 218 Prairie City) Colfax
 Robert A. "Bud" Winterton (307 & 408 Alta) Cherokee
 Thomas P. Youngblut (87 Independence & 222), P.G.T. Jesup
 Jack L. Butler (49, 3, 520 Baxter & 66 WI), P.G.M., Emeritus Dubuque
 Craig C. Hummel (335 & 430 Carson), P.G.M., Emeritus Oakland

DIVISION AND REFERENCE

Bryce B. Hildreth (636 & 110 Des Moines), P.J.G.W., Chairman Ankeny
 Eric A. Rozeboom (419), P.S.G.W. Sanborn
 Kenneth A. Hurmence (179 Mount Ayr & 112 Mount Vernon) Clarksville

APPEALS AND GRIEVANCES

David M. Dryer (53 & 409), Chairman Indianola
 Alan L. Cranston (492) Mame
 W. Charles Smithson (632), Senior Grand Deacon Des Moines

MASONIC JURISPRUDENCE (BY CODE)

Donald E. Mosier (676, 678 Des Moines & U.D.) P.G.M., Chairman Cedar Rapids
 Paul H. Wieck (393 & 263 Cedar Rapids), P.G.M., Vice Chairman Marion
 Robert H. Erickson (370 Pleasant Hill & 633), P.G.M., Secretary Des Moines

And all Past Grand Masters of this Grand Lodge who reside within
 its jurisdiction and are in good standing.

FRATERNAL REVIEW

Timothy J. Whipple (577 West Des Moines & 678) Des Moines

FINANCE

Robert E. Breckenridge II (269 & 16), Chairman, Term expires 2012 Ottumwa
 Carl N. Home (502 Sloan), Term expires 2013 Omaha, NE
 Lane H. Shaver (115 & 308 Polk City), Term expires 2014 Madrid

GRAND LODGE RECOGNITION

Jason A. Wolcott (4 Iowa City, 11 & U.D. Cedar Rapids)..... Tipton

PUBLIC RELATIONS

Wade E. Sheeler (59 & 678 Des Moines), P.S.G.W., Chairman, Term expires 2012 Newton
Lane H. Shaver (112 & 308 Polk City), Term expires 2013 Madrid
Von T. Ketelsen (325 Clarion & 168 Kinross), Term expires 2014 Fort Dodge

PUBLIC SCHOOL SUPPORT

Scott A. Enyart (218 Prairie City), Chairman, Term expires 2012 Pella
Brian D. Pappaducas (632 Des Moines), Term expires 2013 Ankeny
Jeffrey S. Weaver (100), Term expires 2014 Clinton

VISITORS

John A. "Jack" Cook (179), P.J.G.W., Chairman Mount Ayr
Wendell D. Leonard (140), P.S.G.W. Clarinda

SCHOLARSHIP SELECTION

David C. Stuart (49, 3 & 673), Chairman, Term expires 2012 Dubuque
Kirk R. Thelin (369), Term expires 2012 Glidden
Gary T. Warwick (271), P.G.T., Term expires 2013 Atlantic
Robert J. Holliday (44 Le Claire, 664 Bettendorf & 675), P.J.G.W., Term expires 2013 Davenport
A. Lyle Miller (595), Term expires 2014 Manilla
James W. Evans (112), Term expires 2015 Mount Vernon
Kenneth A. Hurmence (179 Mount Ayr & 112 Mount Vernon), P.G.T., Term expires 2015 Clarksville
Duane S. Munson (174 Malcom), P.G.T., Emeritus Cedar Rapids

MASONIC CHARITABLE EDUCATIONAL CORPORATION**SCHOLARSHIP SELECTION**

Kenneth M. Anderson (624 Waterloo), P.J.G.W., Chairman, Term expires 2013 Cedar Falls
Robert J. Holliday (44 LeClaire, 626, 664 Bettendorf & 675), P.J.G.W.,
Term expires 2012 Davenport
Carl N. Horne (502 Sloan), Term expires 2014 Omaha, NE
Dallas D. Brown (329 & 447 Estherville), Term expires 2015 Spirit Lake
Gregory L. Andersen (117), Term expires 2016 Eldora

COMMITTEE ON MASONIC YOUTH

Joseph J. Podzimek II (364 Fairfax), Chairman, Term expires 2016 Cedar Rapids
Tom Bowersox (6 Marion, 290 Oxford & U.D.), Term expires 2012 Cedar Rapids
Matthew A. Buckley (664 Bettendorf), Term expires 2013 Davenport
William K. Paisley (125 Dubuque), Term expires 2014 Omaha, NE
William R. Davis (294 Nora Springs & 679 Clear Lake), Term expires 2015 Dougherty

TECHNOLOGY COMMITTEE

Theodore C. Wiley (8), Chairman, Term expires 2012 Mount Pleasant
Kevin R. Smith (4 & 633 Des Moines), Term expires 2013 Iowa City
Daniel J. Priestley (643 & 103), Term expires 2014 Sioux City
Chad L. Little (263), Term expires 2015 Cedar Rapids
Darrell G. Fremont (115 & 308 Polk City), Term expires 2016 Madrid
William R. Crawford, Grand Secretary Cedar Rapids
Tim S. Anderson, Deputy Grand Secretary Cedar Rapids

AD HOC COMMITTEES**LONG RANGE PLANNING**

Bryce B. Hildreth (636 & 110 Des Moines), P.J.G.W., Chairman Ankeny
Jon D. Wagoner (103), Senior Grand Warden Sioux City
Richard L. Martin (522 & 386 Greenfield), Junior Grand Warden Creston
Craig L. Davis (657 Des Moines), P.G.M. West Des Moines

Justin R. Dodge (249) Ames
 Jeremy N. Davis (200 Olin, 249 & 678 Des Moines) Ames
 Jerry L. Levay (103 & 329 Spirit Lake), Grand Master Sioux City

WRITING GRAND LODGE HISTORY

David B. Jackson (168 Kinross & 182 Sigourney), Chairman North English
 Alan H. Ackerman (168 Kinross) South English
 Tim S. Anderson, Deputy Grand Secretary Cedar Rapids

IOWA MASONIC MODEL STUDENT ASSISTANCE PROGRAM

Craig C. Hummel (335 & 430 Carson), P.G.M., Chairman Oakland
 Jack L. Butler (520 Baxter, 49, 3 & 66 Wl), P.G.M. Dubuque
 Jerry L. Levay (103 & 329 Spirit Lake), Grand Master Sioux City

MASONIC ACADEMY COMMITTEE

George J. Harrison (643 & 329 Spirit Lake), Chairman Sioux City
 John M. Klaus (112, 141 Marble Rock, 678 Des Moines & U.D. Cedar Rapids), Grand Musician
 Mount Vernon
 Ryan R. Broderson (264) Carroll
 Jeffrey D. Heimensen (103 Sioux City & 329 Spirit Lake) Orange City

EDITORIAL COMMITTEE

John M. Klaus (112, 141 Marble Rock, 678 Des Moines & U.D. Cedar Rapids), Grand Musician
 Mount Vernon
 Michael R. Langford (4 Iowa City, 668 Coralville, U.D. North Liberty & 943 TX) Washington

CHAIRMAN OF THE COMMITTEE ON RESOLUTIONS

The Grand Master appointed Deputy Grand Master Michael W. Fletcher as the Committee on Resolutions.

PRESENTATION OF IOWA PAST GRAND MASTERS

John A. "Jack" Cook, P.J.G.W., Chairman of the Visitors Committee, presented the following Past Grand Masters of Iowa:

W. Ross McCulla	D. Dean Johnson	Charles L. Brinkerhoff
Donald E. Stamy	Ralph A. Livermore	Dennis M. Zahrt
Lowell Wagoner	Raymond E. Clause	Donald E. Mosier
Edwin D. Blinks	Lester C. Fleming	Jack L. Butler
Jerrold R. Anderson	Robert H. Erickson	Craig C. Hummel
Donald W. Gurney	Donald E. Mayer	Craig L. Davis
Paul H. Wieck		

PRESENTATION OF GRAND MASTERS AND PAST GRAND MASTERS FROM SISTER JURISDICTIONS

Wendell D. Leonard, P.S.G.W., member of the Visitors Committee, presented the following Grand Masters and Past Grand Masters from sister jurisdictions:

Eddie N. Sauls III, Grand Master, Most Worshipful Prince Hall Grand Lodge of Iowa
 Tracy L. Bloom, Past Grand Master, Grand Secretary, Kansas
 Rex J. Moats, Grand Master, Nebraska
 Edward H. Fowler, Past Grand Master, Pennsylvania, and Provincial Grand Master of the Royal Order of Scotland

PRESENTATION OF DISTINGUISHED GUESTS

John A. "Jack" Cook, P.J.G.W., Chairman of the Visitors Committee, presented the following distinguished guests from sister jurisdictions:

Lynn Lewis, Grand Senior Warden, Most Worshipful Prince Hall Grand Lodge of Iowa
 David E. Olson, Deputy Grand Master, Minnesota
 Ernie D. Shoup, Junior Grand Deacon, New Mexico
 Daniel L. Slavik, Deputy Grand Master, Wisconsin

PRESENTATION OF IOWA DISTINGUISHED GUESTS

Wendell D. Leonard, P.S.G.W., Member of the Visitors Committee, presented the following Iowa distinguished guests:

Kenneth A. Brickman, Right Excellent Grand Scribe, Grand Chapter, Royal Arch Masons of Iowa
 Randall E. Crouch, Most Illustrious Grand Master, Grand Council of Royal and Select Masters of Iowa
 Gregory L. Andersen, Grand Commander, Grand Commandery, Knights Templar of Iowa
 George J. Harrison, Grand Recorder and Past Grand Commander, Grand Commandery, Knights Templar of Iowa
 Robert J. Seiler, Grand Secretary, Grand Chapter, Royal Arch Masons; and Grand Recorder, Grand Council of Royal and Select Masters
 Dennis W. De Joode, Worthy Grand Patron, O.E.S.
 William K. Paisley, Executive Officer, Iowa DeMolay
 James Cox, State Master Councilor, Iowa DeMolay
 Tim Miner, State Councilor, Iowa DeMolay
 Caleb Terry, State Councilor, Iowa DeMolay

APPOINTMENT OF TELLERS

William R. Crawford, Grand Secretary, read the list of brethren selected by the Grand Master to act as tellers for this Communication:

General Chairman

Jason A. Wolcott, Cedar Lodge No. 11, Tipton

Teller Set No. 1

Darrell G. Fremont, Star Lodge No. 115, Madrid, Chairman
 Kenneth Eckerman, Twilight Lodge No. 329, Spirit Lake
 James Heimback, Martin Lodge No. 624, Waterloo
 Thomas M. Jeneary, Floyd Lodge No. 537, Orange City
 Darrin K. Merrill, Evening Shade Lodge No. 312, Spencer
 Steven R. Schroder, Arcadia Lodge No. 249, Ames
 Charles A. Williams, Keokuk Lodge No. 29, Keokuk
 Charles A. Wilt, Empire Lodge No. 269, Ottumwa

Teller Set No. 2

Cecil H. Brewton Jr., Capital Lodge No. 110, Des Moines, Chairman
 Jason M. Bumgarner, Black Hawk Lodge No. 65, Cedar Falls
 Randy L. Crampton, Pomegranate Lodge No. 408, Alta
 Charles R. Kutin, Trojan Lodge No. 548, Marion

David H. Patton, Dubuque Lodge No. 3, Dubuque
Fred Blake Perkins, Grace Lodge No. 519, Laurens
Carroll L. Stokesbary, Columbia Lodge No. 292, Colo
Dennis E. "Toby" Williams, Newton Lodge No. 59, Newton

RECOGNITION OF ATTENDEES

Grand Master Jerry L. Levay welcomed the first time attendees to Grand Lodge and asked them to stand so that they may be greeted. He then extended a welcome to the Worshipful Masters, Senior Wardens, Junior Wardens, and Proxies.

GRAND MASTER RELINQUISHES GAVEL

Grand Master Levay relinquished the gavel to Deputy Grand Master Michael W. Fletcher and gave his report.

2012 GRAND MASTER'S REPORT**Masonry and The Military – Hand In Hand Since 1776 –
Saluting Those Who Serve”**

*To the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of Ancient, Free, and Accepted
Masons: Greetings.*

GREETINGS!

Welcome to the 168th Annual Communication of the Grand Lodge of Iowa in the City of Waterloo - Home of the Five Sullivans.

To our Distinguished Guests and visiting brethren from other jurisdictions, welcome to the Great State of Iowa. It has been an honor to have had the opportunity to meet you and get to know so many of you during our joint travels. I wish there had been more time to get to know you better. I sincerely hope we have occasion to meet again. I truly hope you enjoy your stay with us and consider coming back soon.

To the leaders of the Iowa Appendant Masonic Organizations, thank you for joining us for our Annual Communication. Thank you also for all you do to further the cause of Freemasonry. It has been my pleasure to work with you during the year. Together we can accomplish great things.

To the delegates of the Grand Lodge of Iowa, thank you for being here and being part of this session. To the Masters, thank you for honoring the promise you made when you were installed, by attending on the Grand Lodge. To the Wardens, thank you also for contributing your time to the administration of the Grand Lodge. Remember, you, as leaders in your local Lodges, are the Grand Lodge.

It has been my distinct honor to serve as your Grand Master this past year. Thank you for the opportunity to make the acquaintance of so many new Brothers across our great state and country. No matter where one travels you know when you meet a new Mason you have met a new friend.

The theme this year “Masonry and the Military – Hand in Hand Since 1776 – Saluting Those Who Serve” had several goals. First, it was my intention to remind Masons of our history and our close ties to our nation’s military since the beginning of our country. Secondly, to recognize those Brothers who had served in our country’s military, and lastly to raise funds to be used to assist the families of service members who had either been wounded or perished while in our nation’s service. While I believe we could never do enough to help our veterans and military families, we were able, through your generosity to help bring a soldier and his family home for Christmas, you helped another military family who had been put out of their housing due to mold with only the clothes on their backs, and we presented Brother Dustin Morrison who had been seriously wounded in Afghanistan with a donation to help defray expenses his family incurred while he was hospitalized. We are now going to focus our efforts on Petty

Officer Taylor Morris and his family. My hope is that we are able to present that family with a significant donation, one worthy of the Masons of Iowa.

Masonry promises continuing Light. To fulfill that promise, the Annual Iowa Education Conference was again held at the Iowa Masonic Library in Cedar Rapids. The Masonic Symbolism Course, which is available online thanks to the great work of the Technology Committee, was presented to the attendees as a new tool to help Masons learn more about Masonry. We should never stop learning about our beloved fraternity. We need to be as educated about Masonry as those who come to our doors. In the past those who came to us knew very little, if anything, about us. Petitioners now know far more than most of us do about our own organization. They come to us well informed and with high expectations. We must not let them down, so we must educate ourselves.

This year, as in the past three years, we held the Annual Leadership Symposium. It was again held at the Des Moines Scottish Rite Center. Masonic Leaders need a venue to learn from established Masonic leaders and to share ideas. We have been very fortunate indeed to have had some very knowledgeable brethren address us at these symposiums. I thank the brethren who have attended for their attentiveness and participation.

I want to take this opportunity to thank formally our Masonic Youth Organizations for all they do. I want to especially recognize the members of Rainbow and DeMolay. The Rainbow girls started supporting the program this year even before the year started. Were it not for Tiffany Bomer and Triple T Specialty Meats the beef stick program would have never come to my attention. Rainbow turned the sale of beef sticks into a fund raising endeavor to send Care Packages to deployed service members. These young ladies and their Executive Officer Pamela Harshbarger have my undying gratitude for adopting this as their program for the year. The DeMolay boys have also been selling beef sticks this year and I thank them and Executive Officer Bill Paisley for their devotion to our service members.

It was especially gratifying that my first official act as your Grand Master was to Constitute Travelers Lodge No. 679. It was made even more special because Junior Grand Steward Jerry Myers was also Master of Travelers Lodge. Equally gratifying was Instituting Woodrow Morris Lodge U.D. and Albert Pike Lodge U.D. on the same day in Cedar Rapids. I once heard a Grand Master from another jurisdiction say there are more good days as Grand Master than there are bad days – These were two very good days for this Grand Master.

EMERGENT COMMUNICATIONS
Constituting, Instituting, Dedications, Cornerstone Laying
Ceremonies, and Masonic Memorial Services

CONSTITUTING CEREMONY**2011**

September 23: Clear Lake – The Grand Lodge of Iowa was opened in Ample Form on the Third Degree for the purpose of Constituting Travelers Lodge No. 679 at 6:00 P.M. The Grand Lodge of Iowa then Constituted Travelers Lodge No. 679 and installed the Officers. Grand Lodge of Iowa was then closed in Ample Form by Grand Master Jerry L. Levay

INSTITUTING CEREMONY**2012**

May 19: Cedar Rapids – The Grand Lodge of Iowa was opened at 3:00 P.M. in Ample Form on the Third Degree at the Cedar Rapids Masonic Temple for the purpose of Instituting Woodrow Morris Lodge U. D at North Liberty and Albert Pike Lodge U.D. at Cedar Rapids. The Grand Lodge officers constituted Woodrow Morris Lodge U.D. at 4:00 P.M. with Mrs. Mary Morris, wife of Past Grand Master Morris in attendance. The Grand Lodge Officers then Instituted Albert Pike Lodge U.D. which will meet in Cedar Rapids. The Grand Lodge was then closed in Due Form by Deputy Grand Master Michael W. Fletcher. A nice meal was served following the ceremonies.

CORNERSTONE LAYING CEREMONIES**2011**

October 1: Coralville – The Grand Lodge of Iowa was opened in Ample Form in the green room of the new Coralville Center for the Performing Arts at 9:00 A.M. At 10:00 A.M. a Cornerstone Laying Ceremony was conducted for the Coralville Center for the Performing Arts, 1301 Fifth Street at 10:00 A.M. The Grand Lodge of Iowa was then closed in Ample Form by Grand Master Jerry L. Levay.

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May 20: Ames – The Grand Lodge of Iowa was opened in Ample Form at the Grandon Funeral Home 414 Lincoln Way at 7:30 A.M. The Grand Lodge Officers attended 8:30 A.M. church services at the First United Methodist Church 516 Kellogg St. A Cornerstone Laying Ceremony was conducted for an addition to the church at 10:00 A.M. The Grand Lodge was then closed in Due Form by Deputy Grand Master Michael W. Fletcher.

June 5: Red Oak - The Grand Lodge of Iowa was opened in Ample Form at Red Oak Lodge No. 162 at 3:15 P.M. At 4:30 P.M. the Grand Lodge Officers conducted a Cornerstone Laying Ceremony for the new Montgomery County Law Enforcement Center in Red Oak. The Grand Lodge of Iowa was then closed in Ample Form by Grand Master Jerry L. Levay. A very nice meal was served by the Lodge following the ceremony.

August 11: Sloan – The Grand Lodge of Iowa was opened in Ample Form at Attica Lodge No. 502 at 1:00 P.M. A Cornerstone Laying Ceremony was held for the new Sloan Public Library. The Grand Lodge of Iowa was then closed in Ample Form by Grand Master Jerry L. Levay.

TEMPLE DEDICATION

No Temple Dedications

MASONIC MEMORIAL SERVICE**2011**

October 16: Iowa City – The Grand Lodge of Iowa was opened 2:00 P.M. in Ample Form at the Preucil School of Music North Campus, 2916 Northgate Drive. A Masonic Memorial Service for Woodrow W. Morris, P.G.M., was held at 2:15 P.M. with Paul H. Wieck,

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P.G.M., conducting the service. The eulogy was given by Donald E. Stamy, P.G.M. The Grand Lodge of Iowa was closed in Ample Form by Grand Master Jerry L. Levay.

GRAND OFFICER APPOINTMENTS

I appointed the following Grand Officers:

Deputy Grand Master	Michael W. Fletcher	Winterset
Grand Chaplain	Jon M. Gimmy	Davenport
Grand Marshal	Brian D. Pappaducas	Des Moines
Senior Grand Deacon	W. Charles Smithson	Des Moines
Junior Grand Deacon	John D. Pierce	Clarinda
Senior Grand Steward	Kevin A. Nelson	Waterloo
Junior Grand Steward	Jeremy J. "Jerry" Myers	Osage
Grand Tyler	Wendell B. Borland	Moville
Grand Musician	John M. Klaus	Mount Vernon

I approved the appointment by Grand Secretary William Crawford of Tim S. Anderson as Deputy Grand Secretary.

COMMITTEE APPOINTMENTS

September 17, 2011: I made the following appointments and reappointments to the standing Boards and Committees of the Grand Lodge:

Jack L. Butler was reappointed Chairman of the Board of Trustees.

Craig L. Davis was appointed to the Board of Trustees.

Theodore C. Wiley was appointed to fill the unexpired term of Donald E. Mayer as a Trustee of the Grand Charity Board.

Damian N. Hurmence was appointed to a five year term as a Trustee of the Grand Charity Board.

Kyle A. Gordon was appointed to a five year term as a Trustee of the Herman L. Rowley Memorial Trust.

Paul D. Wofford was appointed as Chairman of the Masonic Charitable Education Corporation.

Guy H. Posey was appointed to a one year term as a Trustee of the Masonic Charitable Education Corporation.

David G. Best and Douglas E. Walker were appointed to three year terms on the Credentials Committee.

Loren J. Pierce was appointed Chairman of the Credentials Committee.

Bryce B. Hildreth, Eric A. Rozeboom, and Kenneth A. Hurmence were appointed to one year terms on the Committee on Division and Reference with Bryce B. Hildreth appointed Chairman.

The following Brothers were appointed to one year terms on the Lodge Service Committee: A. J. Brown, James W. Burr, Jeremy N. Davis, John M. Klaus, Stacy D. Newgard, Gregory R. Spooner, Robert A. "Bud" Winterton, Jeffery Brown, James E. Kline, John A. "Jack" Cook, Martin C. Lonsdale, William A. Peake, Dennis E. "Toby" Williams, and Thomas P. Youngblut.

W. Charles Smithson was appointed to a one year term on the Appeals and Grievances Committee.

David M. Dryer and Alan L. Cranston were reappointed to the Appeals and Grievances Committee and David M. Dryer was reappointed Chairman.

Donald E. Mosier was reappointed Chairman of the Jurisprudence Committee.

Lane H. Shaver was appointed to a three year term on the Finance Committee.

Robert E. Breckenridge was appointed Chairman of the Finance Committee.

Timothy J. Whipple was appointed to a one year term on the Fraternal Review Committee.

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Jason A. Walcott was reappointed to a one year term on the Grand Lodge Recognition Committee.

Wendell D. Leonard and John A. "Jack" Cook were appointed to one year terms on the Visitors Committee. John A. "Jack" Cook was appointed Chairman.

Von T. Ketelsen was appointed to a three year term on the Public Relations Committee.

Wade E. Sheeler was reappointed Chairman of the Public Relations Committee.

James W. Evans and Kenneth A. Hurmence were reappointed to five year terms on the Scholarship Selection Committee.

David C. Stuart was reappointed Chairman of the Scholarship Selection Committee.

Scott A. Enyart was appointed to fill the unexpired term of Jeremy N. Davis on the Public School Support Committee.

Jeffery S. Weaver was appointed to a three year term on the Public School Support Committee.

Scott A. Enyart was appointed Chairman of the Public School Support Committee.

Joseph J. Podzimek was appointed to a five year term on the Committee on Masonic Youth.

Matthew A. Buckley was appointed Chairman of the Committee on Masonic Youth.

Gregory L. Andersen was reappointed to a five year term on the Masonic Charitable Education Corporation Scholarship Selection Committee.

Kenneth M. Anderson was reappointed Chairman of the Masonic Charitable Education Corporation Scholarship Selection Committee.

Theodore C. Wiley was appointed to a one year term on the Technology Committee.

Kevin J. Smith was appointed to a two year term on the Technology Committee.

Daniel J. Priestley was appointed to a three year term on the Technology Committee.

Chad Little was appointed to a four year term on the Technology Committee.

Darrell G. Fremont was appointed to a five year term on the Technology Committee.

OFFICIAL ACTS

None

OFFICIAL OPINIONS

None

UNOFFICIAL OPINIONS

2012

March 26: I received the following request for an "Official Opinion" from Brother Dennis I. Mallory, Worshipful Master of Hiram of Tyre Lodge No. 118: Is it appropriate for me as Master of Hiram of Tyre No. #118 at Tama, to 'resign' of "pass on my office"? I was just diagnosed with small cell lung cancer and am being treated at UIHC in Iowa City. My treatment is going well and I feel better (except for the side effects of the chemo).

Our Secretary contacted me and wanted to know if I wished to resign. At this time, I plan on returning to my duties and I have many friends pulling for my recovery. My opinion is that I will return. My concern is that I do not wish to violate any Masonic regulations or Grand Lodge rules. I continue with my studies for MC II and am just starting MI instruction from the Perfect Square in our area. Is it appropriate for me to continue as Master at present?

Dennis I. Mallory, WM – Hiram of Tyre Lodge No. 118

I believe the question should be framed as: "If the Worshipful Master were to resign, could he at a later date resume his office and complete his term?"

Chapter 15

Resolutions and Interpretations

Section 3. Decisions and Opinions of the Grand Master

- a. Defined.** A “decision” must arise on a controverted point or question to which there are parties having conflicting interests with the right to seek a review in the Grand Lodge. Other rulings of the Grand Master are “Opinions.”
- b. Opinions.** Opinions are either “official” or “unofficial.”
1. Official Opinions. The Master of a lodge may inquire of the Grand Master as to law for the government of his lodge in a particular case. An Opinion of the Grand Master in rely thereto is “Official.”
 2. Unofficial Opinions. Answers by the Grand Master to letters from other members of a lodge giving his opinion as to law or fact are “unofficial.”

CHAPTER 10 VACANCIES IN OFFICE

An office in a subordinate lodge shall become vacant when the incumbent resigns or ceases to be a member of the lodge in which he holds office.

Section 1. RESIGNATION OF OFFICERS. In a subordinate lodge a resignation by an officer if made in open lodge may be oral; otherwise it shall be in writing, deposited with the Secretary at a stated communication of the lodge, and shall at once take effect. When one of the three principal officers shall resign, or his office becomes vacant, a successor shall be chosen before another principal officer may resign.

Section 2. ELECTIVE OFFICERS. Whenever a vacancy occurs in an elective office in a subordinate lodge, the Master shall order an election to fill such vacancy and also any other vacancy that may result from such election. Such order must be made at a stated communication of the lodge, and the election shall be held at the next stated communication thereafter. The Grand Master may vary this rule in special cases at his discretion. If authority is granted to hold such election at a special communication, the dispensation therefore shall require that every member of the lodge shall be notified in writing not less than five days prior to such communication.

Section 4. INSTALLATION OF OFFICERS. Officers elected or appointed to fill vacancies must be installed as soon as practicable thereafter. The Master of each lodge shall have full authority to install such officers of his lodge without a special dispensation, it is my “Official Opinion” that Chapter 10, Section 1 and Chapter 10, Section 2, make no allowance for an Elective Officer to return to his office, displacing the properly elected and successor, after a properly submitted resignation by said Elective Officer.

PERMISSIONS GRANTED

2011

- September 26:** I granted permission for the Herman L. Rowley Home to circulate a letter the Masonic Membership requesting donations for the annual Christmas/Activity Fund Drive.
- October 21:** I granted permission to the Iowa Masonic Health Facilities to circulate a letter to the Masonic Membership requesting donations to their Sunshine Fund.
- October 25:** I granted permission for the Jerry Marsengill Masonic Christmas Day Dinner to circulate a letter to the Masonic Membership requesting donations to help defray the cost of the dinner.
- December 13:** I granted permission to Equity Lodge No. 131, pursuant to Chapter 15 Section 2 of the Laws for Subordinate Lodges, to change the location of the Lodges called communications in the Bylaws of the Lodge to the Waverly Masonic Temple, 203 3rd St. SE, Waverly. Changes to the Bylaws were submitted to the Grand Master for approval prior to the vote of the Lodge. Said changes were approved by both the Grand Master and by a vote of the members of Equity Lodge No. 131.

2012

February 1: I granted permission to Black Hawk Lodge No. 65 to rebalot on a rejected petitioner, pursuant to Chapter 26, Section 6 of the Laws for Subordinate Lodges, with the proviso that all members present at the time of rejection be notified to be present at the rebalot.

PERMISSIONS DENIED

None

WAIVERS OF JURISDICTION**2012**

- March 27:** I granted a Waiver of Jurisdiction on behalf of Sameer Kahn who completed his Entered Apprentice Degree on October 2, 2011 and his Fellow Craft Degree on October 24, 2011 in our Iowa City No. 4 Lodge and wishes to continue his work in Engineers Lodge No. 336 at Hyderabad, India.
- May 9:** I granted a Waiver of Jurisdiction to Morningside Lodge No. 615 at Sioux City for Mr. Jeremy Owens to receive the three degrees of Masonry via courtesy work performed by Omadi Lodge No. 5 in a Nebraska One-Day Class at the Scottish Rite Center in Sioux City on May 12.
- May 9:** I granted a Waiver of Jurisdiction to North Riverside Lodge No. 662 at Sioux City for Mr. Blaze A. Gill to receive the degrees of Masonry via work performed by Omadi Lodge No. 5 in a Nebraska One-Day Class at the Scottish Rite Center in Sioux City on May 12.
- May 9:** I granted a Waiver of Jurisdiction to North Riverside Lodge No. 662 at Sioux City for Mr. Tyler V. Hartwell to receive the degrees of Masonry via work performed by Omadi Lodge No. 5 in a Nebraska One-Day Class at the Scottish Rite Center in Sioux City on May 12.
- May 9:** I granted a Waiver of Jurisdiction to North Riverside Lodge No. 662 at Sioux City for Mr. Mark W. Illian to receive the degrees of Masonry via work performed by Omadi Lodge No. 5 in a Nebraska One-Day Class at the Scottish Rite Center in Sioux City on May 12.
- May 9:** I granted a Waiver of Jurisdiction to North Riverside Lodge No. 662 at Sioux City for Mr. Patrick C. McCann to receive the degrees of Masonry via work performed by Omadi Lodge No. 5 in a Nebraska One-Day Class at the Scottish Rite Center in Sioux City on May 12.
- July 23:** I granted a Waiver of Jurisdiction to Mr. Frederick T. Christensen of 385 Harrison, Council Bluffs to receive the degrees in Florence Lodge No. 281 in Omaha, Nebraska and be a member thereof.

OTHER APPROVALS

None

DISPENSATIONS GRANTED

- September 28:** I granted dispensation to West Gate-Adelphic Lodge No. 509 in Windsor Heights to move its charter to the Za-Ga-Zig Shrine Center on October 18, 2011 for the purpose of conferring a Third Degree.
- October 4:** I granted dispensation to Landmark Lodge No. 103 in Sioux City to move its charter to the Sioux City Scottish Rite Center on October 8, 2011 for the purpose of hosting a reception honoring Most Worshipful Brother Jerry L. Levay, Grand Master of Masons in Iowa.
- October 10:** I granted dispensation to Kingston Lodge No. 676 in Cedar Rapids to move its charter to Marion Lodge No. 6's lodge room for the purpose of conferring three Entered Apprentice Degrees.

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- October 18:** I granted dispensation to Equity Lodge No. 131 in Janesville to move its charter to Tyrell Lodge No. 116 in Waverly for the purpose of conferring an Entered Apprentice Degree on October 26, 2011.
- November 6:** I granted dispensation to Equity Lodge No. 131 in Janesville to move its charter to Tyrell Lodge No. 116 in Waverly for the purpose of conferring a Fellow Craft Degree on November 16, 2011.
- November 15:** I granted dispensation to Full Moon Lodge No. 561 in Melbourne, per Chapter 8, Section 1 of the Laws for Subordinate Lodges, to hold its election of officers at its December Stated Communication, due to emergent circumstances, provided notification is sent to the membership and the Grand Master of the new date for the elections.
- December 7:** I granted dispensation to Equity Lodge No. 131 in Janesville to move its charter to Tyrell Lodge No. 116 in Waverly for the purpose of conferring a Master Mason Degree on December 21, 2011.
- December 8:** I granted dispensation to Unit Lodge No. 520 in Baxter, Chapter 8, Section 1 of the Laws for Subordinate Lodges, to hold its election of officers at its December Stated Communication, due to the lack of a quorum at its November Stated Communication, provided notification is sent to the membership and the Grand Master of the new date for the elections.
- December 12:** I granted dispensation to Twilight Lodge No. 329 in Spirit Lake to temporarily move its charter to North Star Lodge No. 447's lodge room in Estherville due to Twilight Lodge's loss of their lodge room. Twilight Lodge is in the process of raising the funds to build a new lodge hall.

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- January 10:** I granted dispensation to Delta Lodge No. 356 in Adel to hold its installation of Officers on February 13, 2012, due to the hospitalization of the Worshipful Master elect.
- January 23:** I granted dispensation to Camanche Lodge No. 60 in Camanche to move its charter to the Prairie Hills Assisted Living Facility in North Clinton for the purpose of opening Lodge to present a fifty-year certificate to Brother Sam McKenrick – This dispensation expired without the event taking place.
- January 29:** I granted dispensation to Benevolence Lodge No. 145 to, due to circumstances which prevented the Installation of Officers in January, hold its Installation of Officers on Monday February 6, 2012
- February 29:** I granted dispensation to Camanche Lodge No. 60 in Camanche to move its charter to the Prairie Hills Assisted Living Facility in North Clinton for the purpose of opening Lodge to present a fifty-year certificate to Brother Sam McKenrick.
- March 16:** I granted dispensation to Waveland Park Lodge No. 654 at Des Moines to move its charter to the Des Moines Scottish Rite Center for the purpose of conferring a Master Mason Degree.
- March 23:** I granted dispensation to Trial Lodge No. 532 in Merville to move its charter to the Sioux City Scottish Rite Center on March 30, 2012 for the purpose of hosting a reception honoring Right Worshipful Brother Jon D. Wagoner, Senior Grand Warden of the Grand Lodge of Iowa and Worshipful Brother Wendall B. Borland, Grand Tyler of the Grand Lodge of Iowa.
- May 21:** I granted dispensation to Acanthus Lodge No. 632 in Des Moines to move its charter to the Des Moines Scottish Rite Center on June 9, 2012 for the purpose of hosting a reception honoring Right Worshipful Brother Michael W. Fletcher, Deputy Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of Iowa, Right Worshipful Brother Shane A. Harshbarger, Grand Treasurer of the Grand Lodge of Iowa, Worshipful Brother Brian D. Pappaducas, Grand Marshal of the Grand Lodge of Iowa, and Worshipful Brother W. Charles Smithson, Senior Grand Deacon of the Grand Lodge of Iowa.
- July 7:** I granted dispensation to Canopy Lodge No. 290 in Oxford to move its charter to F. W. Kent Park at 2048 Hwy 6, Oxford on July 28 for the Lodge's Hiram in the Hills Degree.

DISPENSATIONS REFUSED**2012**

April 9: I refused a request for dispensation from East Gate Lodge No. 630 to move its charter to Za-Ga-Zig Shrine Center.

SURRENDER OF CHARTER

None

CONSOLIDATIONS**2011**

December 1: Diamond Lodge No. 422 at Vail voted to consolidate with Signet Lodge No. 264 at Carroll. The remaining lodge is Signet Lodge No. 264.

December 8: Charity Lodge No. 197 at Coon Rapids voted to consolidate with Signet Lodge No. 264 at Carroll. The remaining lodge is Signet Lodge No. 264.

December 15: Lily Lodge No. 254 at Malcom voted to consolidate with Corinthian Lodge No. 174 at Malcom. The remaining lodge is Poweshiek Lodge No. 174.

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February 15: Tri-Luminar Lodge No. 18 at Oskaloosa voted to consolidate with Council Lodge No. 644 at Ottumwa. The remaining lodge is Tri-Council Lodge No. 644.

March 7: Bruce Lodge No. 665 at Cedar Rapids voted to consolidate with Mizpah Lodge No. 639. The remaining lodge is Mizpah Lodge No. 639.

June 7: Claypoole Lodge No. 13 at Fort Madison voted to consolidate with Stella Lodge No. 440 at Fort Madison. The remaining lodge is Fort Madison Lodge No. 13.

July 10: Mahaska Lodge No. 336 at New Sharon voted to consolidate with Tri-Council Lodge No. 644 at Oskaloosa. The remaining lodge is Mahaska Lodge No. 644.

EXPULSIONS**2011**

December 5: P.W.S. was expelled from membership in Mosaic Lodge No. 125 at Dubuque under Chapter 4, Section 2(a) Offenses and Trials of the Masonic Code of Iowa.

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January 20: F.E.E. was expelled from membership in Excelsior Lodge No. 259 at Council Bluffs under Chapter 4, Section 2(a), Offenses and Trials of the Masonic Code of Iowa.

April 14: R.L.J.Jr. was expelled from membership in Waterloo Lodge No. 105 at Waterloo following a Masonic Trial under Chapter 15, Section 2(b), Offenses and Trials of the Masonic Code of Iowa.

June 25: T.D.J. Jr. was expelled from membership in Clermont Lodge No. 160 at Clermont under Chapter 4, Section 2(a), Offenses and Trials of the Masonic Code of Iowa.

June 25: D.W.L. was expelled from membership in Mecca Lodge No. 523 at Central City under Chapter 4, Section 2(a), Offenses and Trials of the Masonic Code of Iowa.

August 13: S.F.D. was expelled from membership in Kingston Lodge No. 676 at Cedar Rapids under Chapter 4, Section 2(a), Offenses and Trials of the Masonic Code of Iowa.

SUSPENSIONS U.M.C.**2012**

June 11: M.J.C. was suspended from membership in Hamilton Lodge No. 664 at Bettendorf and Snow Lodge No. 44 at Le Claire for a period of not less than a year under Chapter 2, Section 5.a and Chapter 2, Section 5.b(2), Offenses and Trials of the Masonic Code of Iowa.

GRAND MASTER'S AREA MEETINGS

There were twelve Grand Master Area Meetings held across the state. The Grand Master was most ably assisted by members of the Lodge Service Committee, Worshipful Brother George Harrison, Brother John Klaus, Brother William Paisley and other members of the Committee on Masonic Youth and the Order of DeMolay. We were most heartily welcomed by each and every Lodge and each and every Brother. The theme for the meetings was "Masonry and the Military, Hand in Hand Since 1776 – Saluting Those Who Serve". The Lodge Service Committee members reminded the brethren of their obligation toward our Masonic Widows who had so faithfully supported their husbands and by that act, Masonry. The importance of having an event during the year to recognize the selfless contributions made, in the background, by these wonderful women was stressed. To send a small gift at the Holidays was also suggested. To forget them would be a violation of our obligations. "Leaving a Legacy" the value of recording, examining, and passing on the history of our lodges was covered in an outstanding presentation prepared by Brother Klaus. His PowerPoint presentation chronicled the contributions of Brother Dr. Amos Witter during the Civil War. Every Lodge has its Heroes and we owe it to those who come after us to pass on this incredible history. Worshipful Brother George Harrison followed with a brief synopsis of the Masonic Symbolism Course which was going to be added to the Academy of Knowledge. Brother George did a fantastic job of taking an idea and turning it into something real. His efforts were very much appreciated by this Grand Master. Next we encouraged the Brethren to continue their support of our Masonic youth organizations with a focus on DeMolay. DeMolay International is continuing its work on The Kingdom of DeMolay, its effort to attract youth to the Order. Lastly, the Grand Master outlined his program of support for our veterans, those who are currently serving, their families, and our wounded military and their families. Masons are charitable in nature and there is no group which deserves our help more. Masonry has a strong connection with the military and has had that connection since the time of the Revolutionary War. The Brethren were encouraged to contribute through the purchase of Grand Master pins and the Mason Jars in each of the Lodges. The Grand Master recognized those who have served by presenting those Brethren with branch specific patches denoting them as Iowa Masonic Veterans. The Grand Master shook each Brother's hand and thanked them for their service.

2011

October

- 17 Camanche – Grand Master's Area Meeting hosted by Camanche Lodge No. 60 (51)
- 18 Mount Pleasant – Grand Master's Area Meeting hosted by Mt. Pleasant Lodge No. 8
- 19 Jefferson – Grand Master's Area Meeting hosted by Morning Star Lodge No. 159 (11)
- 20 Webster City – Grand Master's Area Meeting hosted by Acacia Lodge No. 176 (23)
- 25 Des Moines – Grand Master's Area Meeting hosted by Acanthus Lodge No. 632 (70)
- 26 Pella – Grand Master's Area Meeting hosted by Pella Lodge No. 55 (21)
- 28 Dubuque – Grand Master's Area Meeting hosted by Metropolitan Lodge No. 49 (15)
- 31 Marne – Grand Master's Area Meeting hosted by Grove Lodge No. 492 (33)

November

- 1 Grundy Center – Grand Master's Area Meeting hosted by Emerald Lodge No. 334 (27)
- 2 Sloan – Grand Master's Area Meeting hosted by Attica Lodge No. 502 (18)
- 8 Jesup – Grand Master's Area Meeting hosted by Siloam Lodge No. 222 (18)
- 16 Laurens – Grand Master's Area Meeting hosted by Grace Lodge No. 519 (27)

REDEDICATION CEREMONIES**2011**

October 29: Clinton – The Grand Lodge Officers performed a Rededication Ceremony for the 50th Anniversary of the Clinton Masonic Center.

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June 5: Red Oak – The Grand Lodge Officers performed a Rededication Ceremony for the 150th Anniversary of Red Oak Lodge No. 162.

TABLE LODGES**2012**

March 23: Waterloo – I attended Ladies at the Table hosted by Martin Lodge No. 624. A great meal was served followed by a Fifty-Year Certificate presentation to Brother Mathew Kuhn. I also brought greetings on behalf of the Grand Lodge.

April 19: Arnolds Park – I attended Ladies at the Table Hosted by Twilight Lodge No. 329. After a prime rib dinner, members of Twilight Lodge held their annual auction. The Lodge donated the proceeds from the auction to the Grand Master's program. For the entertainment I was inducted into the Iowa Navy with the rank of Rear Admiral and presented a certificate of membership and I was presented a "White Hat" as the proper uniform. I was asked to offer a toast to our veterans which I was honored to do. I also presented veterans patches to those veterans in attendance.

June 25: I attended a Table Lodge hosted by Landmark Lodge No. 103. A smoked brisket dinner was prepared by Worshipful Brother John Riedesel, Lodge Secretary. I was asked to give a response to the toast to the Grand Master and the Grand Lodge. I brought greetings to the brethren present from the Grand Lodge of Iowa and presented Landmark Lodge No. 103 a portrait to be hung in the Lodge.

COMMITTEE AND OTHER MEETINGS ATTENDED**2011**

November 14: Cedar Rapids – Attended a meeting of the Trustees of the Grand Lodge of Iowa.

November 14: Cedar Rapids – Attended the annual meeting of the Iowa Masonic Library Association.

January 11: West Des Moines – Attended a meeting with the Committee for the Leadership Symposium to be held in Des Moines on June 25, 2011.

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May 11: Urbandale – Attended a meeting of the Trustees of the Masonic Charitable Educational Corporation.

May 11: Urbandale – Attended a meeting of the Trustees of the Scholarship Endowment Fund.

May 12: Des Moines – Attended a meeting of the Iowa DeMolay Foundation.

May 12: Des Moines – Attended a meeting of the Jurisprudence Committee.

May 12: Des Moines – Chaired a meeting of the Nominating Committee.

May 17: Des Moines – Attended a meeting of the Trustees of the Grand Lodge of Iowa.

June 13: Sioux City – Attended a meeting of the Lodge Service Committee.

July 10: Cedar Rapids – Attended a meeting of the Trustees of the Grand Lodge of Iowa.

September 19: Waterloo – Attended a meeting of the Trustees of the Grand Lodge of Iowa.

September 19: Waterloo – Attended a meeting of the Pension Administrators.

MASONIC DEGREES**2011**

- October 7:** Missouri Valley – A Grand Lodge reception and Third Degree was hosted by Valley Lodge No. 232. The Grand Lodge Officers conferred the second section of the Third Degree on Brothers Brett Winchester and Jeremy Bertleson respectively.
- October 24:** Prairie City – The Annual Grand Lodge reception and Third Degree was hosted by the South Central MI-DL Club at Preston Lodge No. 218. The Grand Lodge Officers conferred the Second Section on Brother David Bell, a courtesy candidate from King David Lodge No. 407 at Altoona.
- November 10:** Newton – The annual Past Master's Night and Grand Lodge reception and Third Degree hosted by Newton Lodge No. 59. The Grand Lodge Officers conferred the Second Section on Brother James Heuer, a courtesy candidate from King David Lodge No. 47 at Altoona.

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- January 21:** Mason City – Grand Master's One-Day Class hosted by Harding Lodge No. 649, Benevolence Lodge No. 145, and Travelers Lodge No. 679. Twenty three brothers representing ten lodges were Raised to the Sublime Degree of a Master Mason. The Grand Lodge Officers conferred the Second Section of the Third Degree.
- February 27:** Sloan – A Grand Lodge reception and Third Degree was hosted by Attica Lodge No. 502. The Grand Lodge Officers conferred the Second Section on Brother Nicholas Hunt, a fifth generation Mason in Attica Lodge.
- April 10:** Carroll – A Grand Lodge reception and Third Degree was hosted by Signet Lodge No. 264. The Grand Lodge Officers conferred the Second Section on Brother Joshua Smouse.
- May 3:** Newton – A Grand Lodge reception and Third Degree was hosted by Newton Lodge No. 59. The Grand Lodge Officers conferred the Second Section on Brother James Klier Jr. What made it special is that his father was Raised a week later.
- May 17:** Des Moines – A Grand Lodge reception and Third Degree was hosted by South Gate Lodge No. 657. The Grand Lodge Officers conferred the Second Section on Brother Stuart Green.
- May 24:** Windsor Heights – A Grand Lodge reception and Third Degree was hosted by Waveland Park Lodge NO. 654. The Grand Lodge Officers conferred the Second Section on Brother Andrew Cooper with both his father and his grandfather who came from Texas present.
- July 27:** Oxford – Canopy Lodge No. 290 hosted Hiram in the Hill at F. W. Kent Park. The Grand Lodge Officers conferred the Second Section of the Third Degree on Brother Donald Etter, a courtesy candidate for Mount Hermon Lodge No. 263 at Cedar Rapids.
- August 3:** Iowa City – Grand Master's One-Day Class hosted by Iowa City Lodge No. 4, Farmers Lodge No. 168, and Kingston Lodge No. 676. Twenty brothers from twelve lodges were Raised to the Sublime Degree of a Master Mason. The Grand Lodge Officers conferred the Second Section of the Third Degree.
- August 25:** Mount Pleasant – Mount Pleasant Lodge No. 8 hosted a Grand Lodge reception and Third Degree at their annual Old Threshers Third Degree. The Grand Lodge Officers conferred the second section of the Third Degree on Brother Brian Phipps.

INFORMAL VISITS**2011**

- September 20:** Sioux City – Attended a Third Degree at Morningside Lodge No. 615.
- October 7:** Sioux City – Attended Stated Communication of Tyrian Lodge No. 508.
- October 10:** Sioux City – Attend of Landmark Lodge No. 103.
- December 5:** Sioux City – Attended Landmark Lodge No. 103.
- December 12:** Sioux City – Attended Landmark Lodge No. 103.

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- January 11:** Cherokee – Attended Second Degree hosted by Speculative Lodge No. 307.

February 8: Cherokee – Attended Third Degree hosted by Speculative Lodge No. 307.

February 13: Sioux City – Attended Landmark Lodge No. 103.

March 5: Sioux City – I conferred the Second Section of the Third Degree at Landmark Lodge No. 103.

April 2: Sioux City – Attend Landmark Lodge No. 103.

August 13: Sioux City – Attended Landmark Lodge No. 103.

GRAND LODGE OFFICER RECEPTIONS

2011

October 8: Sioux City – A Grand Lodge reception for Grand Master Jerry L. Levay hosted by Landmark Lodge No. 103 and Twilight Lodge No. 329.

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March 3: Clarinda – A Grand Lodge reception for Junior Grand Warden John D. Pierce hosted by Nodaway Lodge No. 140.

March 17: Mason City – A Grand Lodge reception for Junior Grand Steward Jeremy J. Myers hosted by Harding Lodge No. 649 and Travelers Lodge No. 679.

March 24: Waterloo – A Grand Lodge reception for Senior Grand Steward Kevin A. Nelson hosted by Waterloo Lodge No. 105.

March 31: Sioux City – A joint Grand Lodge reception for Senior Grand Warden Jon D. Wagoner and Grand Tyler Wendell B. Borland hosted by Landmark Lodge No. 103 and Trial Lodge No. 532.

April 21: Bettendorf – A Grand Lodge reception for Grand Chaplain Jon M. Gimmy hosted by Early Morning Lodge No. 672 and Hamilton Lodge No. 664.

June 9: Des Moines – A joint Grand Lodge reception for Deputy Grand Master Michael W. Fletcher, Grand Treasurer Shane A. Harshbarger, Grand Marshal Brian D. Pappaducas, and Senior Grand Deacon W. Charles Smithson hosted by Evening Star Lodge No. 43, Adel Lodge No. 80, Malta Lodge No. 318, Acanthus Lodge No. 632, and Specials Procer Lodge No. 678.

June 23: Creston – A Grand Lodge reception for Junior Grand Warden Richard L. Martin hosted by Crest City Lodge No. 522 and Crusade Lodge No. 386.

GRAND MASTER'S EMERGENCY FUND

2011

September 26: In response to a request from the Masonic Service Association for financial assistance for brethren affected by Hurricane Irene and Tropical Storm Lee, I directed the Grand Secretary to forward \$1,000 to the Disaster Relief Fund to assist the Grand Lodge of Pennsylvania in helping devastated brethren and their families.

2012

March 22: In response to a request from the Masonic Service Association for financial assistance for brethren affected by an outbreak of tornadoes, I directed the Grand Secretary to forward \$1,000 to the Disaster Relief Fund to assist the Grand Lodge of Kentucky in helping devastated brethren and their families.

September 17: I directed to the Grand Secretary to prepare a check for \$10,000 to be presented at Grand Lodge to the family of Taylor Morris to assist in his recovery from serious injuries received while serving in Afghanistan.

VISITS TO OTHER JURISDICTIONS

2012

January 8: South Sioux City, Nebraska – Attended the Installation of Officers of Omadi Lodge No. 5.

February 2-3: Kearney, Nebraska – Attended the 153rd Annual Communication of the Grand Lodge of Nebraska.

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- March 15-17:** Salina, Kansas – I attended the 156th Annual Communication of the Grand Lodge of Kansas.
- April 12-14:** Brooklyn Center, Minnesota – Attended the 158th Annual Communication of the Grand Lodge of Minnesota.
- April 24-26:** Charleston, South Carolina – Attended the 275th Annual Communication of the Grand Lodge of South Carolina.
- July 12:** Bettendorf – Attended the 125th Annual Communication of the Most Worshipful Prince Hall Grand Lodge of Iowa, F. & A.M. and Jurisdiction, Inc.

VISITS TO OTHER MASONIC AND/OR MASONIC RELATED BODIES**2011**

- September 24:** Cedar Rapids – Attended a joint reception for Richard L. Bowersox, Grand Master of the Grand Council; and Billy Joe Hildreth, Grand High Priest, Grand Chapter Royal Arch Masons.
- October 5:** Sioux City – Spoke at the Sioux City High Twelve Club.
- October 29:** Bettendorf – The Grand Lodge Officers visited the Iowa Masonic Health Facility and toured the facility. I brought greetings on behalf of the Grand Lodge of Iowa. A delicious brunch was served.
- November 4-5:** Sioux City – Attended the Scottish Rite Reunion.
- November 11-12:** Sioux City – Attended the Scottish Rite Reunion.
- November 15:** I attended a reception hosted by Abu Bekr Shrine where I was presented with a Grand Master's Fez by Potentate Michael Burnham.
- December 4:** I was installing Marshal for the Installation of Officers for Twilight Lodge No. 329. I was also installed as Marshal of Twilight Lodge No. 329.

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- January 5:** Sioux City – I installed the officers of Tyrian Lodge No. 508.
- January 7:** Sioux City – I was Installing Marshal at the installation of officers for Landmark Lodge No. 103.
- March 4:** Des Moines: Sue and I attended a joint brunch with the Officers and Companions of the Order of the Eastern Star.
- March 9-10:** Sioux City – Attended the Scottish Rite Reunion.
- April 4:** Sioux City – I was speaker at the Extinguishing of the Lights Ceremony at the Sioux City Scottish Rite.
- April 8:** Sioux City – Attended the Relighting of the Lights Ceremony.
- May 12:** Des Moines – Represented Grand Lodge of Iowa at the Annual DeMolay Foundation Meeting.
- May 12:** Des Moines – Attended the Grand Master's DeMolay Class.
- June 1-2:** Ames – Attended the Annual Conclave, Grand Commandery, Knights Templar of Iowa.
- June 9:** - Perry – The Grand Lodge Officers visited the Herman L. Rowley Memorial Home, and enjoyed a wonderful brunch.
- August 9:** Cedar Rapids – Legion of Honor Banquet at the Central States Shrine Association meeting.

PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVES**2011**

- October 6:** Davenport – Deputy Grand Master Michael W. Fletcher represented me at the Grand Court of Amaranth. He brought greetings from the Grand Master and the Grand Lodge of Iowa.

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- January 21:** Mason City – Jack L. Butler, P.G.M., represented me at the Grand Master's One-Day Class due to a last minute work emergency.
- May 7:** Grundy Center – Due to my illness, Grand Secretary William R. Crawford represented me at Emerald Lodge No. 334 for their annual Teacher of the Year Presentation.

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June 1-2: Madison, Wisconsin – I appointed Jack L. Butler, P.G.M., to represent me and carry greetings from the Grand Lodge of Iowa to the Annual Communication of the Grand Lodge of Wisconsin.

CONFERENCE OF GRAND MASTERS OF NORTH AMERICA**2012**

February 17-22: Atlanta, Georgia – I attended the 2012 Conference of Grand Masters of North America.

MIDWEST CONFERENCE OF MASONIC GRAND LODGES**2012**

August 17-19: Grand Rapids, MI – I attended the Midwest Conference of Masonic Grand Lodges, and gave the jurisdictional report for Iowa.

MIDWEST CONFERENCE ON MASONIC EDUCATION**2012**

April 27-29: Toledo, Ohio – I attended the 63rd Annual Midwest Conference on Masonic Education.

IOWA CONFERENCE ON MASONIC EDUCATION**2012**

February 11: Cedar Rapids – The Grand Lodge of Iowa, Iowa Masonic Library Association, and Masonic Charitable Educational Corporation hosted the Iowa Conference on Masonic Education. The Speakers for the Conference were author and Brother Clifford Porter from Colorado; Brother Chad Simpson, Director of Education Development for the Grand Lodge of Ohio; Worshipful Brother George Harrison, Secretary/Registrar of the Sioux City Scottish Rite Bodies; Brother Ryan Broderson from Signet Lodge No. 264; Worshipful Brother Jons Olsson; Woody's Smoke Shack from Des Moines Catered the event. It was another great day at the Iowa Masonic Library. The brothers in attendance commented positively about the event.

FOURTH ANNUAL LEADERSHIP SYMPOSIUM**2012**

June 25: Des Moines – The Fourth Annual Leadership Symposium was held in Des Moines at the Des Moines Scottish Rite Center. It was again sponsored by the Masonic Charitable Education Corporation and the Iowa Scottish Rite Masonic Foundation. Registration started at 8:00 A.M. and the conference kicked off at 9:00 A.M. This years speakers were Robert Davis, Secretary of the Guthrie Oklahoma Scottish Rite Valley, S. Brent Morris, Editor of the Scottish Rite Journal, Christopher L. Hodapp, Author of Freemasonry for Dummies, and Thomas L. Wilkerson, Major General, USMC (Ret). Each speaker gave an excellent presentation and each fielded a number of questions from the brethren present. After the speakers the Lodge Service Committee gave a presentation from the Wardens Handbook. The Des Moines Scottish Rite put on a fantastic lunch for the attendees. Our hats are off to R.W. Brother Shane Harshbarger and his crew for all they did to host the symposium.

MISCELLANEOUS**2011**

September 26: Monticello – The Grand Lodge Officers and Ladies along with members of DeMolay, Grand Chapter, Grand Council, and Grand Commandery volunteered at the Camp Courageous pancake breakfast.

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March 4: Johnston – Answered telephones at Iowa Public Television's annual FESTIVAL.
March 23: Waterloo – Meeting with hotel on Grand Lodge 2012.

July 14: Creston – Funeral service for Cheryl Bird, lady of Junior Grand Warden Richard L. Martin.

July 27: Iowa City – Planning meeting for the 2012 Grand Lodge session.

RECOMMENDATION

As Grand Master it has been my sad duty to Expel two members and Suspend one other who have committed crimes outside of the state of Iowa. In days gone by a new petitioner and his history would be known to several members of a lodge. Even so the investigating committee would meet with him and his family, may speak with employers, and check with law enforcement. Today we have become, it seems, more concerned with quantity rather than quality. We are also much more mobile than in days past. New petitioners come to us with histories unknown to the members of the lodges they petition. Also, we have become much more lax in our investigations. As a result we allow men with backgrounds unbecoming a good Mason. I therefore recommend, the Grand Lodge of Iowa require each new petitioner to supply with his petition a criminal background check. In this way a Lodge will have a more accurate picture of a petitioner's history which would not normally be available to the Lodge.

APPRECIATION

To my Officers, the best bunch of guys I have ever had the pleasure to meet, words can't express what serving with you has meant to me. When we started I wondered how this family would compare to the other families I have had the honor to have served with. I can tell you there is no comparison. Each Grand Master thinks his family is the best and they are entitled to their opinions but, ***you guys are the best and always will be in my book!*** Thank you so much for a great year.

To the members of the Grand Lodge of Iowa, and each and every Brother of each and every Lodge, I can never repay you for the honor you have bestowed on me. To my friend and Brother Henry Schurr, who laid down his working tools this last year, who coached me through my posting lectures as a new Mason, who worked with me every Sunday afternoon to prepare for the Masonic Instructor exam that put me on a path that resulted in this honor. I am forever in your debt. Hank. I miss you immensely.

To Rainbow and DeMolay for all of your help and support this past year, you are all extraordinary young people and I am pleased to have had a chance to work with you.

To those Past Grand Masters who provided support and guidance this past year, the knowledge and wisdom you shared was invaluable.

To the members of the Commandery, your presence at Cornerstone Ceremonies has added to the pageantry of the ceremony and I am

indebted to you for the miles driven and the time contributed. Thank you Brethren.

To all of you Brethren who came up to me to shake my hand or tell me your name or give your advice, there is nothing in this world more precious to me than my Masonic Brethren. I am proud to call each and every one you Brother.

To my best and most loyal friend on this earth, who puts up with me forgetting to introduce her, who has tolerated me for twenty six years, who has supported me in all my Masonic activities even though they cause her to be alone so often, Sue I Love You more than I can express! I can never repay you for all you do for me, but I'm going to try.

Finally, to those who suffered the freezing winter at Valley Forge, who defended the flag at Fort McHenry, who hallowed the ground at Gettysburg, who went down with the Maine, who went "Over There", who marched in Bataan, were shipmates on the Indianapolis or the Juneau, who lived the Longest Day or spent the winter in Bastogne or at the Chosin Reservoir, who climbed Hill 937 in the A Shau Valley or flew Downtown, who trudged through the sands in Kuwait, or cleared structures in Sadr City, or rode in a convoy in the Kandahar Province, and to all the others like them who have "worn the uniform" --- Thank You For Your Service And Devotion To Our Country.

Remember——

"It is the soldier, not the reporter, Who has given us freedom of the press.

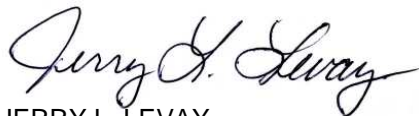
It is the soldier, not the poet, Who has given us freedom of speech.

It is the soldier, not the campus organizer, Who has given us the freedom to demonstrate.

It is the soldier, Who salutes the flag, Who serves beneath the flag, and whose coffin is draped by the flag, who allows the protestor to burn the flag."

- Father Denis Edward O'Brien

Respectfully and Fraternaly Submitted,



JERRY L. LEVAY

Grand Master of Masons in Iowa



REFERRED

The Deputy Grand Master referred the Grand Master’s Report to the Committee on Division and Reference.

DOCUMENTS PRESENTED AND REFERRED

Grand Secretary William R. Crawford asked for Unanimous Consent to waive the reading of the proposed amendments to the Code, and it was received. Under the law, the amendments were referred to the Jurisprudence Committee.

**REPORT OF THE GRAND TREASURER
2011-12**

Grand Treasurer Shane A. Harshbarger presented the report of the financial transactions of the Grand Lodge during the past year. Under the law, the report was referred to the Committee on Finance.

To the Grand Lodge of Iowa:

**STATEMENT OF CASH RECEIPTS
(Grand Lodge Only)
Year ended July 31, 2012**

GRAND LODGE DUES AND FEES:

Dues for Herman L. Rowley Memorial Fund		\$ 15,988
Dues for Grand Charity Funds:		
Iowa Masonic Nursing Home	\$ 10,393	
Field Financial Aid	<u>2,398</u>	12,791
Dues and fees for general fund		530,551
Dues for Iowa Masonic Library Association		16
Dues and fees for Iowa Masonic Library Building Trust Fund		6,439
Dues for Iowa DeMolay Foundation		2,380
Fees for George Washington Masonic Memorial Fund		<u>2,930</u>
Total cash received for Grand Lodge		
Dues and Fees during the Year		<u>571,095</u>

MISCELLANEOUS RECEIPTS:

General Fund:		
Investment Income and (losses)	9,126	
Sales of forms, books, etc.	4,646	
Miscellaneous	<u>51,529</u>	
Total General Fund		65,301
Grand Master’s Emergency Fund		
Investment income and (losses)		954
Entertainment Fund		
Interest	5	
Sales of banquet and meal tickets	20,535	
Miscellaneous	<u>6,843</u>	
		27,383
Building Fund:		
Investment income and (losses)	18,211	
Linn County Medical Society Rental	9,075	

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Linn County Genealogical Rental	6,960	
Disaster Benefits	<u>125,430</u>	
Total Building Fund		159,676
Iowa Masonic Library Building Trust Fund		
Major Capital Improvement Fund		6,617
Video Fund		
Investment income and (losses)		94
Todd Memorial Fund:		
Investment income and (losses)		546
Swab Memorial Fund:		
Investment income and gains		349,082
Donations		<u>23,564</u>
Total Miscellaneous Receipts		<u>\$ 633,217</u>
TOTAL CASH RECEIPTS		<u>\$1,204,312</u>

STATEMENT OF CASH DISBURSEMENTS**(Grand Lodge Only)****Year Ended July 31, 2012**

	Appropriation	YTD Totals	Balance
1. Grand Master's Office			
Contingent Fund	\$ 19,000	\$ 19,000	\$ 0
Grand Master's Conference:			
Membership	\$ 200	\$ 200	\$ 0
Registration	\$ 400	\$ 300	\$ 100
Representatives Expenses	\$ 5,000	\$ 4,992	\$ 8
Grand Master's Newsletter	\$ 15,000	\$ 11,280	\$ 3,720
Master Builder Award	\$ 1,000	\$ 990	\$ 10
Grand Master's Letter to Worshipful Masters	\$ 300	\$ 0	\$ 300
Special Representatives	<u>\$ 1,000</u>	<u>\$ 138</u>	<u>\$ 862</u>
Total for Grand Master's Office	\$ 41,900	\$ 36,900	\$ 5,000
2. Grand Secretary's Office			
Salaries	\$ 154,000	\$ 152,010	\$ 1,990
Printing, Telephone, Postage, etc.	\$ 24,000	\$ 23,863	\$ 137
Office Supplies, Equipment and Miscellaneous	\$ 14,000	\$ 13,598	\$ 402
Traveling	\$ 10,000	\$ 8,204	\$ 1,796
Computer Operations and Supplies	\$ 15,000	\$ 14,332	\$ 668
Identification Cards (Dues Receipts)	\$ 8,000	\$ 7,423	\$ 577
List-Iowa Lodges & List-Officers & Committeemen	\$ 1,600	\$ 1,208	\$ 392
Lodge Secretaries' Conference	\$ 1,700	\$ 1,646	\$ 54
Cedar Rapids Convention & Visitors Bureau	\$ 175	\$ 165	\$ 10
Certified Public Accountants	\$ 11,500	\$ 9,932	\$ 1,568
Maintaining Membership File Addresses	\$ 750	\$ 750	\$ 0
Safekeeping Fee	\$ 50	\$ 0	\$ 50
Grand Secretaries' Conference:			
Membership	\$ 120	\$ 0	\$ 120
Representative Expenses	<u>\$ 2,000</u>	<u>\$ 2,000</u>	<u>\$ 0</u>
Total for Grand Secretary's Office	\$ 242,895	\$ 235,131	\$ 7,764
3. Grand Lodge Library			
Salaries	\$ 38,000	\$ 37,755	\$ 245
Books, Bindings, and Subscriptions	\$ 3,700	\$ 3,618	\$ 82
Supplies and Equipment	\$ 2,200	\$ 2,030	\$ 170
Attend Masonic Library & Museum Association	<u>\$ 700</u>	<u>\$ 660</u>	<u>\$ 40</u>
Total for Grand Lodge Library	\$ 44,600	\$ 44,063	\$ 537

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4. Grand Lodge Bulletin			
Bulletin Expense	\$ 15,000	\$ 11,304	\$ 3,696
Total for Grand Lodge Bulletin	\$ 15,000	\$ 11,304	\$ 3,696
5. Lodge Service Committee			
Salary of Executive Director	\$ 19,000	\$ 18,660	\$ 340
Expenses	\$ 13,000	\$ 12,983	\$ 17
Leadership Training and Lodge Development	\$ 2,000	\$ 961	\$ 1,039
Ashlar Awards	\$ 1,000	\$ 991	\$ 9
Midwest Conference for Masonic Education	<u>\$ 2,500</u>	<u>\$ 2,220</u>	<u>\$ 280</u>
Total for Lodge Service Committee	\$ 37,500	\$ 35,815	\$ 1,685
6. Instruction			
Custodians' Operating Fund	\$ 10,000	\$ 9,606	\$ 394
District Lecturers	<u>\$ 500</u>	<u>\$ 0</u>	<u>\$ 500</u>
Total for Instruction	\$ 10,500	\$ 9,606	\$ 894
7. Grand Lodge Communication			
Printing Proceedings	\$ 6,400	\$ 6,400	\$ 0
Preliminary Expense (2012 @ Waterloo)	\$ 1,800	\$ 1,090	\$ 710
Sessional Expense (2011 @ Davenport)	\$ 7,000	\$ 6,975	\$ 25
Grand Master's Banquet (2012 @ Waterloo)	\$ 4,700	\$ 4,700	\$ 0
Ladies' Entertainment (2012 @ Waterloo)	\$ 900	\$ 900	\$ 0
Printing Amendments to the Code	\$ 1,000	\$ 993	\$ 7
Agenda and Preprinted Reports	<u>\$ 3,500</u>	<u>\$ 3,429</u>	<u>\$ 71</u>
Total for Grand Lodge Communication	\$ 25,300	\$ 24,487	\$ 813
8. Committee Expenses			
Chairman, Division and Reference	\$ 2,750	\$ 2,716	\$ 34
Committee on Finance	\$ 200	\$ 0	\$ 200
Committee on Grand Lodge Recognition	\$ 100	\$ 100	\$ 0
Committee on Masonic Youth	\$ 250	\$ 0	\$ 250
Committee on Public Relations	\$ 1,250	\$ 1,200	\$ 50
Committee on Public School Support	\$ 1,000	\$ 108	\$ 892
Technology Committee	\$ 1,500	\$ 1,192	\$ 308
Trustee's Operating Fund	\$ 1,000	\$ 582	\$ 418
Fraternal Review	<u>\$ 100</u>	<u>\$ 100</u>	<u>\$ 0</u>
Total for Committee Expenses	\$ 8,150	\$ 5,998	\$ 2,152
9. Insurance Expenses			
Employees' Fidelity Bond	\$ 900	\$ 833	\$ 67
Fiduciary Insurance on Pension Administration	\$ 700	\$ 465	\$ 235
Health Insurance	\$ 45,000	\$ 44,913	\$ 87
Statewide Liability, Fidelity Bond, and Workman's Comp	<u>\$ 34,000</u>	<u>\$ 35,238</u>	<u>\$ (1,238)</u>
Total for Insurance Expense	\$ 80,600	\$ 81,449	\$ (849)
10. Grand Lodge Employee Expense			
Federal Unemployment Tax	\$ 450	\$ 351	\$ 99
Iowa Unemployment Tax	\$ 250	\$ 0	\$ 250
Pension Fund Payments/Contribution	\$ 14,500	\$ 14,226	\$ 274
Pension Record Keeping, Marketing & Admin	\$ 700	\$ 601	\$ 99
Social Security Tax	<u>\$ 18,500</u>	<u>\$ 16,551</u>	<u>\$ 1,949</u>
Total for Grand Lodge Employee Expense	\$ 34,400	\$ 31,729	\$ 2,671
11. Grand Lodge Officer Expense			
Grand Lodge Emergent Communications	\$ 9,000	\$ 5,749	\$ 3,251
Grand Master's Apron	\$ 675	\$ 307	\$ 368
Past Grand Lodge Officers' Jewels	\$ 900	\$ 733	\$ 167

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Past Grand Lodge Officers' Jewels – Refurbish	\$ 1,000	\$ 674	\$ 326
Total for Grand Lodge Officer Expense	\$ 11,575	\$ 7,463	\$ 4,112

12. Other Budgeted Expenses

DeMolay Foundation	\$ 2,500	\$ 2,380	\$ 120
Masonic Relief Association	\$ 300	\$ 262	\$ 38
Masonic Service Association (welfare work)	\$ 3,000	\$ 3,000	\$ 0
Total for Other Budgeted Expenses	\$ 5,800	\$ 5,642	\$ 158

13. Disbursements Under Provisions of Code

Payroll – Grand Lodge Communication			
A – District Lecturers: One-Day School	\$ 2,000	\$ 845	\$ 1,155
B – Grand Lodge Officers	\$ 9,000	\$ 6,651	\$ 2,349
C – Trustees and Committeemen	\$ 4,500	\$ 3,873	\$ 627
D – Representatives of Lodges	\$ 7,500	\$ 6,313	\$ 1,187
Masonic Service Association – Membership	\$ 1,350	\$ 1,302	\$ 48
Total for Disbursements Under Code	\$ 24,350	\$ 18,984	\$ 5,366

14. Inventory

Inventory Replacement: Books, pins, etc.	\$ 1,000	\$ 947	\$ 53
GRAND TOTAL	<u>\$ 583,570</u>	<u>\$ 549,518</u>	<u>\$ 34,052</u>

15. From the Building Fund

Custodial Salaries	\$ 29,000	\$ 28,665	\$ 335
Building Repairs and Improvements	\$ 20,000	\$ 19,217	\$ 783
Building Insurance	\$ 9,000	\$ 8,247	\$ 753
Termite Control	\$ 300	\$ 300	\$ 0
Trash Hauling	\$ 2,000	\$ 1,607	\$ 393
Utilities (Heat, Electricity, Water, Sewer)	\$ 50,000	\$ 37,547	\$ 12,453
Total for Building Fund Disbursements	<u>\$ 110,300</u>	<u>\$ 95,583</u>	<u>\$ 14,717</u>

Other

Entertainment Account, Miscellaneous	\$ 891
Miscellaneous	10
Grand Lodge Meals	15,563
SWAB Bank Charges	189
SWAB Distribution	18,000
Payments of Donations Received	37,558
Distributions per Code	
Herman Rowley Memorial Trust	35,235
George Washington Masonic Memorial	2,930
Other	2,034
Video Fund	396
Grand Lodge Payroll	20,000
Grand Master Emergency Fund Payments	2,000
Grand Master Special Account	10,082
Total for Other Disbursements	<u>\$ 144,888</u>

GRAND TOTAL OF DISBURSEMENTS \$ 789,989

Fraternally submitted,
SHANE A. HARSHBARGER
Grand Treasurer

**REPORT OF THE
GRAND SECRETARY AND GRAND LIBRARIAN**

William R. Crawford presented his report as Grand Secretary and Grand Librarian.

To the Grand Lodge of Iowa:

I invite you to review to the Report of the Grand Secretary and Librarian found beginning on Page 29 of your Book of Preliminary Reports.

There is a pair of items that I would like to share with you.

First, last month while attending the Grand Chapter/Grand Council banquet at Ames, a brother came to our table during the program and wanted to know if I had a petition on me. Of course, I had a pocket petition along with a 10 Reasons card that I gave him. After the program was over the brother came to report that someone had completed a petition and that it will be with Arcadia Lodge No. 249 in Ames.

Brothers, there are good men out there that would like to become Masons. They don't always know how. One of the tools is to carry a pocket petition with you most of the time. Let me ask, "How many of you are carrying one?" Let's see a show of hands. If you need a supply, please go to the Lodge Service Committee table in Room 23 and get some. Be prepared!

The other item is to thank a group of brothers from around the state. I don't know all of your names so won't try to list any. These are the brothers that are sharing information about degree work, activities, etc. through e-mails or other social media, not just with the lodge, but with brothers from neighboring and area lodges. We are seeing that almost without exception, they are helping their own lodge AND helping the other lodges. Be sure and tell these brothers thank you and that their efforts are very much appreciated.

Thank you.



It was a shock on April 30 to receive an e-mail from the Chairman of the Trustees stating: "The Trustees of the Grand Lodge of Iowa have decided to submit the name of Thomas P. Youngblut of Jesup to be placed on the ballot at the 2012 Grand Lodge Annual Communication for the position of Grand Secretary." This came out of the blue and like a lightning bolt, and was disappointing to say the least. A big thank you goes to all who have shown support since that time.

Like Dickens wrote in "A Tale of Two Cities" it has been the best of times and it has been the worst of times when looking at the lodges that constitute Iowa Masonry. There is a long list of lodges that are doing well and very well. At the same time, five lodges have closed through consolidation and at least one more is in the process. The future for a few

more is questionable. The good news is that two new lodges have been instituted this spring. They are Woodrow Morris Lodge U.D. and Albert Pike Lodge U.D. located in North Liberty and Cedar Rapids respectively. If someone has interest in forming a new lodge, please contact the Grand Secretary's Office for information and assistance.

Many lodges are having degree work, some with a lot of petitions to work their way through, and yet there is a shortage of brothers who can or are able to assist in degree conferrals. There is a need for brothers to learn parts in the ritual, and a need for brothers to be willing to help teach those who want to learn parts. There is an on-going need for brothers to become Masonic Instructors to replace those brothers who have passed away. There is a need for brothers that are willing to befriend neighboring lodges that are struggling. A friend can make all the difference in fanning the spark of Masonry.

There are several brothers across the state making positive differences with their willingness to communicate with area brothers informing them of meetings, degree work, and activities. These e-mails are helping all of the lodges in those areas. They have led to more brothers meeting, traveling, and assisting one another. Thank you for your efforts. They are appreciated.

The Grand Secretary's Office continues to receive e-mails and contacts from men who are interested in seeking Masonic Light. Thanks to the local brothers that are willing to follow up with these leads.

Iowa Masonry is a bottom up organization with the Craft having the power to control our future. Lodges have a variety of personalities, which leads to strength from sharing ideas and programs. It is a true strength that brothers are willing to bring forth and share ideas.

Possibly because of the deadline date change last year, there has been a spike in the number of suspensions for non-payment of dues. Brothers, it often does take personal contact to keep a brother as a member of the Fraternity. If a lodge does not give its members a sense of "what am I missing if I am not there" it is more likely to lose members. What "it" is varies from lodge to lodge, but is needed for a successful lodge.

I attended the North American Conference of Grand Secretaries at Atlanta, Georgia in February, and was Chaplain. I have been honored by being again elected as the Chaplain for the 2013 Conference at Kansas City. The Conference is an educational conference for the Grand Secretaries and I found the most valuable program this year was information on the I.R.S. and its reporting requirements.

The Library and Museums and Administrative Office are very fortunate to have volunteers who assist with a variety of projects. We lost a good brother, friend, and dedicated volunteer when Brother Norman Hammond passed away on January 10. Florence Jacobs and Connie Shears continue to help with a variety of projects. Janet Zahrt helps in the Library

organizing collections. Thanks to Paul Nielsen, Steve Nielsen, and Dennis Zahrt, P.G.M., for their work in restoring items. The work of these and the other volunteers is very much appreciated.

Grand Master Jerry L. Levay has a dual connected theme of "Masonry in the Military" and "Supporting those who Serve," reminding us of the connection between Masonry and the military that goes back to before the American Revolution. His effort to assist wounded soldiers has been well received and will help veterans who have suffered severe injuries while serving our country.

Iowa Masons are fortunate to have a dedicated and hard-working staff. No other Grand Lodge has a better staff!

Deputy Grand Secretary Tim S. Anderson continues to work long hours on behalf of the Masonic Family, sharing his love for the Fraternity with lodges and the appendant bodies. His work with lodges has helped several regain their health. His background is very helpful in taking care of the building.

Karen Davies is the bookkeeper, administrative assistant, and scholarship program coordinator as well as the friendly voice that you usually hear when calling the office. She loves assisting lodges in promoting their events.

Ivette Radziunas handles membership records and related information, and has become well-known to the lodge secretaries as she works with them and answers their questions. She has developed a network of her counterparts in many of the Grand Jurisdictions which is expediting membership related requests.

Assistant Librarian Bill Kreuger is recognized as an authority on many library topics including disaster preparedness and often is contacted for advice. He represents the Iowa Masonic Library and Museums in various capacities across the state and even the region. You are encouraged to read the Grand Librarian's report that he prepared at my request.

Tim Hoppes is the Custodian/Maintenance person, and continues to keep the building and grounds looking great! The rose garden continues to be an example of his green thumb. Tim is active in the Salvation Army, and its charitable work in the community.

There is always a long list of persons to thank for the work and commitment to Iowa Masonry. First of all, thank you to Grand Master Jerry L. Levay and his lady Sue as they lead Iowa Masonry this year. The 2011-12 Grand Lodge Family represents Iowa Masonry well while traveling across the state.

Thanks to all who submitted stories and pictures for the Grand Lodge Bulletin. Thank you to LuCinda Friess and Marsha Miller, Administrators of the Perry and Bettendorf Homes respectively, for their cooperation. Thanks to the Custodians of the Work for their work in sharing and teaching the ritual. Thank you to the brothers that serve on the standing boards and committees for their efforts. Thanks to all who support and to

help to build the Masonic Family. Again, a big thank you goes to the volunteers who have assisted at the Iowa Masonic Library and Museums for all the wonderful work that you do. Thank you to the lodge secretaries for their efforts, and for providing information on a timely basis.

A very special thank you goes to my wife Elaine for her love, support, and assistance throughout the year.

DEGREE STATISTICS/MEMBERSHIP

Gains for 2011 included 577 Raisings, Affiliations of 344, and Restorations of 229; or total increases of 1,150. Losses included 913 deaths, 398 Demissions and Plural Terminations, 711 Suspensions for Non-Payment of Dues, and 7 Withdrawals and Expulsions; or total decreases of 2,029. This activity resulted in a net loss of 879 members leaving a membership of 20,844.

PETITIONS FOR THE DEGREES

Reported were 626 petitions in 2011, with 6 rejections.

CONSOLIDATIONS

There have been five consolidations during the 2011-12 Grand Lodge year involving 240 members. A complete list appears in the Grand Master's Report.

LODGE INITIATION FEES

124 Lodges	\$ 50	1 Lodge	\$ 90
1 Lodge	\$ 51	40 Lodges.....	\$ 100
1 Lodge.....	\$ 52	1 Lodge	\$ 110
3 Lodges	\$ 55	2 Lodges	\$ 115
19 Lodges	\$ 60	1 Lodge	\$ 120
1 Lodge.....	\$ 61	2 Lodges.....	\$ 125
15 Lodges	\$ 65	8 Lodges.....	\$ 150
3 Lodges	\$ 70	1 Lodge	\$ 175
45 Lodges	\$ 75	1 Lodge	\$ 200
5 Lodges	\$ 80	1 Lodge	\$ 225
2 Lodges	\$ 85		

The average initiation fee charged by Iowa lodges in 2011 was \$70.03, an average increase of \$1.44.

LODGE DUES

5 Lodges	\$ 39	1 Lodge	\$ 69
16 Lodges	\$ 40	21 Lodges	\$ 70
1 Lodge.....	\$ 41	1 Lodge	\$ 72.50
1 Lodge.....	\$ 42	24 Lodges	\$ 75
1 Lodge.....	\$ 44	16 Lodges	\$ 80

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15 Lodges	\$ 45	4 Lodges	\$ 85
2 Lodges	\$ 47	5 Lodges	\$ 90
47 Lodges	\$ 50	1 Lodge	\$ 92
3 Lodges	\$ 52	1 Lodge	\$ 95
1 Lodge	\$ 52.50	6 Lodges	\$ 100
2 Lodges	\$ 54	6 Lodges	\$ 105
27 Lodges	\$ 55	4 Lodges	\$ 115
32 Lodges	\$ 60	1 Lodge	\$ 130
31 Lodges	\$ 65	1 Lodge	\$ 135
1 Lodge	\$ 68		

The average annual dues for 2011 were \$63.22 an average increase of \$4.96.

**TEN LARGEST LODGES IN THE STATE
(AS OF 12/31/2011)**

Acanthus Lodge No. 632	Des Moines	412 Members
East Gate Lodge No. 630	Des Moines	320 Members
Morningside Lodge No. 615	Sioux City	276 Members
Home Lodge No. 370	Pleasant Hill	272 Members
Auburn-Union Park Lodge No. 592 ...	Des Moines	264 Members
Gnemeth Lodge No. 577	West Des Moines	260 Members
Landmark Lodge No. 103	Sioux City	251 Members
Columbus City Lodge No. 107	Columbus City	219 Members
Black Hawk Lodge No. 65	Cedar Falls	210 Members
Evening Shade Lodge No. 312	Spencer	204 Members

**ELEVEN SMALLEST LODGES IN THE STATE
(AS OF 12/31/2011)**

Prosperity Lodge No. 504	Cincinnati	10 Members
Mahaska Lodge No. 336	New Sharon	11 Members
Belmont Lodge No. 541	Hillsboro	12 Members
Little Sioux Lodge No. 521	Washta	12 Members
Adoniram Lodge No. 120	Wayland	13 Members
Holman Lodge No. 592	Rowley	14 Members
Naaman Lodge No. 613	Brighton	16 Members
Richmond Lodge No. 96	Kalona	16 Members
Tarkio Lodge No. 645	Stanton	17 Members
Progress Lodge No. 226	Mediapolis	17 Members

**THE 10 MASONS WITH EARLIEST 50-YEAR RECOGNITION
(AS 6/17/2012)**

Lewis J. Smith, Jr.	Pioneer Lodge No. 22, Des Moines	12/27/1980
J. Ben Jacobson	Home Lodge No. 370, Pleasant Hill	7/8/1981
Elmer F. Mussig	Olivet Lodge No. 436, Gladbrook	6/27/1983
Glen V. Yarger	Obedience Lodge No. 380, Anita	8/3/1983
Eldon H. Wiese	Olivet Lodge No. 436, Gladbrook	9/20/1985
Charles A. Whitebrook	Iowa City Lodge No. 4, Iowa City	10/30/1985

William G. Mohr.....	Davenport Lodge No. 37, Davenport.....	3/9/1986
Lawrence G. Schaeferie..	Olivet Lodge No. 436, Gladbrook.....	6/16/1986
Paul W. Artis.....	Pioneer Lodge No. 22, Des Moines.....	10/3/1986
Elmer O. Stearns Jr.....	Osceola Lodge No. 77, Osceola	1/15/1987

THE FOLLOWING LODGES RAISED TEN OR MORE CANDIDATES DURING 2011

Columbus City Lodge No. 107	Columbus City.....	19
King David Lodge No. 407	Altoona.....	19
East Gate Lodge No. 630.....	Des Moines.....	15
Hamilton Lodge No. 664	Bettendorf	14
Home Lodge No. 370	Pleasant Hill	13
Des Moines Lodge No. 1.....	Burlington	12
Gnemeth Lodge No. 577	West Des Moines.....	11
Acanthus Lodge No. 632.....	Des Moines.....	10

One hundred six Lodges showed no one Raised during the year, down ten from last year.

One hundred eight Lodges showed no one initiated during the year, down two from last year.

One hundred thirty-one Lodges showed no one removed for S.N.P.D. during the year, down seven from last year. The six lodges with the most suspensions were 26, 25, 20, 18, 18, and 16.

EMERGENT COMMUNICATIONS

2011

September 23: Clear Lake – Constituting Ceremony for Travelers Lodge No. 679.

October 1: Coralville – Cornerstone Laying Ceremony for new Coralville Center for the Performing Arts.

October 16: Iowa City – Masonic Memorial Service for Woodrow W. Morris, P.G.M.

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May 19: Cedar Rapids – Joint Instituting Ceremonies for Woodrow Morris Lodge U.D. and Albert Pike Lodge U.D.

May 20: Ames – Cornerstone Laying Ceremony at the First United Methodist Church.

June 5: Red Oak – Cornerstone Laying Ceremony for the new Montgomery County Law Enforcement Center.

August 11: Sloan – Cornerstone Laying Ceremony for new Public Library.

SECRETARIES' CONFERENCES

Lodge Secretaries Conferences were scheduled for eleven locations during January. Weather conditions did affect attendance at some of the Conferences. The Conferences are primarily for secretaries to assist them in performing the duties of their office, answering questions, and reviewing various reports, all in accordance with the Iowa Masonic Code. All interested brothers are always welcome to attend.

Conferences host locations with attendance located in ().

Burlington	(4)	Bellevue	(13)
Jefferson	(8)	Le Mars	(13)
Humboldt	(8)	Avoca	(8)
West Union	(7)	Mount Ayr	(11)
Gladbrook	(15)	West Des Moines	(25)
Agency	(17)	Cedar Rapids	(12)

Thanks to each of the host lodges for their hospitality and courtesies extended at each meeting. It is very much appreciated. Even with the weather affecting attendance at some of the meetings, still 141 brothers did attend and participate. It is always enjoyable to spend time talking about Iowa Masonry.

SUMMATION

It is always a privilege to serve the Masons of Iowa, some of the finest persons that you will ever find. Coming to work is a delight because of the chemistry and quality of the staff. They are a great group to be around. Thanks to many brothers, a lot of positive things are taking place in the Fraternity. We do appreciate hearing about them. There are a lot to be excited about. Masonry is a contact sport, and the contacts are making a positive difference as we look ahead.

GRAND SECRETARY'S TRAVEL

2011

September

- 13-17 Davenport – 167th Annual Communication of the Grand Lodge of Iowa.
- 22 DeWitt – Stated Communication of Crossroads Lodge No. 677.
- 23 Clear Lake – Constituting Ceremony for Travelers Lodge No. 679.
- 24 Cedar Rapids – Attended joint reception for Richard L. Bowersox, Grand Master of the Grand Council; and Billy Joe Hildreth, Grand High Priest.
- 25 Monticello – Volunteered at Camp Courageous Pancake Breakfast along with members of the Iowa Masonic Family.
- 29 Clinton – Practice for KCCH conferral.

October

- 1 Coralville – Cornerstone Laying Ceremony for new Coralville Center for the Performing Arts.
- 2 Prairie City – Lester C. Fleming Grand Family reunion.
- 7 Missouri Valley – Grand Lodge reception and pair of Third Degrees at Valley Lodge No. 232.
- 8 Sioux City – 2011-12 Grand Family pictures.
- 8 Sioux City – Reception for Grand Master Jerry L. Levay hosted by Landmark Lodge No. 103 and Twilight Lodge No. 329.
- 10 Waterloo – Stated Communication of Waterloo Lodge No. 105.
- 16 Iowa City – Masonic Memorial Service for Woodrow W. Morris, P.G.M.
- 17 Cedar Rapids – Hosted P.E.O. dinner and tour of Library and Museums.
- 24 Urbandale – Meeting of the Trustees of the Masonic Charitable Educational Corporation.
- 24 Urbandale – Meeting of the Trustees of the Iowa Masonic Scholarship Endowment Fund.

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- 24 Prairie City – Grand Lodge reception and Third Degree hosted by the South Central MI-DL Club at Preston Lodge No. 218.
 27 DeWitt – Stated Communication of Crossroads Lodge No. 677.
 29 Bettendorf – Annual visit to the Iowa Masonic Health Facilities
 29 Clinton – 50th Anniversary Rededication Ceremony of the Clinton Masonic Center
 29 Altoona – Delivered materials for upcoming Grand Master Area Meetings.

November

- 3 Oskaloosa – Stated Communication of Council Lodge No. 644.
 7 Davenport – Masonic Memorial Service for Brother Rudolph Melchert.
 8 Oskaloosa – Stated Communication of Tri-Luminar Lodge No. 18.
 9 Mason City – Stated Communication of Harding Lodge No. 649.
 10 Newton – Past Master's Night and Grand Lodge reception and Third Degree at Newton Lodge No. 59.
 12 Des Moines – Funeral Service for Anna "Clarine" Clara Fleming, wife of Lester C. Fleming, P.G.M.
 13 Clinton – KCCH Investiture Ceremony.
 14 Cedar Rapids – Meeting of the Trustees of the Grand Lodge.
 14 Cedar Rapids – Annual Meeting of the Iowa Masonic Library Association.
 22 DeWitt – Stated Communication of Crossroads Lodge No. 677.

December

- 1 Oskaloosa – Stated Communication of Council Lodge No. 644.
 25 Carroll – Volunteered at Signet Lodge No. 264 Community Christmas Dinner.

2012**January**

- 5 Burlington – Secretaries' Conference hosted by Des Moines Lodge No. 1.
 5 Oskaloosa – Stated Communication of Council Lodge No. 644.
 7 Des Moines – Meeting of the Iowa Conference of Masonic Cooperation.
 9 Jefferson – Secretaries' Conference hosted by Morning Star Lodge No. 159.
 10 Humboldt – Meeting with brothers of Eastern Star Lodge No. 195.
 10 Humboldt – Secretaries' Conference hosted by Eastern Star Lodge No. 195.
 13 West Union – Secretaries' Conference hosted by West Union Lodge No. 69.
 13 Marion – Visitation for Past Grand Tyler Norman E. Hammond.
 16 Gladbrook – Secretaries' Conference hosted by Olivet Lodge No. 436.
 17 Agency – Secretaries' Conference hosted by Olive Branch Lodge No. 21.
 19 Bellevue – Secretaries' Conference hosted by Bellevue Lodge No. 51.
 19 DeWitt – Open Installation of Crossroads Lodge No. 677.
 20 Mason City – Set-up for Grand Master's One-Day Class.
 21 Mason City – Grand Master's One-Day Class.
 23 LeMars – Secretaries' Conference hosted by Freedom Lodge No. 434.
 24 Avoca – Secretaries' Conference hosted by Mount Nebo Lodge No. 297.
 25 Mount Ayr – Secretaries' Conference hosted by Faith Lodge No. 179.
 26 West Des Moines – Secretaries' Conference hosted by Gnemeth Lodge No. 577.
 30 Cedar Rapids – Secretaries' Conference hosted by the Iowa Masonic Library.

February

- 2 Oskaloosa – Stated Communication of Council Lodge No. 644.
 6 Floyd – Meeting with Brothers from Rock-Sirius Lodge No. 294 and St. Charles-Cornerstone Lodge No. 141.
 10 Cedar Rapids – Hosted tours for Iowa Conference of Masonic Education.
 11 Cedar Rapids – Iowa Conference of Masonic Education at the Library and Museums.
 14 Oskaloosa – Attended the last Stated Communication of Tri-Luminar Lodge No. 18.
 16-22 Atlanta, GA – Conference of Grand Secretaries in North America.
 27 Sloan – Grand Lodge reception and Third Degree hosted by Attica Lodge No. 502.

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- 2 Oskaloosa – Stated Communication of Tri-Luminar Lodge No. 644.
 3 Clarinda – Reception for Junior Grand Deacon John D. Pierce hosted by Nodaway Lodge No. 140.
 4 Clive – Joint brunch with the Order of the Eastern Star Officers and Companions.
 4 Johnston – Answered telephones for Iowa Public Television during FESTIVAL.
 6 Iowa City – Met with Mary Morris regarding items from Woodrow W. Morris, P.G.M.
 14 Cedar Rapids – Meeting of the Lodge Service Committee.
 17 Mason City – Reception for Junior Grand Steward Jeremy J. Myers hosted by Harding Lodge No. 649 and Travelers Lodge No. 679.
 20 Des Moines – Meeting of the Trustees of the Grand Lodge.
 21 Cedar Rapids – Meeting with brothers regarding forming a new lodge.
 22 Cedar Rapids – Assisted Mount Hermon Lodge No. 263 in conferral of three Fellow Craft Degrees and gave the Middle Chamber Lecture.
 23 Waterloo – Meet with hotel on Grand Lodge 2012.
 23 Waterloo – Ladies at the Table hosted by Martin Lodge No. 624.
 24 Waterloo – Reception for Senior Grand Steward Kevin A. Nelson hosted by Waterloo Lodge No. 105.
 24 Waterloo – Meet with hotel on Grand Lodge 2012.
 27 Farmington – Attended visitation and Masonic Memorial Service for Keith L. Muntz, P.G.M.
 29 Cedar Rapids – Planning meeting with the Chairman of the Committee on Division and Reference.
 30 Glidden – Attended the Community Auction sponsored by Haggai Lodge No. 369.
 31 Sioux City – Planning meeting with the Grand Master.
 31 Sioux City – Joint reception for Senior Grand Warden Jon D. Wagoner and Grand Tyler Wendell B. Borland hosted by Landmark Lodge No. 103 and Trial Lodge No. 532.

April

- 2 Fort Madison – Meeting with brothers from Claypoole Lodge No. 13 and Stella Lodge No. 440 regarding consolidation.
 3 Cedar Rapids – Meeting with brothers regarding forming a new lodge.
 10 Windsor Heights – Planning meeting with Trial Master for upcoming Masonic Trial.
 10 Carroll – Grand Lodge reception and Third Degree hosted by Signet Lodge No. 264.
 11 Cedar Rapids – Hosted Scholarship Interviews and filled in as a committee member.
 12 Cedar Rapids – Fellow Craft Degree at Mount Hermon Lodge No. 263, and gave the Middle Chamber Lecture.
 14 Waterloo – Masonic Trial at Waterloo Lodge No. 105.
 16 Osceola – Masonic Memorial Service for Brother Edward D. Edgerton, Past Junior Grand Steward.
 19 Arnolds Park – Ladies at the Table hosted by Twilight Lodge No. 329.
 21 Bettendorf – Reception for Grand Chaplain Jon Gimmy hosted by Early Morning Lodge No. 672 and Hamilton Lodge No. 664.
 23 Postville – Meeting with Secretary of Brotherly Love Lodge No. 204.
 26 DeWitt – Attended Stated Communication of Crossroads Lodge No. 677 and gave educational program.
 28 Irwin – Meeting with brothers of Sardius Lodge No. 444 and Golden Leaf Lodge No. 595.
 30 Fort Madison – Meeting with brothers of Claypoole Lodge No. 14 and Stella Lodge No. 444.

May

- 1 North Liberty – Planning meeting with brothers who will be seeking a Dispensation for a new lodge.

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- 3 Newton – Grand Lodge reception and Third Degree hosted by Newton Lodge No. 59.
- 4 Fairfax – 150th Anniversary Celebration of St. Clair Lodge No. 164.
- 7 Grundy Center – Attended Friendship and Teacher Recognition Night hosted by Emerald Lodge No. 334.
- 10 Cedar Rapids – Meeting of the Directors of the Iowa Masonic Library and Museums Building Endowment Fund.
- 11 Urbandale – Meeting of the Trustees of the Masonic Charitable Educational Corporation.
- 11 Urbandale – Meeting of the Trustees of the Iowa Masonic Scholarship Endowment Fund.
- 12 Des Moines – Grand Master’s DeMolay Class.
- 12 Des Moines – Meeting of the Grand Lodge Nominating Committee.
- 17 Des Moines – Meeting of the Trustees of the Grand Lodge.
- 17 Des Moines – Meeting of the Finance Committee.
- 17 Des Moines – Grand Lodge reception and Third Degree hosted by South Gate Lodge No. 657.
- 19 Cedar Rapids – Joint Instituting Ceremonies for Woodrow Morris Lodge U.D. and Albert Pike Lodge U.D.
- 20 Ames – Cornerstone Laying Ceremony at the First United Methodist Church.
- 21 Tiffin – Presented Canopy Lodge No. 290 scholarships at the Clear Creek-Amana Awards Night.
- 23 New Sharon – Meeting with members of Mahaska Lodge No. 336 regarding consolidation.
- 24 Ankeny – Meeting with the Chairman of the Committee on Division and Reference.
- 24 Windsor Heights – Grand Lodge reception and Third Degree hosted by Waveland Park Lodge No. 654.
- 27 Manning – Presented a pair of 50-Year Certificates for Manual Lodge No. 450.
- 30-June 2 Winnipeg, MB – Took greetings to the 137th Annual Communication of the Grand Lodge of Manitoba.

June

- 5 Red Oak – Cornerstone Laying Ceremony for new Montgomery County Law Enforcement Center.
- 5 Red Oak – 150th Anniversary Rededication Ceremony for Red Oak Lodge No. 162.
- 6 Cedar Rapids – Hosted Grand Master Rex Moats; Deputy Grand Master Thomas Hauder; and John Parsons, P.G.M., from the Grand Lodge of Nebraska.
- 7 Iowa City – Planning meeting with General Chairman of the upcoming Grand Master’s One-Day Class.
- 8 Clermont – 150th Anniversary Celebration for Clermont Lodge No. 160.
- 9 Perry – Annual visit to the Herman L. Rowley Memorial Home.
- 9 Des Moines – Reception for Deputy Grand Master Michael W. Fletcher, Grand Treasurer Shane A. Harshbarger, Grand Marshal Brian D. Pappaducas, and W. Charles Smithson hosted by Evening Star Lodge No. 43, Adel Lodge No. 80, Malta Lodge No. 318, Acanthus Lodge No. 632, and Specialis Procer Lodge No. 678.
- 12 Davenport – visited possible sites for the 2016 Annual Communication.
- 12 New Sharon – Stated Communication of Mahaska Lodge No. 336.
- 14 Cedar Rapids – Assisted with conferring a Third Degree at Mount Hermon Lodge No. 263.
- 17 Atlantic – Received artifacts from the Lininger Collection for the Iowa Masonic Library and Museums from the Grand Master of Nebraska.
- 18 Des Moines – Meeting of the Finance Committee.
- 21 Cedar Rapids – Assisted in conferring a pair of Third Degrees at Mount Hermon Lodge No. 263.
- 28 DeWitt – Stated Communication of Crossroads Lodge No. 677.

July

- 10 New Sharon – Stated Communication of Mahaska Lodge No. 336.

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- 11 Cedar Rapids – Meeting of the Trustees of the Grand Lodge of Iowa.
 12-13 Bettendorf – 125th Annual Communication of the Most Worshipful Prince Hall Grand Lodge of Iowa, F. & A.M. and Jurisdiction, Inc.
 14 Creston – Funeral service for Cheryl Bird, lady of Junior Grand Warden Richard L. Martin.
 14 Windsor Heights – Orientation gathering for the 2012-13 Grand Lodge Family.
 21 Iowa Falls – Planning meeting with upcoming Chairman of the Committee on Division and Reference.
 21 Iowa Falls – Joint Clause and Erickson Families reunion.
 24 Waterloo – Meeting with hotel on Grand Lodge 2012.
 26 DeWitt – Mississippi Valley Circle Study Club at Crossroads Lodge No. 677.
 26 DeWitt – Stated Communication of Crossroads Lodge No. 677.
 27 Coralville – Planning meeting with Grand Master and Local Committee Chair for Grand Lodge 2012.
 28 Oxford – Hiram in the Hills sponsored by Canopy Lodge No. 290.
 30 DeWitt – Conducted a Masonic Memorial Service for Brother Guy J. Tunnell.
- August**
- 2 Shellsburg – Practice for One-Day Class Fellow Craft Degree at Benton City Lodge No. 81.
 3 Iowa City – Set-up for Grand Master's One-Day Class.
 4 Iowa City – Grand Master's One-Day Class hosted by Iowa City Lodge No. 4.
 8 Cedar Rapids – Meeting of the Lodge Service Committee.
 9 Cedar Rapids – Legion of Honor Banquet at the Central States Shrine Association meeting.
 11 Sloan – Cornerstone Laying Ceremony for new Sloan Public Library.
 13 Sioux City – Surprise visit for Grand Master Jerry L. Levay at Landmark Lodge No. 103 stated communication.
 14 Colo – Meeting with members of Columbia Lodge No. 292 regarding lodge future.
 16 Fairfax – Third Degree at Fidelitas Lodge No. 364.
 17 Ames – Attended Grand Chapter/Grand Council Banquet.
 23 DeWitt – Stated communication of Crossroads Lodge No. 677.
 25 Mount Pleasant – Old Thresher's Grand Lodge reception and Third Degree hosted by Mount Pleasant Lodge No. 8.
 26 Shellsburg – Ox Roast sponsored by Benton City Lodge No. 8.
 30 Davenport – Meeting with brothers of Roosevelt Lodge No. 626.
- September**
- 6 Mount Vernon – Third Degree at Mount Vernon Lodge No. 112.
 8 Des Moines – Reception for Grand Commander Gregory L. Anderson.
 9 Carroll – Flight Breakfast sponsored by Signet Lodge No. 264.
 11 Mount Vernon – Third Degree at Mount Vernon Lodge No. 112.
 19 Waterloo – Meeting of the Trustees of the Grand Lodge.
 19 Waterloo – Meeting of the Pension Administrators.
 20-22 Waterloo – 168th Annual Communication of the Grand Lodge of Iowa.

**Report of the Iowa Masonic Library and Museums
 (Prepared by William R. Kreuger, Assistant Librarian,
 at the request of William R. Crawford, Grand Secretary/Librarian)**

The year 2011-12 has been a very busy one for the Iowa Masonic Library and Museums. We continue to serve both Masons and non-Masons by providing information and materials as requested. In most cases we are able to fulfill requests in a very timely manner. In fact, we are often complimented on the speed in which we are able to fulfill requests and/or answer questions. Typical examples of requests include:

- Helping patrons with Masonic history, either lodge or history of ancestors or relatives.
- Providing book and reading materials to patrons.
- Guiding patrons in the library stacks
- Providing research information to patrons.

It seems that we have had many requests this year from Prince Hall Masons requesting information about and copies of their various Grand Lodge proceedings from our Prince Hall collection. We have scanned most of those materials using our book scanner and make them available as a PDF. We have been working to link the individual PDF files with the Library's electronic card catalog to make it easier to search for printable materials. Among the researchers who have visited our library during the past year is Alton Roundtree, who is continuing his research on the history of Prince Hall Grand Lodges and the National Compact.

The Library has continued an active collecting program. During the past year, from June 2011 to June 2012, we have added 818 titles to the collection. Many of those titles are part of either the Harvey Collection of Landscape Architecture or the Walkes Collection of Prince Hall Masonry. During the year, we added 338 titles to the Harvey Collection and 353 titles to the Walkes Collection.

In the museum collection, we added 14 different collections during 2011 and 6 different collections this year, so far. Among the items collected last year:

- Gothic style Master's chair from Trinity Lodge No. 208
- Inlaid wooden tray with a picture of the front of the Iowa Masonic Library carved into it.
- Framed panoramic photograph of the Grand Lodge of North Dakota annual meeting in 1924.

Among the items collected this year include:

- Scottish Rite watch fob of T. S. Parvin, Consistory in Sioux City, IA, c. 1910.
- Scrapbook of mostly Masonic cards and materials.
- ID card of Erika Koberl dated April 1943, from Germany.

We are continuing work on the conversion of the Index Rerum periodical citations from hand-written format to a digital format. This project received funding from the Masonic Charitable Educational Corporation (MCEC) again this year. As mentioned in the report last year, the project will allow researchers to find articles from the many Masonic periodicals housed in the library collection.

Since January 2011, we have been working on a project to bind many of our Masonic and non-Masonic periodicals that have been neglected. Thus far, over 100 titles have been bound. Thank you to the Iowa Masonic Library Association for their underwriting of the project.

During the past year we had more than 650 visitors tour the library and museums. Included were several group tours from the local area, students from Coe College, as well as Masonic lodges from various parts of Iowa.

In the fall of 2011 and spring of 2012 we had two students from the Public History program of the University of Northern Iowa working as volunteers, learning about both museum practices and research. In the fall of 2011, Andrew Romitti cataloged a portion of our World War I collection and did research on James Norman Hall of Colfax, Iowa. In the spring of 2012, Alaina Schneider helped to encapsulate a portion of our World War I poster collection and did research on and cataloged the posters that she encapsulated.

The Iowa Masonic Library and Museums continues good relations with other libraries, museums and Masonic libraries. The Assistant Librarian attended the annual meeting of the Masonic Library and Museum Association in Winnipeg, Manitoba in late September 2011. He attended as president of this organization, created the agenda for and chaired the annual MLMA meeting. He is now past-president of the organization, having served a two-year term.

The Assistant Librarian is also president of the Iowa Conservation and Preservation Consortium (ICPC), a state-wide organization that helps promote the conservation and preservation of archival and library related materials. He helped to plan a conference entitled "Disasters Happen" that was held in Cedar Rapids on April 19-20, 2012. The conference was a combined effort of the Iowa Library Association, the Iowa Museum Association, and the ICPC.

In March and April 2012, the Assistant Librarian served as a judge for the local and state History Day competitions. The local History Day event was held in mid-March at the Old State Capitol in Iowa City, while the state competition was held in Des Moines at the State Historical Society Building in late April.

The Iowa Masonic Library and Museums continues its membership in several national, state and local organizations. These include the Masonic Library and Museum Association, the Iowa Library Association, the Iowa Conservation and Preservation Consortium, the Iowa Museum Association, the Iowa Cultural Corridor Alliance, the Cedar Rapids Area Convention and Visitors Bureau, and the Silos and Smokestacks National Heritage Area.

Volunteers for the Iowa Masonic Library and Museums have continued to provide help and support. There are several individuals who give their time and talent in a number of capacities. This includes helping with tours, helping with the preservation of Grand Lodge records, helping with the identification and preservation of the museum collection, research, envelope stuffing and a variety of other tasks. Unfortunately, one of our long time volunteers, Past Grand Tyler Norm Hammond, passed away on January 10, 2012. Norm was always here, rain or shine with a smile on

his face and ready to do anything that the office staff needed him to do. Norm we miss you!

We have treated our volunteers to lunch on several occasions during the past year as a way of saying "thank you" to them. The total number of hours accumulated by volunteers during this past year is in excess of 1,980. If a minimum wage salary were paid, the total amount would be more than \$14,850.

Fraternally submitted,
WILLIAM R. CRAWFORD
Grand Secretary and Grand Librarian

REFERRED

Under the law, the Reports of the Grand Secretary and the Grand Librarian were referred to the Committee on Division and Reference.

REPORT OF THE TRUSTEES OF THE GRAND LODGE OF IOWA

Jack L. Butler, P.G.M., Chairman of the Board of Trustees, gave the report of this Board. It was –

ADOPTED.

To the Grand Lodge of Iowa:

Meetings

In the interval since the last report, the Trustees of the Grand Lodge have met on six occasions. The dates and places of the formal meetings of the Grand Lodge Trustees appear below:

September 14, 2011	Davenport
November 14, 2011	Cedar Rapids
March 20, 2012	Des Moines
May 17, 2012	Des Moines
July 10, 2012	Cedar Rapids
September 19, 2012	Waterloo

Insurance

The Trustees approved the following insurance coverage for the Grand Lodge Library and Administration Building in Cedar Rapids:

Insurance Per Cent of		
<u>Valuations</u>	<u>Replacement Cost</u>	<u>Item</u>
\$ 8,832,231	90%	Building
1,213,154	90%	Equipment and Personal Property
1,226,895	90%	Library Books
40,000	100%	Valuable Papers and Microfilm
100,000	100%	Stained Glass Windows

74,000	100%	Fine Arts, Swab Collection
19,828	100%	Scheduled Paraphernalia
47,102	100%	Electronic Data

Repairs and Improvements to the Grand Lodge Library and Administration Building

Improvements and repairs to the Grand Lodge Library and Administration Building, a building that is over 50 years old, continue to be a "work in progress." After several years of major expenditures for roof replacement, exterior brick repair, and installation of a boiler, the year 2012 provided a brief reprieve. However, it is anticipated that a significant tuck-pointing project will need to be undertaken in the near future. In addition, a building of this age will require increased maintenance costs in the future, which is why \$4 of the \$5 dues increase in 2010 was allocated to the Building Trust Fund. It is preferable to have funds on hand to take care of maintenance and repair issues than be forced into special or emergency measures to raise funds after the fact.

Appreciation Dinner for the Staff of the Grand Lodge Library and Administration Building

A dedicated, loyal and hard-working staff is truly an asset to the Grand Master, to the Trustees of the Grand Lodge, and to the Craft. In recognition of this dedication, members of the staff were guests of the Trustees at a luncheon held on July 11, 2012.

Compensation for Key Employees of the Grand Lodge

Under Section 3e, Chapter 5, Laws of the Grand Lodge, the Trustees of the Grand Lodge have been given the responsibility to "approve the hiring, compensation, and other benefits for all key employees of the Grand Lodge as designated by the Trustees of the Grand Lodge." Pursuant to this Section of the Code, the Trustees reviewed the recommendations made for the compensation and benefits of the designated employees for 2011-12 and, in turn, approved the following compensation and benefits:

	Base Salary (Includes "Housing" adjustment for pension where applicable)	Insurance
William R. Crawford	\$ 62,400	Health Ins.*
LuCinda Friess	66,286	Health Ins.*
Marsha Miller	69,500	-----
Tim S. Anderson	56,160 **	Health Ins.*

*As of Fiscal Year 2012-2013 All Key Employees pay a portion of their Health Insurance Premiums

** Salary is paid \$19,000 from Lodge Service Committee and the remainder from the Grand Secretary's Office.

Nomination of Grand Secretary

Chapter 5, Section 3(e) of the Laws of the Grand Lodge, states, "The Trustees of the Grand Lodge shall have the authority and power:

e. To have general supervision over all employment policies and practices of the Grand Lodge and to approve the hiring, compensation, and other benefits for all key employees of the Grand Lodge as designated by the Trustees of the Grand Lodge. Before May 1 of each year, the Trustees of the Grand Lodge shall nominate a brother for election or reelection to the office of Grand Secretary at the next annual communication of the Grand Lodge. (*Amended 2009*)

Pursuant to that portion of the Laws of the Grand Lodge, the Trustees, on April 30, 2012, fulfilled that responsibility by nominating Thomas P. Youngblut, PGT & PDGM, for election to the office of Grand Secretary at the next Annual Communication of the Grand Lodge, in September of 2012. This unanimous nomination followed extensive discussion and deliberation regarding the performance of the Grand Secretary over an extended period of time.

The Grand Lodge Trustees take this opportunity to thank Right Worshipful Brother William R. Crawford for his many years of dedicated service to the Grand Lodge and earnestly recommend he be bestowed the title "Grand Secretary Emeritus" at the earliest possible time. We wish him well in his future endeavors, and look forward to his continued active involvement in Iowa Masonry.

Distribution of Income from Swab Trust Funds

Following the recommendation of Grand Master Jerry L. Levay, the Trustees approved the distribution of income from the investment of Swab Estate Funds as follows:

Iowa DeMolay Foundation	\$	3,000
Iowa/Minnesota Rainbow		4,000
Iowa Job's Daughters		1,000
Support Siouxland Soldiers		<u>10,000</u>
Total	\$	18,000

Investment of Swab Trust Funds

The Trustees moved the investment management of the Swab Trust Funds to Robert W. Baird & Company, and directed that advisor to follow established investment policies for other Grand Lodge funds.

Building Applications

The Trustees gave their approval to the following application:

Morning Star Lodge No. 159, Jefferson To purchase a building and convert it to a Masonic Lodge

2012 Grand Lodge Scholarships

Based on a previously adopted policy for the annual investment income from the Iowa Masonic Scholarship Endowment Fund, the Trustees approved the recommendation of Grand Master Jerry L. Levay to award, in the year 2012, sixty (60) Grand Lodge Scholarships for \$2,000 each.

2012 M.C.E.C. Scholarships

Based on information from the Masonic Charitable Educational Corporation, the Trustees approved the recommendation of Grand Master Jerry L. Levay to award, in the year 2012, twenty (20) Spencer Scholarships for \$1,250 each.

Overrun of Appropriations

In order to maintain an accurate record of what has actually been expended within each line item of the budget, the Trustees may authorize, for good cause shown, an overrun of certain line items within the approved budget, provided such overruns would not cause the total amount of the approved budget to be exceeded. The Trustees are pleased to report that, to the date of this report, it has not been necessary to approve any overruns in this fiscal year from the budget. We extend our compliments to the Finance Committee for their efforts in budgeting and to the Grand Secretary and his office for their diligence to stay within the established budgets.

Estates

During the past fiscal year the Grand Secretary's Office received distributions from several estates or trusts in which the Grand Lodge or one of its charitable trust funds was named as beneficiary. The Trustees deeply appreciate the generosity of the various donors. By their thoughtfulness, these donors have made an important contribution to the future of Symbolic Masonry within the State of Iowa. A listing of these bequests appears below:

<u>Estate or Trust</u>	<u>Amount</u>	<u>Beneficiary</u>
Delos S. Stevens Trust	\$ 5,515.00	Iowa Masonic Health Facilities
Martinek Memorial Trust	4,180.59	Iowa Masonic Library Association

Building Operating Fund Income and Expenses

The Trustees are responsible for the Building Trust Fund and the Building Operating Fund to fund the operations of the Iowa Masonic Library and Museums and Administrative Offices. The 2011-12 Budget is:

INCOME	
Rental Income	\$ 17,000
Estimated Income from Baird Investments	60,000
2012 Dues Income	<u>65,875</u>
Total Income	\$ 142,875

EXPENSES

	Appropriation
Custodial Salaries	\$ 29,000
Building Repairs and Improvements	20,000
Building Insurance	9,000
Termite and Pest Control	300
Trash Hauling	2,000
Utilities: Heat, Electricity, Water & Sewer	50,000
Transfer to General Fund	<u>12,100</u>
Total Expenses	\$ 122,400

Investments

The Trustees, in conjunction with financial advisors from Robert W. Baird and Co., have maintained the existing investment policies and practices as updated in July 2009. In June, the Trustees gave official permission to the Trustees of the Herman Rowley Memorial Trust to adopt these investment policies. Investment objectives, in order of priority, are as follows: to preserve principal, to generate current income, and to achieve growth of principal value. Assets of the Grand Lodge portfolio are divided among cash and cash equivalents, fixed income securities, equities, satellites, and alternatives. Strict guidelines have been imposed to minimize and control risk among these five classes of investments. These guidelines have provided an investment result which has continued to outperform the various markets in which the funds are invested. The Grand Lodge opened an account with Robert W. Baird & Co. on December 31, 1999. Between then and March 31, 2012, the deposits total \$5,178,919.78, the withdrawals total \$4,788,804.00, total gains are \$1,650,626.32, leaving an ending balance of \$2,046,252.37.

Personnel from Baird and Company meet with the Trustees on a regular basis to review account performance, keep the Trustees aware of any changing conditions, and to conduct fiduciary reviews.

Shorter-term investments in Certificates of Deposit continue to be handled by the Grand Secretary.

Fraternally submitted,
 JACK L. BUTLER, Chairman
 BILL V. NORTHUP,
 CRAIG L. DAVIS
 Trustees

RESTRICTED FUND INVESTMENTSDescription

Swab Memorial Fund (Note A)

	Market Value <u>as of 7/31/12</u>
Investments at Robert W. Baird and Co.	508,508
Money Market Account at Bank of the West	\$ <u>26,305</u>
TOTAL RESTRICTED FUNDS INVESTMENTS:	\$ 534,813

UNRESTRICTED FUNDS INVESTMENTS

<u>Certificates of Deposit</u>	<u>Due</u>	<u>Rate</u>	Market Value <u>as of 7/31/12</u>
Collins Credit Union	9/10/13	0.50	\$ 100,000.00
F & M Bank	5/27/14	2.00	100,000.00
Hills Bank & Trust Company	10/1/14	2.93	<u>40,000.00</u>
TOTAL CERTIFICATES OF DEPOSIT:			<u>\$ 240,000.00</u>

**REPORT OF THE
COMMITTEE ON APPEALS AND GRIEVANCES**

David M. Dryer, Chairman of the Committee, gave the report of the Committee that was, on his motion –

ADOPTED.

To the Grand Lodge of Iowa:

Your committee on Appeals and Grievances reports that it has met to review the actions of Grand Master Jerry L. Levay in expelling S.F.D., F.E.E., T.D.J., D.W.L., & P.W.S. from Masonry.

FURTHER, to review the actions of Grand Master Levay in suspending M.J.C. for a period of not less than one year.

FUTHER, to review the actions of Trial Master Daniel P. Griffin in expelling R. L. J. from Masonry.

FURTHER, to consider the Petitions for Reinstatement filed by J.A.B. and R.P.G.

These matters are submitted to you in five separate divisions.

DIVISION ONE

S.F.D. was expelled from Kingston Lodge No. 676 at Cedar Rapids by order of Jerry L. Levay, Grand Master of Masons in Iowa, on August 13, 2012. This expulsion was not appealed.

F.E.E. was expelled from Excelsior Lodge No. 259 at Council Bluffs by order of Jerry L. Levay, Grand Master of Masons in Iowa, on January 20, 2012. This expulsion was not appealed.

T.J.D. was expelled from Clermont Lodge No. 160 at Clermont by order of Jerry L. Levay, Grand Master of Masons in Iowa, on June 25, 2012. This expulsion was not appealed.

D.W.L. was expelled from Mecca Lodge No. 255239 at Coggon by order of Jerry L. Levay, Grand Master of Masons in Iowa, on June 25, 2012. This expulsion was not appealed.

P.W.S. was expelled from Mosaic Lodge No. 125 at Dubuque by order of Jerry L. Levay, Grand Master of Masons in Iowa, on December 5, 2011. This expulsion was not appealed.

This Committee, after an examination of the records and supporting evidence, FINDS that Grand Master Levay acted, in all respects; in accord with the Iowa Masonic Code in ordering these expulsions and that the same should be approved and confirmed by the Grand Lodge.

I MOVE that the orders of Grand Master Jerry L. Levay, dated August 13, 2012 expelling S.F.D. from Kingston Lodge No. 676 at Cedar Rapids; January 20, 2012 expelling F.E.E. from Excelsior Lodge No. 259 at Council Bluffs; June 25, 2012 expelling T.J.D. from Clermont Lodge No. 160 at Clermont; June 25, 2012 expelling D.W.L. from Mecca Lodge No. 523 at Coggon; and December 5, 2011 expelling P.W.S. from Mosaic Lodge No. 125 at Dubuque, be approved and confirmed by the Grand Lodge of Iowa.

DIVISION TWO

M.J.C. was suspended from Hamilton Lodge No. 644 at Bettendorf and Snow Lodge No. 44 at LeClaire for a period of not less than one year by order of Jerry L. Levay, Grand Master of Masons in Iowa, on June 6, 2012. This suspension was not appealed.

This Committee, after examination of the records and supporting evidence FINDS that Grand Master Levay, in view of the specific facts of this case, acted, in all respects, in accord with Chapter 4, Section 2(b) of the Iowa Masonic Code in ordering this suspension.

I MOVE that the order of Grand Master Jerry L. Levay dated June 6, 2012 suspending M.J.C. from Hamilton Lodge No. 664 and Snow Lodge No. 44 at LeClaire for a period of not less than one year be approved and confirmed by the Grand Lodge of Iowa.

DIVISION THREE

R.L.J. was expelled from Waterloo Lodge No. 105 at Waterloo by order of Trial Master Daniel P. Griffin following a Masonic trial. This expulsion was effective April 14, 2012. This expulsion has been appealed. This Committee met September 20, 2012 and gave F.L.J. the opportunity to be heard. R.L.J. appeared and presented his case, supported by two Brothers who accompanied him.

This Committee spent considerable time reviewing the facts and background of this case. The Committee, after examination of the records and supporting evidence FINDS that Trial Master Griffin acted, in all respects, in accord with the Iowa Masonic Code in ordering this expulsion. Further, the Committee, after review of the evidence and hearing the remarks R.L.J. and his supporters finds that there was no substantial

prejudice to the rights of R.L.J., which is the standard required by the Iowa Masonic Code for the Grand Lodge of Iowa to reverse the order of the Trial Master. R.L.J. has been given complete due process and has been treated justly, equitably and impartially by the Trial Master, Attorneys and Appeals and Grievances Committee. However, this case clearly shows that it is imperative for Symbolic Lodges to perform thorough and complete investigations at the outset when investigative committees are charged with responsibility to examine prospective members.

I MOVE that the order of Trial Master Daniel P. Griffin, effective April 14, 2012 expelling R.L.J. from Waterloo Lodge No. 105 at Waterloo be approved and confirmed by the Grand Lodge of Iowa.

DIVISION FOUR

J.A.B. was expelled from South Gate Lodge No. 657 at Des Moines by order of Jack L. Butler, Grand Master of Masons in Iowa, on February 6, 2009. J.A.B. petitioned for Reinstatement and on June 7, 2012 the members of South Gate Lodge No. 657 voted by unanimous secret ballot to reinstate J.A.B. to good standing in the Fraternity and to membership in their lodge.

This Committee after examining the records recommends approval of J.A.B. being reinstated in South Gate Lodge No. 657 upon being re-obligated in all three Degrees. I MOVE that this recommendation be approved and confirmed by the Grand Lodge of Iowa.

DIVISION FIVE

R.P.G. was expelled from Newton Lodge No. 59 at Newton by order of Craig C. Hummel, Grand Master of Masons in Iowa, on October 19, 2009. R.P.G. petitioned for Reinstatement and on September 13, 2012 the members of Newton Lodge No. 59 voted by unanimous secret ballot to reinstate R.P.G. to good standing in the Fraternity and to membership in their Lodge.

This Committee after examining the records recommends approval of R.P.G. being reinstated in Newton Lodge No. 59 upon being re-obligated in all three Degrees. I MOVE that this recommendation be approved and confirmed by the Grand Lodge of Iowa.

I MOVE that this entire report be approved and confirmed by the Grand Lodge of Iowa.

Fraternally submitted,
DAVID M. DRYER, Chairman
ALAN L. CRANSTON,
W. CHARLES SMITHSON
Committee

GRAND MASTER RESUMES

Grand Master Levay resumed his Station in the East.

**REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE
ON GRAND LODGE RECOGNITION**

Jason A. Wolcott gave the Report of the Committee on Grand Lodge Recognition. It was, on his motion –

ADOPTED.

Your Committee on Grand Lodge Recognition submits its report of activities and correspondence for the past Masonic year. Your committee received sixty four items of correspondence and email this year, forty six of which were on the GLNF situation alone.

Grande Loge Nationale Francaise (GLNF)

At last year's Annual Communication, the Grand Lodge of Iowa voted to suspend recognition of the Grande Loge Nationale Francaise (GLNF). Since then, eighty plus Grand Lodges have suspended their recognition of the GLNF, and six have withdrawn recognition altogether. On 18 July 2012 the United Grand Lodge of England (UGLE) announced "in the absence of any dramatic change in circumstances, the Board of General Purposes will recommend in its Report to the September Quarterly Communication of the Grand Lodge that it is in the best interest of the United Grand Lodge of England that recognition be withdrawn from the GLNF." This anticipated decision by the UGLE and various other European Grand Lodges to withdraw their recognition from the GLNF allows for the possibility that a new Grand Lodge will be formed and recognized in France. Your committee is following these developments closely but recommends no action at this time.

Grand Loge Reguliere de Tahiti

We received correspondence dated 31 January 2012 from M.W. Brother Phillippe Gestas, Grand Master of the Grand Loge Reguliere de Tahiti requesting recognition. They were self-constituted by three lodges working under GLNF charters in the Territory of Tahiti. The Grand Lodge of Tahiti was consecrated by the Worshipful Master of its eldest lodge on 21 January 2012. The Commission on Information for Recognition reported on 21 February 2012 that "the Grand Lodge of Tahiti meets the standards for recognition." On 5 March 2012 the GLNF issued a strong protest claiming exclusive jurisdiction, "French Polynesia, to which Tahiti belongs and on which the 'The Regular Grand Lodge of Tahiti' claims to exercise its jurisdiction, is a French Territory . . . The French national territory is one and indivisible." While your committee is sympathetic to the Grand Lodge of Tahiti, it recommends that we lay this over until the situation with the GLNF is resolved.

Grand Lodge of Albania

We received correspondence dated 27 April 2012 from R.W. Brother Skender Xheko, Grand Secretary of the Grand Lodge of Albania. They were consecrated on 14 October 2011 by the Grand Orient of Italy, with the participation of the Regular Grand Lodge of Serbia and the Grand Lodge of Greece. They meet our standards for recognition. Your committee recommends recognition of the Grand Lodge of Albania.

Summary

Your adoption of this report shall extend official recognition to the Grand Lodge of Albania; that a decision on the Grand Lodge of Tahiti be held over until next year; and that no action be taken concerning the GLNF at this time.

Fraternally submitted,
JASON A. WOLCOTT, Chairman

**REPORT OF BOARD OF TRUSTEES
IOWA MASONIC SCHOLARSHIP ENDOWMENT FUND**

James H. Windsor III, Chairman, gave the report of the Trustees. It was, on his motion –

ADOPTED.

To The Grand Lodge of Iowa:

The following is the Trustees of the Iowa Masonic Scholarship Endowment Fund report for the fiscal year ending July 31, 2012.

The total gross receipts for the year were \$171,573.86 and were received from the following sources:

Contributions	\$	13,344.61
Income		<u>158,229.25</u>
Total Receipts	\$	171,573.86

Contributions of \$13,344.61 were added to the Fund as required by the Trust Agreement. The income receipts of \$158,229.25 were used to pay the expenses of General Administration (\$4,663.14), Scholarship Selection Committee (\$893.38), the Annual Audit and Tax Service (\$2,830.00), Investment and Custodial Services (\$18,343.82), and Sixty (60) Scholarships of \$2,000 each (\$120,000), for total disbursements of \$146,730.34 leaving an excess of income over disbursements of \$24,843.52. In addition, during the fiscal year the investments in the Endowment Fund increased by \$131,001.76 as a result of realized and unrealized gains and losses in value of the securities.

Based on the 8/1/2011 beginning value, total earnings before distributions and expenses were 8.74%. Net of distributions and expenses and total earnings the account value increased 4.55%.

The Endowment Fund is the remainder beneficiary of a Charitable Remainder Annuity Trust from Brother Roy G. Thompson and his wife, which provides an annual annuity payment to Mrs. Thompson during her lifetime and becomes the property of the Endowment Fund after her death. The market value of this Annuity Trust on July 31, 2012 was \$8,578.76.

Itemized lists of the Assets of the Endowment Fund and a schedule of Receipts and Disbursements for the fiscal year are attached hereto and are made a part of this report.

Fraternally submitted,
 JAMES H. WINDSOR III, Chairman
 ARTHUR W. PIXLER,
 GERALD F. BERGMAN
 Trustees

I would like to thank the members of the Committee for the opportunity to serve as your Chairman. I appreciate all of your hard work and dedication to the Committee. I would also like to thank our Grand Secretary William R. Crawford and Iowa State Bank for their guidance.

JAMES H. WINDSOR III, Chairman

RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS

RECEIPTS:	
Contributions	\$ 13,344.61
Income	<u>158,229.25</u>
TOTAL RECEIPTS	\$ <u>171,573.86</u>
DISBURSEMENTS:	
Administrative Expense	\$ 4,663.14
Selection Committee Expense	893.28
Investment and Custodial Services	18,343.82
Audit and Tax Service	2,830.00
Scholarships Awarded	<u>120,000.00</u>
TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS	\$ <u>146,730.24</u>
EXCESS INCOME OVER DISBURSEMENTS	\$ 24,843.62
NET WORTH ON AUGUST 1, 2011	\$ 3,425,724.27
Excess of Income over Disbursements	11,498.91
Contributions	13,344.61
Net Change in Market Value from Realized and Unrealized Gains/Losses on Investments	<u>131,001.76</u>
INVESTMENT FUND NET WORTH ON JULY 31, 2012	\$ 3,581,569.55
Plus: Thompson Annuity Trust (present value)	<u>8,578.76</u>
TOTAL	<u>\$3,590,148.31</u>

**REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON JURISPRUDENCE
(On Dispensations, Decisions and Opinions, and Official Acts)**

Donald E. Mosier, Chairman of the Jurisprudence Committee, gave the report for the Committee on Dispensations, Decisions and Opinions, and Official Acts of the Grand Master. This report was, on his motion –

ADOPTED.

To the Grand Lodge of Iowa:

The Report of the Committee on Masonic Jurisprudence will be given in two parts. The first part will report the findings of the Committee with respect to the Dispensations, Decision and Opinions, and Official Acts of the Grand Master. The second part, to be given this afternoon, will report the determinations and recommendations of the Committee with respect to the proposed legislation.

**Report of the Committee on Masonic Jurisprudence regarding
Dispensations, Decisions and Opinions, and Official Acts of the
Grand Master**

The Committee on Jurisprudence reviewed the Official Acts, Official and Unofficial Opinions, Dispensations, and Waivers of Jurisdictions granted by the Grand Master, as listed in his preliminary report and in a supplementary report including actions after the printing of the preliminary report. All page numbers listed in this report will refer to the Grand Master's report as printed in the Agenda and Preliminary Reports of the 168th Annual Communication of the Grand Lodge of Iowa.

As reported on page 16, the Grand Master performed no Official Acts requiring review.

As reported on pages 16-17, the Grand Master issued an official opinion. This official opinion was in answer to a question posted by the Worshipful Master of Hiram of Tyre Lodge No.118 at Tama, regarding the appropriateness of this resignation due to illness. The Grand Master's response was that if the Worshipful Master resigned, there was no allowance in the Code for his return to office. While the committee questioned whether this answer was complete, they did find it to be in order and APPROVED it.

As reported on page 17, the Grand Master issued no Unofficial Opinions requiring review.

The Grand Master granted 19 Dispensations, 17 of which are printed on pages 18 and 19 of the preliminary report. He also granted two dispensations for the formation of Woodrow Morris Lodge U.D. at North Liberty and Albert Pike Lodge U.D. in Cedar Rapids, which will be included in the final report printed in the proceedings. These dispensations were all found to be in order and APPROVED.

The Grand Master refused one Dispensation, as printed on page 19. This refusal was found to be in order and APPROVED.

The Grand Master granted seven permissions, five of which are listed on page 17 of the preliminary report. The remaining two were printed in the supplementary reports. The permissions were all found to be IN ORDER.

As reported on page 17, there was no permissions denied requiring review.

The Grand Master granted seven Waivers of Jurisdiction, as listed on pages 17 and 18 of the preliminary report. The first waiver was found to be in order. It was determined that the remaining six, all related to courtesy work by a Nebraska Lodge, would have been better handled through the permission process, rather than a waiver process. However, due to a precedent set in 2009, these Waivers of Jurisdiction were also found to be IN ORDER.

There were no reported Waivers of Jurisdiction denied.

Most Worshipful Grand Master, I move that this portion of the report of the Committee on Masonic Jurisdiction, regarding the Dispensations, Decisions and Opinions, Official Acts, and Waiver of Jurisdiction issued by the Grand Master be adopted.

Fraternally submitted,
DONALD E. MOSIER, Chairman
PAUL H. WIECK, Vice Chairman

REPORT ON WOODROW MORRIS LODGE U.D.

Tim S. Anderson, Executive Director of the Lodge Service Committee gave the following report on Woodrow Morris Lodge U.D. This report was, on his motion –

NOT ADOPTED.

To the Grand Lodge of Iowa:

It is my distinct honor to bring you the report on Woodrow Morris Lodge Under Dispensation at North Liberty. The Lodge has been operating under its Dispensation since May 19, 2012.

The Lodge received its Dispensation with 22 members and has grown through three Raisings to 25 members.

While Under Dispensation, the Lodge has met six (6) times. Three of these meetings were Stated Communications; the other three were for conferring Degrees as follows: three Entered Apprentice Degrees, two Fellow Craft Degrees, and one Master Mason Degree.

During the period of Dispensation the Lodge has demonstrated its proficiency in opening and closing the Lodge on all three degrees, and conferring the Entered Apprentice, Fellow Craft, and Master Mason

Degrees. The newer members are learning ritual but is a work in progress.

The members of the Lodge show great enthusiasm for their Lodge and substantial dedication to its future. They have done a workman's job in the short time they have been under dispensation. However, it has been a very short time that they have been working as a lodge and it takes time to build the relationships that help a lodge function smoothly. Also, it is necessary for the lodge to build a treasury to enable it to meet its obligations.

In view of these facts, I therefore recommend that the dispensation for Woodrow Morris Lodge be continued to give the lodge ample opportunity to build a solid foundation and get off to a firm healthy start.

I move for the adoption of this report.

Fraternally submitted,
TIM S. ANDERSON, Executive Director
Lodge Service Committee

MOTION TO GRANT CHARTER

Paul H. Wieck, P.G.M., moved that a charter be granted to Woodrow Morris Lodge No. 680. The motion was seconded and approved.

REPORT ON ALBERT PIKE LODGE U.D.

Tim S. Anderson, Executive Director of the Lodge Service Committee gave the following report on Albert Pike Lodge U.D. This report was, on his motion –

NOT ADOPTED.

To the Grand Lodge of Iowa:

It is my distinct honor to bring you the report on Albert Pike Lodge Under Dispensation at Cedar Rapids. The Lodge has been operating under its Dispensation since May 19, 2012.

The Lodge received its Dispensation with 16 members.

While Under Dispensation, the Lodge has met five (5) times. Two of these meetings were Stated Communications; the other three were for conferring Courtesy Degrees as follows: on Entered Apprentice Degree, one Fellow Craft Degree, and one Master Mason Degree.

During the period of Dispensation the Lodge has demonstrated its proficiency in opening and closing the Lodge on all three degrees, and conferring the Entered Apprentice, Fellow Craft, and Master Mason Degrees.

The members of the Lodge show great enthusiasm for their Lodge and substantial dedication to its future. They have done a workman's job in the short time they have been under dispensation. However, it has been a very short time that they have been working as a lodge and it takes time to

build the relationships that help a lodge function smoothly. In reviewing the by-laws of the lodge there just has not been enough time for the lodge to reach its goals or to operate as a lodge.

In view of these facts, I therefore recommend that the dispensation for Albert Pike Lodge be continued to give the lodge ample opportunity to build a solid foundation and get off to a firm healthy start.

I move for the adoption of this report.

Fraternally submitted,
TIM S. ANDERSON, Executive Director
Lodge Service Committee

MOTION TO GRANT CHARTER

Paul H. Wieck, P.G.M., moved that a charter be granted to Albert Pike Lodge No. 681. The motion was seconded and approved.

The following reports were considered at one time with an opportunity for the Craft to make inquiry concerning any report before balloting. The committee chairman or his representative was available for questions.

It was moved for the adoption of the reports. The motion –
ADOPTED.

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REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON DIVISION AND REFERENCE (On the Grand Master's Report)

To the Grand Lodge of Iowa:

The report of the Committee on Division and Reference will be given in three sections. Eric A. Rozeboom will report on the Grand Secretary's Report and Kenneth A. Hurmence will report on the Grand Librarian's Report.

Grand Master's Report

Grand Master Jerry L. Levay exemplified his devotion and passion to Masonry and the Military this past Grand Lodge Year. The theme "Masonry and the Military – Hand in Hand Since 1776 – Saluting Those Who Serve," was carried across our great state. Wherever our Grand Master visited he was honored to recognize those who are currently and those who have in the past, served in the military. He was sure to shake their hand, thank them for their service and present them a patch for their branch of the military. It was evident in the eyes and faces of our military brethren that they felt privileged to serve and many humbled to be honored.

The Grand Master raised funds to help military families. His Grand Master Pin sales, Mason jars, and the beef sticks sold by the Rainbow and DeMolay all raised funds to help those who have, or are serving. A highlight of the year was meeting Brother Dustin Morrison, who was seriously wounded in Afghanistan. The Grand Master had the opportunity to meet Brother Morrison and present him a donation to help defray some of his family's expenses while he was hospitalized. Efforts to raise funds to help Petty Officer Taylor Morris and his family are the main focus of the fundraising now.

Education and Leadership are important aspects of Masonry. Grand Master Levay continued and expanded the Masonic Symbolism Course, and the Masonic Academy of Knowledge. The second Iowa Conference on Masonic Education was successfully held in February in Cedar Rapids. The Annual Leadership Symposium was held in June in Des Moines. These conferences were supported by the Masonic Charitable Education Corporation, Iowa Masonic Library Association, the Iowa Scottish Rite Masonic Foundation, and the Grand Lodge of Iowa. Iowa has become a destination for excellent Masonic Speakers and Leaders.

Grand Master Levay held Grand Master Area Meetings from border to border of Iowa. The Grand Master shared his program with the local lodges at these twelve meetings. Some of the topics presented were:

“Leaving a Legacy” about our lodge heroes and history, the Academy of Knowledge and Masonic Symbolism, and our Masonic Youth, DeMolay. Veterans and current military were recognized by the Grand Master for their served and presented a Masonic patch for their branch of the military.

The Grand Master traveled to other Grand Jurisdictions where he was honored to represent the Masons of Iowa. He attended the Grand Lodges of: Nebraska, Kansas, Minnesota, South Carolina, and Iowa Prince Hall Grand Lodge. When he was unable to attend he sent a representative as listed in his report. He represented Iowa and the Conference of Grand Masters held in Atlanta, GA in February, the Midwest Conference on Masonic Education in Ohio, and the Midwest Conference of Grand Lodges in Michigan.

Every Grand Master has the responsibility of appointing Grand Officers, Committees, and the Chairman of most Grand Lodge Committees. Grand Master Levay in his report lists these appointments. Thank you to those who serve the Grand Lodge of Iowa in these capacities.

The Grand Lodge Officers and the Grand Master have travelled across the state conferring degrees, laying cornerstones, doing rededications, attending Grand Officer receptions, and fellowshiping with the Masons of Iowa. They had the honor to Constitute Travelers Lodge No. 679. They instituted two new lodges: Woodrow Morris Lodge (UD) and Albert Pike Lodge (UD) on the same day in Cedar Rapids.

Unfortunately the Grand Master had to expel brothers from the Fraternity. Those expulsions are referred to the Committee on Appeals and Grievances. The Grand Master makes a strong case in his recommendations that the Investigating Committee on a Petition take their responsibility seriously. He recommends a criminal background check be required before voting on the petition.

The Grand Master issued one official opinion and it is referred to the Committee on Masonic Jurisprudence. There were no official acts or unofficial opinions. There were six permissions granted and none denied; they are referred to the Committee on Masonic Jurisprudence. The Grand Master granted five waivers of jurisdiction, he issued 17 dispensations and refused one dispensation, these are referred to the Committee on Masonic Jurisprudence.

In conclusion we give Grand Master Jerry L. Levay a salute for his service to Iowa Masonry. He gave his time, talent, and passion to serving the craft. Brother Jerry, you have honored those who serve and we honor you as our Grand Master who served.

Fraternally submitted,
BRYCE B. HILDRETH, CHAIRMAN
ERIC A. ROZEBOOM,
KENNETH M. HURMENCE

Committee

**REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON DIVISION AND REFERENCE
(On the Grand Secretary's Report)**

The Grand Secretary's report prepared by our Grand Secretary William R. Crawford has been received by this committee and found to be well and faithfully prepared. Like the Grand Secretary stated in his report, it was a shock to a vast majority of us that his name was not placed in nomination for the office of Grand Secretary.

Brother Bill and his supporting staff have worked hard and diligently for the good of Masonry across this great state. A big thank-you is due to all of them for their help and support over the last year.

Brother Bill has been elected Chaplain for the North American Conference of Grand Secretaries to be held in Kansas City, Missouri in February of 2013. Again this shows how well respected our Grand Secretary is in our sister jurisdictions.

It again appears from the reports received by our Grand Secretary's office that Masonry across the state is doing well and thriving. This said, we still have certain lodges in need of our help as they struggle to find their way. Ritual, the backbone of our Fraternity which sets us apart from other organizations, is still in need of brothers willing to become Masonic Instructors.

We as lodges need to work with individual brothers to curb our continued problem of SNPD's. With our Fraternity showing a net loss of 879 men our membership now stands at just under 21,000. All of us working together can stem this tide of declining membership and insure the continued success of our great Fraternity.

As stated in the report of the Grand Secretary we can all see that he has spent countless hours traveling this great state on behalf of our Fraternity. Five emergent communications, twelve secretary conferences and many other outings have kept him and his staff very busy throughout the year.

In closing, we as a committee would like to thank Brother Bill for his dedication and service to our Fraternity. Your work has been done with love and honor to our Fraternity in, at times, very trying times. Thank you.

Fraternally submitted,
BRYCE B. HILDRETH, CHAIRMAN
ERIC A. ROZEBOOM,
KENNETH M. HURMENCE
Committee

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON DIVISION AND REFERENCE (On the Grand Librarian's Report)

The Grand Librarian's Report was prepared by William R. Krueger, Assistant Librarian, at the request of Grand Librarian William R. Crawford. The committee received and reviewed this report. The Iowa Masonic Library and Museums staff has been very busy again this year assisting patrons and visitors, both Masonic and non-Masonic, in providing books and reading materials to patrons, guiding patrons through the library stacks, providing research materials, assisting in locating those materials, helping patrons with lodge histories or those of relatives or ancestors, and providing tours of the museums. Over 650 people have toured and visited the library and museums during the past year.

The library is continuing to increase the number of titles within its collection. Two major additions this year have been made to the Harvey Collection of Landscape Architecture and to the Walkes Collection of Prince Hall Masonry where 318 and 353 titles were added respectively. These were part of 818 new titles added during the year. The Walkes Collection has resulted in significant increased usage of the library by Prince Hall Masons as they research minutes from various Prince Hall proceedings, including visits by Alton Roundtree who is researching Prince Hall Grand Lodges and the National Compact. These patrons were assisted by using the electronic card catalog and the scanning of appropriate passages into PDF files.

The museum received fourteen different collections during 2011 and six collections in the first half of 2012. These included such items as a Gothic style Master's chair from Trinity Lodge, an In-laid wooden tray with a picture of the front of the Iowa Masonic Library, the Scottish Rite watch fob of T. S. Parvin, a scrapbook of Masonic cards, and a German girl's ID card from World War II Germany.

Thanks to a grant from the Iowa Masonic Charitable Educational Corporation, work has continued on conversion of the Index Rerum from a handwritten to digital format, which will assist researchers in finding articles from Masonic periodicals. The Iowa Masonic Library Association has also provided assistance by underwriting a project to bind Masonic periodicals. Over 100 titles have been bound thus far.

The library also continues to benefit from the contributions of volunteers whose efforts allow many tasks to be completed that would not be possible without their assistance. Almost two thousand hours were donated by volunteers this past year. If the Grand Lodge had to pay even minimum wages for the contributions it would have added almost \$15,000.00 to the budget so their contributions are definitely appreciated. One of those dependable volunteers Brother Norman Hammond passed away and his presence and efforts will be missed. Special assistance was provided by two students from the University of Northern Iowa's Public

History program. Andrew Romitti cataloged a portion of the World War I collection and research on James Norman Hall of Colfax, Iowa. Alaina Schneider helped encapsulate and catalog a portion of the World War I poster collection.

Assistant Librarian William Krueger continues to be active in Library Association and Library Conservation programs and has served in leadership programs in both. In September of 2011, Krueger finished his second year as president of the Masonic Library and Museum Association by creating the agenda and chairing the annual meeting. He is also president of the Iowa Conservation and Preservation Consortium and helped plan a conference entitled "Disasters Happen" in Cedar Rapids on April 19-20. Krueger has also served as a judge at both the local and state levels for History Day competitions.

The library continues to be represented in the Masonic Library and Museum Association, Iowa Library Association, Iowa Conservation and Preservation Consortium, Iowa Museum Association, Iowa Cultural Corridor Alliance, Cedar Rapids Area Convention and Visitors Bureau, and the Silos and Smokestacks National Heritage Area. All of these associations help promote the Iowa Masonic Library and Museum's visibility at different levels.

The Iowa Masonic Library and Museums continues to be one of the premier Masonic research facilities in the world and houses a fascinating and varied collection of items in their museum. It provides a face of Iowa Masonry for those who are not Masons. The efforts of the all of the members of the Iowa Masonic Library and Museums staff to promote and maintain the integrity of this irreplaceable facility and presenting a helpful, friendly, and hospitable welcome to its visitors and patrons are deeply appreciated.

Fraternally submitted,
 BRYCE B. HILDRETH, CHAIRMAN
 ERIC A. ROZEBOOM,
 KENNETH M. HURMENCE
 Committee

REPORT ON FINANCE (On Audit)

To the Grand Lodge of Iowa:

In accordance with the past-approved custom, the annual audit of the books, accounts, and vouchers of the several officers and committees of the Grand Lodge has been made by the following firms of certified public accountants. The firm of McGladrey & Pullen, LLP, has this year audited the accounts and records of the:

Grand Treasurer

Grand Secretary and Librarian
Grand Master's Funds
Lodge Service Committee
Custodians of the Work
Iowa Masonic Scholarship Endowment Fund
Masonic Charitable Educational Corporation

The firm of Honkamp Krueger & Co., PC, audited the Iowa Masonic Library and Museums Building Endowment Fund.

The firm, Ryun, Givens, Wenthe and Co., PLC, Certified Public Accountants, audited the accounts of the Rowley Memorial Trust and the Grand Charity Funds.

The reports show the receipts and disbursements of the above named officers and committees, together with the cash balances and securities on hand as of July 31, 2012. Proper accounting has been made of all funds and securities, and the books have been found to be correct by the reports of the certified public accountants appended hereto and made a part thereof.

Fraternally submitted,
ROBERT E. BRECKENRIDGE II, Chairman
CARL N. HORNE,
LANE H. SHAVER
Committee

REPORT OF THE CERTIFIED PUBLIC ACCOUNTANTS

To the Grand Lodge of Iowa:

We have audited the accompanying consolidated statements of assets, liabilities and net assets – income tax basis of the Grand Lodge of Iowa of Ancient, Free and Accepted Masons and the Iowa Masonic Scholarship Endowment Fund (collectively referred to as the Organization) as of July 31, 2012 and 2011, and the related consolidated statement of support, revenue, expense and (deficiency) of revenue over expenses – income tax basis for the year then ended. These financial statements are the responsibility of the Organization's management. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on our audit.

We conducted our audits in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free of material misstatement. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. An audit also includes assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall financial statement presentation. We believe our audits provide a reasonable basis for our opinion.

As described in Note 1 to the financial statements, these financial statements were prepared on the basis of accounting the Organization uses for income tax

purposes, which is a comprehensive basis of accounting other than accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

In our opinion, the consolidated financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the assets, liabilities and net assets of Grand Lodge of Iowa of Ancient, Free and Accepted Masons and the Iowa Masonic Scholarship Endowment Fund as of July 31, 2012 and 2011, and the support, revenue, expense and change in net assets for the year then ended, on the basis of accounting described in Note 1.

McGladrey & Pullen, LLP

Cedar Rapids, Iowa
February 11, 2013

GRAND LODGE OF IOWA A.F. & A.M.
Consolidated Statement of Assets, Liabilities And Net Assets –
Income Tax Basis
July 31, 2012 and 2011

	<u>2011</u>	<u>2012</u>
Assets		
Cash and Cash Equivalents	\$ 185,172	\$ 330,055
Investments	<u>5,365,606</u>	<u>5,635,976</u>
	<u>\$ 5,550,778</u>	<u>\$ 5,966,031</u>
Liabilities and Net Assets		
Annuity Payable under Split-Interest Agreement	<u>\$ 5,253</u>	<u>\$ 4,933</u>
Net Assets		
Unrestricted	5,257,327	5,672,900
Temporarily Restricted	<u>288,198</u>	<u>288,198</u>
	<u>5,545,525</u>	<u>5,961,098</u>
	<u>\$ 5,550,778</u>	<u>\$ 5,966,031</u>

See Notes to Consolidated Financial Statements

GRAND LODGE OF IOWA A.F. & A.M.
Consolidated Statement of Support, Revenue, Expense, and
(Deficiency) of Revenue over Expenses
Income Tax Basis
Years Ended July 31, 2012 and 2011

	<u>2012</u>		
	<u>Unrestricted</u>	<u>Temporarily Restricted</u>	<u>Total</u>
Support and revenue			
Dues and fees	\$ 571,095	\$ 0	\$ 571,095
Investment income	223,373	18,000	241,373
Net realized on investments	279,983	0	279,983
Program service income	25,181	0	25,181
Rental income	141,465	0	141,465
Miscellaneous income	58,146	0	58,146

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Donations Income	23,564	0	23,564
Net assets released from restrictions satisfaction of purpose restrictions	18,000	(18,000)	0
	<u>1,340,807</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>1,340,807</u>
Expenses			
Program Services			
Fraternal activities	371,669	0	371,669
Charitable activities	51,261	0	51,261
Educational activities – library and museums	113,789	0	113,789
Scholarships	<u>120,000</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>120,000</u>
Total Program Services And Scholarships	<u>656,719</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>656,719</u>
Supporting services, management and general	<u>268,515</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>268,515</u>
Total Expenses	<u>925,234</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>925,234</u>
Excess (Deficiency) of revenue over expenses – income tax basis	415,573	-	415,573
Net assets, beginning	<u>5,257,327</u>	<u>288,198</u>	<u>5,545,525</u>
Net assets, ending	<u>\$ 5,672,900</u>	<u>\$ 288,198</u>	<u>\$ 5,961,098</u>

	<u>2011</u>		
	<u>Unrestricted</u>	<u>Temporarily Restricted</u>	<u>Total</u>
Support and revenue			
Dues and fees	\$ 514,774	\$ 0	\$ 514,774
Investment income	174,499	21,998	196,497
Net realized (losses) on			
Investments	26,633	0	26,633
Program service income	15,356	0	15,356
Rental income (Note 5)	17,160	0	17,160
Miscellaneous income	40,750	0	40,750
Donations Income	30,936	0	30,936
Net assets released from restrictions satisfaction of purpose restrictions (Note 3)	22,000	(22,000)	0
	<u>842,108</u>	<u>(2)</u>	<u>842,106</u>
Expenses			
Program Services			
Fraternal activities	397,767	0	397,767
Charitable activities	59,055	0	59,055
Educational activities – library and museums	129,770	0	129,770
Scholarships	<u>120,000</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>120,000</u>
Total Program Services And Scholarships	<u>706,592</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>706,592</u>
Supporting services, management and general	<u>247,857</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>247,857</u>

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Total Expenses	954,449	0	954,449
(Deficiency) of revenue over expenses – income tax basis	(112,341)	(2)	(112,343)
Net assets, beginning	5,369,668	288,200	5,657,868
Net assets, ending	\$ 5,257,327	\$ 288,198	\$ 5,545,525

See Notes to Consolidated Financial Statements

GRAND LODGE OF IOWA A.F. & A.M.

Notes to Consolidated Financial Statements

Note 1. Nature of Activities and Significant Accounting Policies

Nature of business: The Grand Lodge of Iowa of Ancient, Free, and Accepted Masons (Grand Lodge) purpose and activities are fraternal and charitable in nature. Subordinate lodges participate in a variety of charitable and civic activities such as student scholarships and helping needy families and individuals. The Grand Lodge supports these activities as well as scholarship programs, a student loan program, two nursing homes, Field Financial Aid, and participates with the Masonic Service Association of the United States and other Grand Lodges in financial relief for natural disasters.

The Iowa Masonic Scholarship Endowment Fund (Scholarship Fund) was officially established by the Board of Trustees of the Grand Lodge on September 18, 1974, under an irrevocable trust instrument for the purpose of providing college scholarships to deserving Iowa public high school seniors. The trustees of the Scholarship Fund are appointed by the Grand Master of the Grand Lodge.

Basis of presentation: Commencing with the year ended July 31, 2010, the Grand Lodge adopted the policy of preparing its financial statements on the accounting basis used for federal income tax purposes. For income tax purposes, the Grand Lodge has consolidated the Scholarship Fund. The federal income tax return is reported on the cash basis method with modifications for charity obligations. The income tax basis of accounting may differ from generally accepted accounting practices in the following significant respects. Certain revenues are recognized when received rather than when earned and certain expenses and purchases of assets are recognized when cash is disbursed rather than when the obligation is incurred. That basis differs from accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America primarily because the Grand Lodge and the Scholarship Fund have not recognized any receivables, accrued investment income, capitalized purchases of property and equipment, accrued expenses, amount due vendors, or recorded the related effects on earnings.

Consolidation: The consolidated financial statements include the Grand Lodge and the Scholarship Fund. All material intercompany accounts and transactions are eliminated in consolidation.

Accounting estimates: The preparation of financial statements in conformity with the income tax basis of accounting requires management to have a reasonable basis for the estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amount of assets and liabilities and disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities at the date of the financial statements and the reported amounts of support, revenues, expenses, gains, losses, and other changes in net assets during the reporting period. Actual results could differ from those estimates. Because many types of transactions are susceptible to varying interpretations under federal (and state) income tax laws and regulations, the amounts reported in the accompanying financial statements may be subject to change at a later date upon final determination by the taxing authorities.

A summary of the Grand Lodge's significant accounting policies follows:

Net assets: Net assets and support and revenue, expenses, gains and losses are classified based on the existence or absence of donor-imposed restrictions. Accordingly, net assets of the Grand Lodge and Scholarship Fund and changes therein are classified and reported as follows:

Unrestricted: This category of net assets includes unrestricted contributions and expenses associated with the principal activity of the Grand Lodge and Scholarship Fund. Unrestricted net assets are presently available for use by the Grand Lodge and Scholarship Fund at the discretion of the Board of Trustees.

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Temporarily restricted: This category of net assets includes gifts and income for which donor-imposed restrictions have not been met or a donor-imposed time restriction has been incurred and the net appreciation or depreciation in permanently restricted endowments that has not been appropriated for expenditure. The Grand Lodge and Scholarship Fund had temporarily restricted net assets of \$288,198 as of July 31, 2012 and 2011. See Note 3 for discussion regarding the nature restrictions.

Permanently restricted: This category of net assets includes gifts, trusts, and pledges that require, by donor restriction, that the corpus of the gift be invested in perpetuity and only the income be made available for program operations in accordance with donor restrictions. The Grand Lodge and Scholarship Fund had no permanently restricted net assets as of July 31, 2012 and 2011.

Support and revenue: All contributions are considered to be available for unrestricted use unless specifically restricted by the donor or by law. Amounts received which are designated for future periods or restricted by the donor for specific purposes are reported as temporarily restricted or permanently restricted support. However, if a restriction is fulfilled in the same time period in which the contribution is received, the Grand Lodge reports the support as unrestricted. When a donor restriction expires, that is, when a stipulated time restriction ends or purpose restriction is accomplished, temporarily restricted net assets are reclassified to unrestricted net assets and reported in the statement of support, revenue, expenses, and changes in net assets – income tax basis as net assets released from restrictions.

The Grand Lodge is reliant primarily upon dues from its members, most of whom are Iowa residents.

Contributions received by the Scholarship Fund under irrevocable split-interest agreements are recorded at their fair value when received. The date when the Scholarship Fund is considered to receive an irrevocable split-interest agreement depends on whether the Scholarship Fund or a third party is trustee of the agreement. If the Scholarship Fund is the trustee or fiscal agent of the assets, the gift is considered received (and the split-interest agreement is recorded) when the donor executes the agreement. If an unrelated third party (such as bank, trust company, or private individual) is the trustee or fiscal agent of the assets, the Scholarship Fund records the split-interest agreement when it is notified of the gift's existence.

If the Scholarship Fund holds or controls the assets contributed under an irrevocable split-interest agreement, it (1) records the assets received at their fair value, (2) records a liability for any portion of the assets that are held for the donor or other beneficiary equal to the present value of the unexpected future payments to be made to the donor or other beneficiary, and (3) records contribution revenue for the difference between the fair value of the assets received and the liability incurred.

Cash and cash equivalents: Includes all cash accounts, which are not subject to withdrawal restrictions or penalties, and all liquid investments with an original maturity of three months or less when purchased as cash and cash equivalents.

Concentrations of credit risk: Financial instruments which subject to concentrations of credit risk consist primarily of investments in long-term corporate and government fixed income instruments, equity holdings of domestic corporations, money market accounts, certificates of deposit, and mutual funds. The Grand Lodge or Scholarship Fund maintains cash in banks which may, at times, exceed the Federal Deposit Insurance Company limits.

Investments: Investments are carried at cost. Investment income is reported in the statement of support, revenue, expense, and changes in net assets – income tax basis as unrestricted, temporarily restricted, or permanently restricted revenue based upon donor-imposed restrictions. Gains and investment income that are limited to specific uses by donor-imposed restrictions are reported in temporarily restricted net assets when the restrictions are met in the same period as the gains and income are recognized. The Scholarship Fund board has elected to return ten (10) percent of all investment income to the investment principal. Appreciation and depreciation of investments are recorded when realized.

Functional expenses: The costs of providing various program and supporting services have been summarized on a functional basis in the consolidated statement of support, revenue, expenses, and changes in net assets – income tax basis. Accordingly, certain costs have been allocated among the program and supporting services benefited.

Income taxes: The Internal Revenue Service has recognized the Grand Lodge as exempt from federal income tax under Section 501(c)(10). However, it may be subject to tax on unrelated business income.

Subsequent events: The Grand Lodge has evaluated subsequent events through December 20, 2012, the date on which the financial statements were available for issuance. Management has determined that no other events or transactions have occurred through this date that would require recognition or disclosure within the consolidated financial statements.

Note 2. Investments

A summary of the investments at July 31, 2012 and 2011 is as follows:

Year Ended July 31, 2012			
	Unrestricted	Temporarily Restricted	Total
Taxable Bonds	\$ 2,750,285	\$ 13,181	\$ 2,763,466
Equity Securities	2,263,656	181,180	2,444,836
Certificates of Deposit	<u>333,837</u>	<u>93,837</u>	<u>427,674</u>
	<u>5,347,778</u>	<u>288,198</u>	<u>5,635,976</u>

Year Ended July 31, 2011			
	Unrestricted	Temporarily Restricted	Total
Taxable Bonds	\$ 2,358,918	\$ 14,178	\$ 2,373,096
Equity Securities	2,536,163	55,050	2,591,213
Certificates of Deposit	<u>247,797</u>	<u>153,500</u>	<u>401,297</u>
	<u>5,142,878</u>	<u>222,728</u>	<u>5,365,606</u>

Note 3. Temporarily Restricted Net Assets

As of July 31, 2012 and 2011, temporarily restricted net assets consist of amounts that are restricted for the following purposes:

	2011	2012
Swab Memorial Fund: Both income and principal restricted for major building needs and maintenance for the Swab Memorial	\$ 237,622	\$ 237,624
Pete and Maxine Todd Memorial: Both income and principal restricted for significant purchases for the library and museums	40,747	40,747
Thompson: Upon death of the donor, the remaining principal balance will be unrestricted for the use of the Scholarship Fund	<u>9,829</u>	<u>9,827</u>
	<u>\$ 288,198</u>	<u>\$ 288,198</u>

Net Assets during the years ended July 31, 2012 and 2011 were released from donor restrictions by incurring expenses satisfying the restricted purposes. Net assets were released from the following restrictions:

	2011	2012
Purpose restriction:		
Camp Courageous	\$ 5,000	\$ -
Donation to Hope Lodge	1,000	-
Hearts for Hope	1,000	-
Support Siouland Soldier	-	10,000
Iowa DeMolay Foundation	8,000	3,000
Iowa Jobs Daughters	1,000	1,000
Iowa Masonic Library Association	1,000	-
Iowa/Minnesota Rainbow	<u>5,000</u>	<u>4,000</u>
	<u>\$ 22,000</u>	<u>\$ 18,000</u>

Note 4. Employee Benefit Plans

The Grand Lodge participates in the Grand Lodge of Iowa, A. F. & A. M. Retirement Plan. The retirement plan is a multi-employer defined contribution pension plan covering substantially all of its employees and the employees of the Iowa Masonic Health Facilities and the Herman L. Rowley Masonic Home. The various entities included in the pension plan fund their proportionate shares of the pension cost. The pension disbursement for the Grand Lodge's employees for the years ended July 31, 2012 and 2011 totaled \$14,886 and \$14,418, respectively.

Note 5. Rental Income

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The Grand Lodge leases a portion of the building to two unrelated entities. The lease terms expire in April 2014 and November 2013. Monthly rental payments due the Grand Lodge for these leases are \$700 and \$580 per month.

Minimum future rentals to be received by the Grand Lodge for the year ended July 31 under these leases as follows:

2013		\$	15,360
2014			<u>8,620</u>
Total Future Income			<u>\$ 23,980</u>

Note 6. Beneficial Interest in Split-Interest Agreements

The Scholarship Fund has been designated as a beneficiary of the Brown Family Masonic Scholarship Trust (the "Trust"). The Trust's assets are being held by the Masonic Charitable Educational Corporation (MCEC), a related party, until July 2026, at which time the assets will be transferred to the Scholarship Fund. Earnings of the Trust are to be allocated as follows: 10% to be retained to maintain the value of the original principal and the remainder to be disbursed as scholarships to deserving students by MCEC. Since the financial statements are under the tax basis method of accounting, these assets are not included in the financial statements.

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**Independent Auditors' Report on the Supplement Information**

To the Grand Lodge:

Our audits were made for the purpose of forming an opinion on the consolidated financial statements taken as a whole. The consolidating information is presented for purposes of additional analysis rather than to present the financial position, results of operations and cash flows of the individual companies and is not a required part of the consolidated financial statements. Such information is the responsibility of management and was derived from and relates directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the consolidated financial statements. The consolidating information has been subjected to the auditing procedures, including comparing and reconciling such information directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the consolidated financial statements or to the consolidate financial statements themselves, and other additional procedures in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. In our opinion, the information is fairly stated in all material respects in relation to the consolidated financial statements as a whole.

McGladery & Pullen, LLP

Cedar Rapids, Iowa  
February 11, 2013

**GRAND LODGE OF IOWA A.F. & A.M.  
Consolidating Statements of Assets, Liabilities and Net Assets –  
Income Tax Basis  
July 31, 2012 and 2011**

|                           | 2012                   |                                     |              |                     |
|---------------------------|------------------------|-------------------------------------|--------------|---------------------|
| <b>Assets</b>             | Grand Lodge<br>of Iowa | Iowa Masonic<br>Scholarship<br>Fund | Eliminations | Consolidated        |
| Cash and cash equivalents | \$ 306,757             | \$ 23,298                           | \$ -         | \$ 330,055          |
| Investments               | 2,411,666              | 3,224,310                           | -            | 5,635,976           |
|                           | <u>\$ 2,718,423</u>    | <u>\$ 3,247,608</u>                 | <u>\$ -</u>  | <u>\$ 5,966,031</u> |



**Liabilities and Net Assets**

|                                                |                     |                     |             |                     |
|------------------------------------------------|---------------------|---------------------|-------------|---------------------|
| Annuity payable under split-interest agreement | \$ -                | \$ 4,933            | \$ -        | \$ 4,933            |
| <b>Net Assets</b>                              |                     |                     |             |                     |
| Unrestricted                                   | 2,440,052           | 3,232,848           | -           | 5,672,900           |
| Temporarily restricted                         | 278,371             | 9,827               | -           | 288,198             |
|                                                | <u>\$ 2,718,423</u> | <u>\$ 3,242,675</u> | <u>\$ -</u> | <u>\$ 5,961,098</u> |
|                                                | <u>\$ 2,718,423</u> | <u>\$ 3,247,608</u> | <u>\$ -</u> | <u>\$ 5,966,031</u> |

|                           | 2011                   |                                                  |              |                     |
|---------------------------|------------------------|--------------------------------------------------|--------------|---------------------|
|                           | Grand Lodge<br>of Iowa | Iowa Masonic<br>Scholarship<br>Endowment<br>Fund | Eliminations | Consolidated        |
| <b>Assets</b>             |                        |                                                  |              |                     |
| Cash and cash equivalents | \$ 144,673             | \$ 40,499                                        | \$ -         | \$ 185,172          |
| Investments               | 2,159,427              | 3,206,179                                        | -            | 5,365,606           |
|                           | <u>\$ 2,304,100</u>    | <u>\$ 3,246,678</u>                              | <u>\$ -</u>  | <u>\$ 5,550,778</u> |

**Liabilities and Net Assets**

|                                                |                     |                     |             |                     |
|------------------------------------------------|---------------------|---------------------|-------------|---------------------|
| Annuity payable under split-interest agreement | \$ -                | \$ 5,253            | \$ -        | \$ 5,253            |
| <b>Net Assets</b>                              |                     |                     |             |                     |
| Unrestricted                                   | 2,025,729           | 3,231,598           | -           | 5,257,327           |
| Temporarily restricted                         | 278,371             | 9,827               | -           | 288,198             |
|                                                | <u>\$ 2,304,100</u> | <u>\$ 3,241,425</u> | <u>\$ -</u> | <u>\$ 5,545,525</u> |
|                                                | <u>\$ 2,304,100</u> | <u>\$ 3,246,678</u> | <u>\$ -</u> | <u>\$ 5,550,778</u> |

**GRAND LODGE OF IOWA A.F. & A.M.  
Consolidating Statements of Support, Revenue, Expense, and  
(Deficiency) of Revenue over Expenses  
Income Tax Basis  
Years Ended July 31, 2012 and 2011**

|                                                                              | 2012                   |                                                  |                 |                  |
|------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------------|--------------------------------------------------|-----------------|------------------|
|                                                                              | Grand Lodge<br>of Iowa | Iowa Masonic<br>Scholarship<br>Endowment<br>Fund | Eliminations    | Consolidated     |
| <b>Support and Revenue</b>                                                   |                        |                                                  |                 |                  |
| Dues and fees                                                                | \$ 571,095             | \$ -                                             | \$ -            | \$ 571,095       |
| Investment income                                                            | 64,525                 | 170,005                                          | -               | 234,530          |
| Net realized gains (losses) on investments                                   | 313,493                | (33,510)                                         | -               | 279,983          |
| Program service income                                                       | 25,181                 | -                                                | -               | 25,181           |
| Rental income                                                                | 16,035                 | -                                                | -               | 16,035           |
| Miscellaneous income                                                         | 64,989                 | -                                                | -               | 64,989           |
| Donations income                                                             | 23,564                 | 13,345                                           | (13,345)        | 23,564           |
| Disaster benefits received                                                   | 125,430                | -                                                | -               | 125,430          |
| <b>Total support and revenue</b>                                             | <u>1,204,312</u>       | <u>149,840</u>                                   | <u>(13,345)</u> | <u>1,340,807</u> |
| <b>Expenses</b>                                                              |                        |                                                  |                 |                  |
| Program services                                                             |                        |                                                  |                 |                  |
| Fraternal activities                                                         | 371,669                | -                                                | -               | 371,669          |
| Charitable activities                                                        | 64,606                 | -                                                | (13,345)        | 51,261           |
| Educational activities –<br>library and museums                              | 113,789                | -                                                | -               | 113,789          |
| Scholarships                                                                 | -                      | 120,000                                          | -               | 120,000          |
| Total Program Services and<br>Scholarships                                   | 550,064                | 120,000                                          | (13,345)        | 656,719          |
| Supporting services, management and<br>General                               | 239,925                | 28,590                                           | -               | 268,515          |
| <b>Total Expenses</b>                                                        | <u>789,989</u>         | <u>148,590</u>                                   | <u>(13,345)</u> | <u>925,234</u>   |
| <b>Excess (Deficiency) or revenue over<br/>  expenses – income tax basis</b> | 414,323                | 1,250                                            | -               | 415,573          |
| <b>Net assets, beginning</b>                                                 | <u>2,304,100</u>       | <u>3,241,435</u>                                 | <u>-</u>        | <u>5,545,525</u> |

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|                                                                     |                        |                                                  |                |                     |
|---------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------------|--------------------------------------------------|----------------|---------------------|
| <b>Net assets, ending</b>                                           | \$ 2,718,423           | \$ 3,242,675                                     | \$ -           | \$ 5,961,098        |
|                                                                     | <u>2011</u>            |                                                  |                |                     |
|                                                                     | Grand Lodge<br>of Iowa | Iowa Masonic<br>Scholarship<br>Endowment<br>Fund | Eliminations   | Consolidated        |
| <b>Support and Revenue</b>                                          |                        |                                                  |                |                     |
| Dues and fees                                                       | \$ 514,774             | \$ -                                             | \$ -           | \$ 514,774          |
| Investment income                                                   | 38,145                 | 158,352                                          | -              | 196,497             |
| Net realized (loss) on investments                                  | 17,398                 | 9,235                                            | -              | 26,633              |
| Program service income                                              | 15,356                 | -                                                | -              | 15,356              |
| Rental income                                                       | 17,160                 | -                                                | -              | 17,160              |
| Miscellaneous income                                                | 40,750                 | -                                                | -              | 40,750              |
| Donations income                                                    | <u>30,936</u>          | <u>3,568</u>                                     | <u>(3,568)</u> | <u>30,936</u>       |
| <b>Total support and revenue</b>                                    | <u>674,519</u>         | <u>171,155</u>                                   | <u>(3,568)</u> | <u>842,106</u>      |
| <b>Expenses</b>                                                     |                        |                                                  |                |                     |
| Program services                                                    |                        |                                                  |                |                     |
| Fraternal activities                                                | 397,767                | -                                                | -              | 397,767             |
| Charitable activities                                               | 62,623                 | -                                                | (3,568)        | 59,055              |
| Educational activities –<br>library and museums                     | 129,770                | -                                                | -              | 129,770             |
| Scholarships                                                        | -                      | 120,000                                          | -              | 120,000             |
| Total Program Services and<br>Scholarships                          | <u>590,160</u>         | <u>120,000</u>                                   | <u>(3,568)</u> | <u>706,592</u>      |
| Supporting services, management and<br>General                      | <u>219,803</u>         | <u>28,054</u>                                    | <u>-</u>       | <u>247,857</u>      |
| <b>Total Expenses</b>                                               | <u>809,963</u>         | <u>148,054</u>                                   | <u>(3,568)</u> | <u>954,449</u>      |
| <b>(Deficiency) or revenue over<br/>expenses – income tax basis</b> | <u>(135,444)</u>       | <u>23,101</u>                                    | <u>-</u>       | <u>(112,343)</u>    |
| <b>Net assets, beginning</b>                                        | <u>2,439,544</u>       | <u>3,218,324</u>                                 | <u>-</u>       | <u>5,657,868</u>    |
| <b>Net assets, ending</b>                                           | <u>\$ 2,304,100</u>    | <u>\$ 3,241,425</u>                              | <u>\$ -</u>    | <u>\$ 5,545,525</u> |

## REPORT OF THE TRUSTEES OF THE GRAND CHARITY BOARD

To the Grand Lodge of Iowa:

The Board of Trustees of the Grand Charity Funds of the Grand Lodge of Iowa, A.F. & A.M. presents its annual report for the 2011-2012 fiscal and Grand Lodge Year relating to its statutory role to carry out the charitable purposes of the Grand Lodge of Iowa. (Chap.6(2)(a) of the Iowa Masonic Code Laws of the Grand Lodge.)

### MISSION STATEMENT:

Our Mission is two-fold and is guided by the requirements of the Masonic Code of Iowa and by the principles of Brotherly Love, Relief and Truth, which govern all Masons in this Grand Lodge.

1. We review and respond to each application for relief which is presented to us by a subordinate lodge, investigate the circumstances thereof, and grant such relief as is both needed and reasonable, and within the funds available to the Field Financial Aid Fund.
2. We oversee the operations of the Iowa Masonic Health Facilities (IMHF) and the Masonic Village, Inc. Independent Living Facility, as non-profit facilities. Both

the Iowa Masonic Health Facilities and the Masonic Village serve Iowa Masons, their dependents or anyone who qualifies for residency and the services of those facilities, providing the highest quality of service and care possible to the resident in order to assure a desirable quality of life in their senior years.

#### **GOVERNING:**

The Field Financial Aid Fund, Iowa Masonic Health Facilities, and Masonic Village are governed by a Board of Trustees composed of members of the Iowa Masonic Family:

Terry E. Osborne, P.J.G.W., Chairman, Poweshiek Lodge No. 174, Malcom

Theodore C. Wiley, Vice-Chairman, Mount Pleasant Lodge No. 8, Mount Pleasant

Realf H. Ottesen, Junior Grand Warden, Chaplain, Early Morning Lodge No. 672 and Hamilton Lodge No. 664, Bettendorf; and Snow Lodge No. 44, Le Claire

Damian N. Hurmence, Treasurer, Mount Vernon Lodge No. 112, Mount Vernon

Eldon F. Walton, Secretary, Crest City Lodge No. 522, Creston and Daylight Lodge No. 660, Des Moines

The Administrator of the Iowa Masonic Health Facilities and Masonic Village is Marsha J. Miller, who serves the Trustees as Executive Director and Recording Secretary.

The Trustees of the Grand Charity Funds meet monthly, usually on the fourth Friday of the month at the Iowa Masonic Health Facilities in Bettendorf, IA. Any Iowa Mason is invited to attend one of our meetings and to learn how the work of the Trustees is done. Each of the Trustees serves as a volunteer to oversee the Field Financial Aid Fund, the operations of Iowa Masonic Health Facilities and Masonic Village, and to supervise the work of the Executive Director.

#### **THE PERMANENT GRAND CHARITY FUND AND FIELD FINANCIAL AID FUND**

The Trustees of the Grand Charity Fund oversee the Permanent Grand Charity Fund and its investments; and distribute 90% of its annual income as the Field Financial Aid Program. By Masonic Code, 90% of the income of the Permanent Grand Charity Fund is transferred to the Field Financial Aid Fund each year. The Trustees distribute these funds at the request of the subordinate lodges to appropriate causes and persons, returning unused funds to the principal of the Permanent Fund at the end of each fiscal year.

The purpose of the Field Financial Aid Fund, one of the oldest Grand Lodge Charity Programs, is to assist subordinate lodges to meet charity

requests, which they are unable to fully fund themselves. The Field Financial Aid is not meant to replace the responsibility of the local lodges to do charitable work, but to supplement, thus providing more assistance than would be possible by the local lodge alone.

At the beginning of the fiscal year the Permanent Grand Charity Fund was fully invested in the amount of \$1,550,465, and on May 31, 2012 was fully invested in the amount of \$1,505,908 (including unrealized gains and losses).

Each year we inform every subordinate lodge in the Grand Lodge of Iowa of the existence of the Field Financial Aid Fund and encourage their applications to that fund.

From August 1, 2011 through May 31, 2012 we responded to seventeen applications making awards of \$22,796 from the Field Financial Aid Fund to supplement \$27,075 from local lodges who made application, for a grand total of \$49,871. The details of the individual request for aid and the amounts thereof are available with the consent of the Chairman of the Board of Trustees.

It is the goal of the Trustees of the Grand Charity funds to be able to distribute the entire 90% allotment of income during fiscal year 2012–2013 for the charitable purposes for which the fund was created.

## **IOWA MASONIC HEALTH FACILITIES AND MASONIC VILLAGE**

### **MAJOR GOALS:**

**The major goal of Iowa Masonic Health Facilities** is to provide a safe and caring environment that promotes the well being of its residents and protects the rights and dignity of each individual while providing quality care. The facility is inspected annually by the Iowa Department of Inspections and Appeals and when last inspected received an excellent survey review.

**The major goal of the Masonic Village** is to provide an independent living community for persons sixty years of age and older. With renewable annual leases now available, Masonic Village now has very few unoccupied villas.

### **SERVICES PROVIDED:**

**Iowa Masonic Health Facilities** is a seventy-nine (79) bed dually certified skilled and intermediate nursing care facility. Seventy-seven of the rooms are private, one room is semi-private, and one room is reserved as a respite room to serve Masonic Village residents should the need arise. Eighteen of the seventy-nine licensed beds are designated to the Ann Ruge Special Care Unit for Alzheimer's Disease and related disorders as approved by the Iowa Department of Inspections and Appeals. Services available to each resident of the facility include all aspects of healthcare for the elderly. There are approximately 106 persons on staff

at the facility providing professional services to each resident. Departments include nursing, activities, social services and counseling, housekeeping, dietary services, maintenance, and administration.

**Masonic Village** provides forty (40) independent living apartments under the Continuing Care Retirement Community Act of Iowa. The Village offers freedom from unwanted responsibility for its residents. Additional services include social and recreational activities, light housecleaning, transportation, and counseling. The fees and rents received also provide for total maintenance, twenty-four (24) hour security, and emergency medical services on a twenty – four (24) hour basis, trash collection, and all utilities. We now offer limited home health services as well. If a resident finds it necessary to receive nursing home care, Masonic Village residents have priority admission to Iowa Masonic Health Facilities.

At the present time Masons and families of Masons who become resident of Masonic Village receive a discount for the fees. For further details please call (563) 359-9171.

**FINANCIAL SUPPORT:** Iowa Masonic Health Facilities is supported by the fees received from private pay residents, Medicare, Medicaid, private insurance and the income from the Iowa Masonic Health Facilities Endowment Fund, and the Iowa Masonic Health Facilities Fund, along with the amount which is designated as part of Grand Lodge Dues.

Each year we receive income from trusts and bequest of Masons and their families, which supplement the funds available to the Endowment Fund and Facilities Fund. On July 31, 2012 the Endowment was fully invested at \$1,040,375 and the Iowa Masonic Health Facilities Fund was fully invested at \$2,852,710. In addition there is a designated fund for a chapel at Iowa Masonic Health Facilities in the amount of \$144,729.

The income from the Endowment and the Facility funds, together with gifts from Masons and lodges, are another act of Masonic Charity to compensate for the shortage of reimbursements received from Medicaid. (Due to low reimbursement rates.) Approximately 40.6% of the operating income of Iowa Masonic Health Facilities comes from Medicaid. These funds, however, do not pay the total cost of care of these residents, as the reimbursement is only 90% of the per diem cost of care. The charity of Iowa Masons has made it possible to make up this difference without invading the principal of any invested fund.

In addition, 195 Iowa subordinate lodges have contributed a total of \$13,092 to the Sunshine Fund of Iowa Masonic Health Facilities. This fund purchases many amenities for the residents of Iowa Masonic Health Facilities, such as Christmas gifts for all residents, birthday gifts and spending money for resident who have no other source of funds, clothing, shoes, and personal items. Group amenities such as the aviaries, newspaper and magazine subscriptions, books on tape, large screen

television for lounges, furniture, and other decorative items are also purchased from these generous contributions by Iowa Masons.

In compliance with Chapter 6 Sec. 7 (e) of the Iowa Masonic Code, we have approved a budget of fiscal year 2012-2013 of \$5,242,909 for Iowa Masonic Health Facilities, with capital expenditures limited to emergencies only. The budget for Masonic Village for the same period has been approved in the amount of \$456,399, with capital expenditures for emergencies only.

**INSURANCE AND APPRAISALS:** All insurance policies and appraisals of the properties of the Trustees of the Grand Charity Funds are available for inspections at the Iowa Masonic Health Facilities Executive Offices in Bettendorf.

### **VOLUNTEERS AND SPECIAL THANKS**

Many individuals and groups have contributed their time, energy, and often their funds to Iowa Masonic Health Facilities and Masonic Village. The Trustees of the Grand Charity Funds would like to extend our thanks for these groups.

The Care Review Committee members are Mr. John Ortega, and Mr. Bob Holiday. The Care Review Committee is an official body recommended by the Iowa State Department of Inspections and Appeals as one of the standards for maintaining quality in a long-term care facility. These caring volunteers act as advocates for the residents and assist in protecting their rights.

**The Local Masonic Community:** The grateful thanks of the Trustees go out to the brothers of the local Masonic lodges who do so much to make the life of those at Iowa Masonic Health Facilities better. Special thanks go to Hamilton Lodge No. 664 and Early Morning Lodge No. 672 for their time and assistance with numerous events and programs at Iowa Masonic Health Facilities, as well as their monetary contributions. Thanks also to Davenport Lodge No. 37 and Brubaker Lodge No. 675 for their interest and support of the facility.

Thanks also go to the Davenport Eastern Star Chapters for their faithful participation in the facility picnic and special projects each year and to the Mohassan Grotto and Scottish Rite for their generosity and continued support.

**Residents:** We also appreciate the several Masonic Village residents who contribute their time and talents to the facilities in so many ways and areas. Our special thanks to Marjorie and Ken Harden, Maxine and Ken Duhm, Elaine and Wendell Hughes, Howard Massengarb, Ralph Schluckwerder, Edna Cannon, Lolly Kile, Kay Cone, Carm Randolph, Muriel Acker, and Paul and Joan Jones.

**Others:** We also wish to thank area churches, and especially the pastors who offer volunteer services for our chapel services, the grade

school and high school groups, scouts and the many other volunteers who contribute so much towards brightening the lives of our residents.

### **CONCLUSIONS**

In addition to this report, the Trustees of the Grand Charity Funds would like to report that an internet website for Iowa Masonic Health Facilities and Masonic Village has been developed and is currently up and running. It is located at [www.iowmasonichealth.org](http://www.iowmasonichealth.org). This site provides information about the facilities and services and also provides informational and admission forms.

We would like to encourage every Mason and every lodge to make use of the charitable services of your Grand Lodge by asking for use of Field financial Aid Funds, and to inquire about residency at our excellent independent living and health care facilities.

FRATERNALLY SUBMITTED,  
TERRY E. OSBORNE, Chairman  
THEODORE C. WILEY,  
ELDON F. WALTON,  
DAMIAN N. HURMENCE,  
REALFF H. OTTESEN  
Trustees

### **REPORT OF THE CERTIFIED PUBLIC ACCOUNTANTS (GRAND CHARITY FUNDS)**

To the Grand Lodge:

We have audited the accompanying consolidated statements of financial position of the Trustees of the Grand Charity Funds of the Grand Lodge of Iowa A.F. & A.M. (Iowa Masonic Health Facilities) (a non-profit organization) and affiliate as of July 31, 2012 and 2011, and the related consolidated statements of activities and cash flows for the years then ended. These consolidated financial statements are the responsibility of the Organization's management. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on our audits.

We conducted our audits in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audits to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the consolidated financial statements are free of material misstatement. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the consolidated financial statements. An audit also includes assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall financial statement presentation. We believe that our audits provide a reasonable basis for our opinion.

In our opinion, the consolidated financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of the Trustees of the Grand Charity Funds of the Grand Lodge of Iowa A.F. & A.M. (Iowa Masonic Health Facilities) and affiliate as of July 31, 2012 and 2011 and the changes in their net

assets, and their cash flows for the year then ended in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

RYUN, GIVENS & COMPANY, P.L.C.

Urbandale, Iowa  
November 21, 2012

**TRUSTEES OF THE GRAND CHARITY FUNDS OF  
THE GRAND LODGE OF IOWA A.F. & A.M.  
(IOWA MASONIC HEALTH FACILITIES)  
AND AFFILIATE**

**Consolidated Statements of Financial Position  
July 31, 2012 and 2011**

|                                                                                                  | <u>2011</u>          | <u>2012</u>          |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------|----------------------|
| <b>ASSETS</b>                                                                                    |                      |                      |
| Current Assets:                                                                                  |                      |                      |
| Cash and Cash Equivalents                                                                        | \$ 1,664,715         | \$ 505,056           |
| Residential Receivables, Net of Allowance for Doubtful<br>Accounts of \$40,000 for 2012 and 2011 | 338,093              | 329,276              |
| Prepaid Expenses and Other Current Assets                                                        | <u>97,784</u>        | <u>89,045</u>        |
| Total Current Assets                                                                             | <u>2,100,592</u>     | <u>923,377</u>       |
| Assets Limited as to Use:                                                                        | 571,726              | 674,540              |
| Property and Equipment:                                                                          |                      |                      |
| Buildings                                                                                        | 13,066,282           | 13,173,178           |
| Land Improvements                                                                                | 548,420              | 577,091              |
| Equipment                                                                                        | 2,694,140            | 2,764,136            |
| Construction in Progress                                                                         | <u>17,886</u>        | <u>0</u>             |
|                                                                                                  | 16,326,728           | 16,514,405           |
| Less Accumulated Depreciation                                                                    | <u>(11,214,332)</u>  | <u>(11,704,780)</u>  |
| Total Property and Equipment                                                                     | <u>5,112,396</u>     | <u>4,809,625</u>     |
| Other Assets: Investments                                                                        | 4,975,198            | 6,025,692            |
| Total Assets                                                                                     | \$ <u>12,759,912</u> | \$ <u>12,433,234</u> |
| <b>LIABILITIES AND NET ASSETS</b>                                                                |                      |                      |
| Current Liabilities:                                                                             |                      |                      |
| Accounts Payable                                                                                 | \$ 122,339           | \$ 117,283           |
| Accrued Salaries and Benefits                                                                    | 146,265              | 169,807              |
| Other Current Liabilities                                                                        | <u>109,209</u>       | <u>111,381</u>       |
| Total Current Liabilities                                                                        | 377,813              | 398,471              |
| Long-Term Liabilities                                                                            |                      |                      |
| Refundable Advance Fees                                                                          | 917,035              | 652,755              |
| Deferred Revenue from Advance Fees                                                               | <u>65,969</u>        | <u>16,255</u>        |
| Total Long-Term Liabilities                                                                      | 983,004              | 669,010              |
| Total Liabilities                                                                                | <u>1,360,817</u>     | <u>1,067,481</u>     |
| Net Assets:                                                                                      |                      |                      |
| Unrestricted Net Assets:                                                                         |                      |                      |
| Undesignated                                                                                     | 8,284,191            | 8,022,986            |
| Board Designated                                                                                 | <u>571,726</u>       | <u>674,540</u>       |
| Total Unrestricted Net Assets                                                                    | 8,855,917            | 8,697,526            |
| Temporarily Restricted                                                                           | 126,150              | 130,150              |
| Permanently Restricted                                                                           | <u>2,417,028</u>     | <u>2,538,077</u>     |
| Total Net Assets                                                                                 | <u>11,399,095</u>    | <u>11,365,753</u>    |



Total Liabilities and Net Assets \$ 12,759,912 \$ 12,433,234

See accompanying notes to consolidated financial statements

**TRUSTEES OF THE GRAND CHARITY FUNDS  
OF THE GRAND LODGE OF IOWA A.F. & A.M.  
(IOWA MASONIC HEALTH FACILITIES)  
AND AFFILIATE**

**Consolidated Statement of Activities  
For the Years Ended July 31, 2012 and 2011**

|                                                             | <u>2011</u>          | <u>2012</u>          |
|-------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------|----------------------|
| <b>Unrestricted Net Assets</b>                              |                      |                      |
| Unrestricted Revenues, Gains, and Other Support             |                      |                      |
| Net Resident Service Revenue                                | \$ 5,244,726         | \$ 5,581,244         |
| Amortization of Advance Fees                                | 37,971               | 18,643               |
| Investment Income (Loss)                                    | 142,474              | (367,368)            |
| Contributions                                               | 48,996               | 240,528              |
| Other Income                                                | 20,899               | 31,363               |
| Net Assets Released from Restrictions Used for Operations   | <u>2,500</u>         | <u>0</u>             |
| Total Revenues, Gains and Other Support                     | 5,497,566            | 5,504,410            |
| <b>Expenses:</b>                                            |                      |                      |
| Salaries and Benefits                                       | 3,651,512            | 3,860,765            |
| Medical Supplies, Drugs and Therapies                       | 338,804              | 403,716              |
| Food                                                        | 171,562              | 191,722              |
| Utilities                                                   | 234,178              | 228,298              |
| Insurance and Other                                         | 632,814              | 732,149              |
| Professional Services                                       | 74,631               | 72,788               |
| Depreciation                                                | <u>476,683</u>       | <u>490,449</u>       |
| <b>Total Expenses</b>                                       | <u>5,580,184</u>     | <u>5,979,887</u>     |
| <b>Operating Income (Loss)</b>                              | <b>(82,618)</b>      | <b>(475,477)</b>     |
| Change in Net Unrealized Gains (Losses) on Investments      | <u>339,568</u>       | <u>317,086</u>       |
| Increase (Decrease) in Unrestricted Net Assets              | <u>256,950</u>       | <u>(158,391)</u>     |
| <b>Temporarily Restricted Net Assets</b>                    |                      |                      |
| Contributions                                               | 0                    | 4,000                |
| Net Assets Released from Restrictions                       | <u>(2,500)</u>       | <u>0</u>             |
| Increase (Decrease) in Temporarily Restricted Net Assets    | (2,500)              | 4,000                |
| <b>Permanently Restricted Net Assets</b>                    |                      |                      |
| Investment Income, Net of Field Financial Aid Distributions | 36,845               | 60,391               |
| Change in Net Unrealized Gains (Losses) on Investments      | <u>159,120</u>       | <u>60,658</u>        |
| Increase (Decrease) in Permanently Restricted<br>Net Assets | <u>195,965</u>       | <u>121,049</u>       |
| Increase (Decrease) in Net Assets                           | 450,415              | (33,342)             |
| Net Assets, Beginning of Year                               | <u>10,948,680</u>    | <u>11,399,095</u>    |
| Net Assets, End of Year                                     | \$ <u>11,399,095</u> | \$ <u>11,365,753</u> |

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OF THE GRAND LODGE OF IOWA A.F. & A.M.  
(IOWA MASONIC HEALTH FACILITIES)  
AND AFFILIATE**

**Consolidated Statement of Cash Flows  
For the Years Ended July 31, 2012 and 2011**

|                                                                                                            | <u>2011</u>         | <u>2012</u>       |
|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------------|-------------------|
| <b>Cash Flows From Operating Activities</b>                                                                |                     |                   |
| Increase (Decrease) in Net Assets                                                                          | \$ 450,415          | \$ (33,342)       |
| Adjustment to Reconcile Increase (Decrease) in Net Assets to Cash Provided (Used) by Operating Activities: |                     |                   |
| Depreciation                                                                                               | 476,683             | 490,449           |
| Gain on Disposal of Property and Equipment                                                                 | (500)               | 0                 |
| (Gain) Loss on Sale of Investments                                                                         | (41,543)            | 456,974           |
| Change in Net Unrealized (Gains) Losses on Investments                                                     | (498,688)           | (377,744)         |
| Amortization of Advance Fees                                                                               | (37,971)            | (18,643)          |
| (Increase) Decrease in:                                                                                    |                     |                   |
| Resident Receivables                                                                                       | 19,044              | 8,817             |
| Prepaid Expenses and Other Current Assets                                                                  | 19,815              | 8,739             |
| Increase (Decrease) in:                                                                                    |                     |                   |
| Accounts Payable                                                                                           | 2,636               | (18,129)          |
| Accrued Salaries and Benefits                                                                              | 19,559              | 23,542            |
| Other Current Liabilities                                                                                  | <u>(79,222)</u>     | <u>2,172</u>      |
| <b>Net Cash Provided (Used) by Operating Activities</b>                                                    | 330,228             | 542,835           |
| <b>CASH FLOWS FROM INVESTMENT ACTIVITIES</b>                                                               |                     |                   |
| Purchases of Assets Limited as to Use                                                                      | (102,850)           | (199,947)         |
| Proceeds from Sales of Assets Limited as to Use                                                            | 75,820              | 107,188           |
| Change of Value of Assets Limited as to Use                                                                | 1,021               | 1,288             |
| Purchase of Property and Equipment                                                                         | (150,842)           | (174,605)         |
| Proceeds from Sale of Equipment                                                                            | 500                 | 0                 |
| Purchase of Investments                                                                                    | (1,863,103)         | (1,314,080)       |
| Proceeds from Sales of Investments                                                                         | <u>1,753,132</u>    | <u>173,013</u>    |
| <b>Net Cash Provided (Used) by Investing Activities</b>                                                    | (286,322)           | (1,407,143)       |
| <b>CASH FLOWS FROM FINANCING ACTIVITIES</b>                                                                |                     |                   |
| Repayment of Advance Refundable Fees                                                                       | <u>(68,000)</u>     | <u>(295,351)</u>  |
| <b>Net Cash Provided (Used) by Financing Activities</b>                                                    | (68,000)            | (295,351)         |
| Net Increase (Decrease) in Cash and Cash Equivalents                                                       | (24,094)            | (1,159,659)       |
| Cash and Cash Equivalents at Beginning of Year                                                             | <u>1,688,809</u>    | <u>1,664,715</u>  |
| Cash and Cash Equivalents at End of Year                                                                   | <u>\$ 1,664,715</u> | <u>\$ 505,056</u> |

Supplemental Schedule of Noncash Investing and Financing Activities:

Accounts payable at July 31, 2012 and 2011 includes purchases of property and equipment in the amount of \$13,073 and \$15,481 respectively.

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**TRUSTEES OF THE GRAND CHARITY FUNDS  
OF THE GRAND LODGE OF IOWA A.F. & A.M.  
(IOWA MASONIC HEALTH FACILITIES)  
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**Notes to Financial Statements  
July 31, 2012 and 2011**

**NOTE 1 – SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES**

**Consolidated Statement**

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The accompanying consolidated financial statements included the accounts of the Trustees of the Grand Charity Funds of the Grand Lodge of Iowa A.F. and A.M. and the Masonic Village, Inc. (collectively known as the Organization). Inter-entity transactions and balances have been eliminated in the consolidation.

The companies are consolidated since the Board of Trustees of the Grand Charity Funds of the Grand Lodge of Iowa A.F. & A.M. and the Board of Directors of Masonic Village, Inc. consist of the same individuals.

#### Nature of Business

Trustees of the Grand Charity Funds of the Lodge of Iowa A.F. and A.M. (Iowa Masonic Health Facilities) is an Iowa non-profit corporation that was established for the purpose of providing housing and health care nursing services to residents through operation of a 79 bed nursing facility. The nursing facility beds are dually certified for Medicare and Medicaid participation and include 18 beds that are licensed for residents with chronically confused and dementing illnesses (CCDI).

The Masonic Village, Inc. is an Iowa non-profit corporation that provides housing for senior citizens through the operation of a retirement facility containing 40 independent living apartments.

#### Use of Estimates

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities and disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities at the date of the financial statements and the reported amounts of revenue and expenses, including functional allocations, during the reporting period. Actual results could differ from those estimates.

#### Cash and Cash Equivalents

Cash and cash equivalents include certain investments in highly liquid debt instruments with original maturities of three months or less, excluding amounts whose use is limited by board designation.

#### Resident Receivables

Resident receivables are stated at the amount management expects to collect from outstanding balances. Management provides for probable uncollectible amounts through a provision for bad debt expenses and an adjustment to the valuation allowance based on its assessment of the current status of individual accounts. Balances that are still outstanding after management has used reasonable collection efforts are written off through a charge to the valuation allowance and a credit to the accounts receivable. Changes in the valuation allowance have not been material to the financial statements.

#### Assets Limited as to Use

Capital Improvements – Funds designated for capital improvements.

Field Financial Aid – Funds designated for funding Field Financial Aid distributions.

Board Designated Funds – Funds designated to be used at the discretion of the Board for specific purposes at Masonic Village, Inc.

Charitable Assistance – Funds designated to provide charitable assistance to residents of Masonic Village, Inc.

At July 31, assets limited as to use are set aside for the following purposes:

|                        | <u>2011</u>       | <u>2012</u>       |
|------------------------|-------------------|-------------------|
| Capital Improvements   | \$ 75,000         | \$ 261,225        |
| Field Financial Aid    | 7,623             | 6,335             |
| Board Designated Funds | 480,603           | 406,980           |
| Charitable Assistance  | <u>8,500</u>      | <u>0</u>          |
|                        | <u>\$ 571,726</u> | <u>\$ 674,540</u> |

#### Property and Equipment

Property and equipment is stated at cost and is being depreciated by the straight-line method over the following estimated useful lives:

|                   |            |
|-------------------|------------|
| Buildings         | 5-40 Years |
| Land Improvements | 5-40 Years |
| Equipment         | 3-20 Years |

Depreciation expense for the years ended July 31, 2012 and 2011 was \$490,449 and \$476,683, respectively.

Additions and betterments of \$5,000 or more are capitalized, while maintenance and repairs that do not improve or extend useful lives of the respective assets are charged to operations when incurred. When property, plant, and equipment are sold or otherwise disposed of, the asset account and related accumulated depreciation account are relieved, and any gain or loss is included in operations.

#### **Investments**

Investments in equity securities with readily determinable fair values and all investments in debt securities are measured at fair value in the consolidated statements of financial position. Investment income or loss (including realized gains and losses on investments, interest, and dividends) is included in operating income (loss) unless the income or loss is restricted by donor or law. Unrealized gains and losses on investments are excluded from operating income (loss) unless the investments are trading securities.

#### **Refundable Advance Fees**

For residents occupying independent living apartments under advance fee contracts, the Organization provides for a declining refundable advance fee amount based upon the length of the residency for residents occupying the apartments. The refundable amount will not decline to less than 50% of the deposit.

#### **Deferred Revenue from Advance Fees**

Fees paid by a resident upon entering into an advance fee contract, net of the portion thereof that is refundable to the resident, are recorded as deferred revenue and are amortized to income using the straight-line method over the contract term. Residents are also charged monthly apartment service fees for utilities, maintenance, and other services, which are recognized as revenue when the service is provided.

#### **Temporarily and Permanently Restricted Net Assets**

Temporarily restricted net assets are those whose use by the Organization has been limited by donors to a specific time period or purpose. Permanently restricted net assets have been restricted by donors to be maintained by the Organization in perpetuity.

#### **Operating Income (Loss)**

The consolidated statements of activities include operating income (loss). Changes in unrestricted net assets which are excluded from operating income (loss), consistent with industry practice, include unrealized gains and losses on investments other than trading securities and contributions of long-lived assets (including assets acquired using contributions which by donor restriction were to be used for the purposes of acquiring such assets.)

#### **Net Resident Service Revenue**

Net resident service revenue is reported at the estimated net realizable amount from residents, third-party payers, and others for services rendered.

Revenue from certain third-party payor agreements is subject to audit and retroactive adjustment. Provisions for estimated third-party payor settlements are provided in the period the related services rendered. Differences between the estimated amounts accrued and interim and final settlements are reported in operations in the year of settlement.

Laws and regulations governing the Medicare and Medicaid programs are extremely complex and subject to interpretations. As a result, there is at least a reasonable possibility that recorded estimates will change by a material amount in the near term.

The Organization recognizes on the date services is rendered. The related expenses are estimated and accrued accordingly.

#### **Contributions and Donor – Restricted Funds**

The Organization reports gifts of cash and other assets at fair value as restricted support if they are received with donor stipulations that limit the use of the donated assets. When a donor restriction expires, that is, when a stipulated time restriction ends or purpose restriction is accomplished, temporarily restricted net assets are reclassified to unrestricted net assets and reported in the statement of activities as net assets released from restrictions. Donor-restricted contributions whose restrictions are met within the same year as received are reflected as unrestricted contributions in the accompanying financial statements.

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The Organization reports gifts of land, buildings, and equipment at fair value as unrestricted support unless explicit donor stipulations specify how the donated assets must be used. Gift of long-lived assets with explicit restrictions that specify how the assets are to be used and gifts of cash or other assets that must be used to acquire long-lived assets are reported as restricted support. Absent explicit donor stipulations about how long those long-lived assets must be maintained, the Organization reports expiration of donor restrictions when the donated or acquired long-lived assets are placed in service.

Contributions not restricted by donors are recorded as revenue in unrestricted net assets.

**Contributed Services**

Volunteers provide assistance to the Organization for its programs and other activities. No value has been assigned to these services and, as such, the value of these services is not reflected in the financial statements as revenue and expense.

**Advertising**

Advertising costs are expenses as incurred. Advertising expense totaled \$14,083 and \$11,278 for the years ended July 31, 2012 and 2011, respectively.

**Income Taxes and Accounting for Uncertain Tax Positions**

Trustees of the Grand Charity Funds of the Grand Lodge of Iowa A.F. & A.M. and Masonic Village, Inc. are non-profit organizations are exempt under Code Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code. Therefore, no provision for income taxes is presented in these consolidated financial statements.

The Organization has adopted the accounting standard regarding "Accounting for Uncertain Tax Positions." This standard provides detailed tax guidance for financial statement recognition measurement, and disclosure of uncertain tax positions recognized in the entity's financial statements. It requires an entity to recognize the financial statement benefit of a tax position when it is more likely than not that the position will be sustained upon examination. The adoption of this standard had no material effect on the Organization's financial position, results of operation, or cash flow. The Organization's Forms 990 for 2008, 2009, and 2010 are subject to examination by the IRS, generally for three years after they were filed.

**Reclassifications**

Certain items in the prior year's financial statement have been reclassified to conform with current year presentation. Such reclassifications have no effect on net income as previously stated.

**NOTE 2 – INVESTMENT INCOME (LOSS)**

**Investment Income**

Investment income (loss) is summarized as follows:

|                                                              | <u>2011</u>       | <u>2012</u>         |
|--------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------|---------------------|
| Increase (Decrease) in Unrestricted Net Assets               |                   |                     |
| Interest and Dividend Income                                 | \$ 108,196        | \$ 130,419          |
| Gain (Loss) on Sale of Investments                           | <u>34,278</u>     | <u>(497,787)</u>    |
| Total Investment Income (Loss)                               | <u>\$ 142,474</u> | <u>\$ (367,368)</u> |
| Increase (Decrease) in Permanently Restricted Net Assets     |                   |                     |
| Interest and Dividend Income                                 | 46,078            | 38,476              |
| Gain (Loss) on Sale of Investments                           | 7,265             | 40,813              |
| Field Financial Aid Distribution                             | <u>(16,498)</u>   | <u>(18,898)</u>     |
| Total                                                        | <u>\$ 36,845</u>  | <u>\$ 60,391</u>    |
| Change in Net Unrealized Gains (Losses) on Investments:      |                   |                     |
| Unrestricted Net Assets                                      | \$ 339,568        | \$ 317,086          |
| Permanently Restricted Net Assets                            | <u>159,120</u>    | <u>60,658</u>       |
| Total Change in Net Unrealized Gains (Losses) on Investments | <u>\$ 498,688</u> | <u>\$ 377,744</u>   |

Investment income is reported net of investment expenses of \$17,052 and \$10,132 for the years ended July 31, 2012 and 2011, respectively.

**NOTE 3 – FAIR VALUE MEASUREMENT**

**Fair Values Measured on a Recurring Basis**

Fair values of assets measured on a recurring basis at July 31, 2012 and 2011 as follows:

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| <u>July 31, 2012</u> | <u>Fair Value</u>   | Quoted Prices<br>In Active<br>Markets for<br>Identical Assets<br>(Level 1) | Significant<br>Other<br>Observable<br>Inputs<br>(Level 2) |
|----------------------|---------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------|
| Money Market         | \$ 567,509          | \$ 0                                                                       | \$ 567,509                                                |
| Stocks/Options       | 676,073             | 676,073                                                                    | 0                                                         |
| Stock Funds          | 2,310,275           | 2,310,275                                                                  | 0                                                         |
| Preferred Stocks     | 320,944             | 320,944                                                                    | 0                                                         |
| Taxable Bonds        | 851,522             | 0                                                                          | 851,522                                                   |
| Taxable Bond Funds   | <u>1,973,909</u>    | <u>0</u>                                                                   | <u>1,973,909</u>                                          |
| Total                | <u>\$ 6,700,232</u> | <u>\$ 3,307,292</u>                                                        | <u>\$ 3,392,940</u>                                       |

July 31, 2011

|                             |                     |                     |                     |
|-----------------------------|---------------------|---------------------|---------------------|
| Cash and Cash Equivalents   | \$ 7,623            | \$ 0                | \$ 7,623            |
| Money Market                | 196,924             | 0                   | 196,924             |
| Common Stock                | 1,479,899           | 1,479,899           | 0                   |
| Fixed Income Funds          | 1,301,241           | 0                   | 1,301,241           |
| Equity Funds                | 1,869,243           | 1,869,243           | 0                   |
| Government and Agency Bonds | 430,433             | 0                   | 430,433             |
| Corporate Bonds             | <u>261,561</u>      | <u>0</u>            | <u>261,561</u>      |
| Total                       | <u>\$ 5,546,924</u> | <u>\$ 3,349,142</u> | <u>\$ 2,197,782</u> |

Assets measured at fair value consist of the following at July 31:

|                                | <u>2011</u>         | <u>2012</u>         |
|--------------------------------|---------------------|---------------------|
| Assets Limited as to Use       | \$ 571,726          | \$ 674,540          |
| Investments                    | <u>4,975,198</u>    | <u>6,025,692</u>    |
| Total Investment Income (Loss) | <u>\$ 5,546,924</u> | <u>\$ 6,700,232</u> |

Financial Accounting Standards Board for *Fair Value Measurements and Disclosures* establishes a fair value hierarchy that prioritizes the inputs to valuation techniques used to measure fair value. This hierarchy consists of three broad levels: Level 1 inputs consist of unadjusted quoted prices in active markets for identical assets and have the highest priority, and Level 3 inputs have the lowest priority. The Organization uses appropriate valuation techniques based on the available inputs to measure the fair value of its investments. When available, the Organization measures fair value using Level 1 inputs because they generally provide the most reliable evidence of fair value.

**Level 1 Fair Value Measurements**

Fair values for assets limited as to use and investments are determined by reference to quoted market prices and other relevant information generated by market transactions.

**Level 2 Fair Value Measurements**

Valuation is based upon quoted prices for similar instruments in active markets, quoted prices for identical or similar instruments in markets that are not active, and model-based valuation techniques for which all significant assumptions are observable in the market.

**NOTE 4 – CONSTRUCTION IN PROGRESS**

The projects included in construction in progress are as follows at July 31:

|                                                          | <u>2011</u> | <u>2012</u> |
|----------------------------------------------------------|-------------|-------------|
| Roof Replacement, completed at a total cost of \$59,620. | \$ 17,886   | \$ 0        |

**NOTE 5 – TEMPORARILY RESTRICTED NET ASSETS**

Temporarily restricted net assets represent unexpended gifts from donors who specified that they were to be used for the following purposes:

|        | <u>2011</u> | <u>2012</u> |
|--------|-------------|-------------|
| Chapel | \$ 123,650  | \$ 123,650  |

|                                         |                   |                   |
|-----------------------------------------|-------------------|-------------------|
| Alzheimer's Unit                        | <u>2,500</u>      | <u>6,500</u>      |
| Total Temporarily Restricted Net Assets | <u>\$ 126,150</u> | <u>\$ 130,150</u> |

**NOTE 6 – PERMANENTLY RESTRICTED NET ASSETS**

Permanently restricted net assets are assets that are endowed by the donor. The interest and dividend income from the Permanent Grand Charity Fund is required to be released annually to fund Field Financial Aid and the remaining interest and dividend income is restricted to the permanent fund. The interest income from the Iowa Masonic Health Facilities Endowment is available for use in the operations of the Organization. Permanently restricted net assets as of July 31, 2012 and 2011 were as follows:

|                                          | <u>2011</u>         | <u>2012</u>         |
|------------------------------------------|---------------------|---------------------|
| Permanent Grand Charity                  | \$ 1,559,062        | \$ 1,680,111        |
| Iowa Masonic Health Facilities Endowment | <u>857,966</u>      | <u>857,966</u>      |
| Total Permanently Restricted Net Assets  | <u>\$ 2,417,028</u> | <u>\$ 2,538,077</u> |

**NOTE 7 – ENDOWMENT**

The Organization's Permanent Grand Charity Fund was established to provide Field Financial Aid to Masons in the State of Iowa. The endowment consists of restricted endowment funds and the cumulative investment return on the funds after distribution of Field Financial Aid. The Organization's Iowa Masonic Health Facilities Endowment was established to provide income to be used to support the operations of the Organization. The endowment consists of donor-restricted endowment funds. As required by generally accepted accounting principles, net assets associated with endowment funds are classified and reported based on the existence or absence of donor-imposed restrictions.

**Interpretation of Relevant Law**

The Board of Directors and Trustees of the Organization has interpreted the Uniform Prudent Management of Institutional Funds Act (UPMIFA) as requiring the preservation of the fair value of the original gift as of the gift date of the donor-restricted endowment funds absent explicit donor stipulations to the contrary. As a result of this interpretation, the Organization classifies as permanently restricted net assets the original value of gifts donated to the permanent endowment. In accordance with the Masonic Code of Iowa, the undistributed income from the Permanent Grand Charity Funds is permanently restricted and the income from the Iowa Masonic Health Facilities Fund is unrestricted for operations.

**Endowment Net Asset Composition by Fund**

|                                          | <u>2011</u>         | <u>2012</u>         |
|------------------------------------------|---------------------|---------------------|
| Permanent Grand Charity Fund             | \$ 1,559,062        | \$ 1,680,111        |
| Iowa Masonic Health Facilities Endowment | <u>857,966</u>      | <u>857,966</u>      |
| Total Funds                              | <u>\$ 2,417,028</u> | <u>\$ 2,538,077</u> |

**Changes in Endowment Net Assets**

|                                            | <u>2011</u>         | <u>2012</u>         |
|--------------------------------------------|---------------------|---------------------|
| Endowment Net Assets, Beginning of Year    | \$ 2,221,063        | \$ 2,417,028        |
| Investment Return:                         |                     |                     |
| Investment Income                          | 53,343              | 79,289              |
| Change in Net Unrealized Gains (Losses) on |                     |                     |
| Investments                                | <u>159,120</u>      | <u>60,658</u>       |
| Total Investment Return                    | <u>212,463</u>      | <u>139,947</u>      |
| Appropriation of Endowment for Expenditure | <u>(16,498)</u>     | <u>(18,898)</u>     |
| Endowment Net Assets, End of Year          | <u>\$ 2,417,028</u> | <u>\$ 2,538,077</u> |

**Return Objectives and Risk Parameters**

The Organization has adopted investment and spending policies for endowment assets that attempt to provide grow a stream of funding for programs supported by its endowments.

**Strategies Employed for Achieving Objectives**

To satisfy its long-term rate-of-return objectives, the Organization relies on a total return strategy in which investment returns are achieved through both unrealized gains and interest and dividends.

**Spending Policy**

Ninety percent of the earnings from the Permanent Grand Charity Fund are to be used for Field Financial Aid which is distributed through the approval of applications by the Board of Directors. These funds are to be used to support the cause of all Grand Lodge charity other than the operation and maintenance of the nursing facility, as approved by the Board of Directors. The remaining 10% of earnings is to be retained in the fund. All earnings from the Iowa Masonic Health Facilities Endowment are available for the operations of the Organization.

**NOTE 8 – REFUNDABLE ADVANCE FEES AND DEFERRED REVENUE FROM ADVANCE FEES**

Residents of Masonic Village, Inc. may either lease apartment units or pay an advance fee, which allows the resident lifetime residency rights to a specific apartment unit.

A portion of the advance refundable deposit is refundable to the resident. The refundable fee becomes non-refundable at a rate of 20% the first year and 5% each following year of the base amount not to decrease below 50% of the base refundable amount. Refunds are made subject to the residency requirement.

**NOTE 9 – RETIREMENT PLAN**

The Organization provides a 401(k) plan for its employees. The Plan covers all employees age 21 and older and worked at least 1,000 hours during the year. The Organization contributes 5% of gross compensation for all eligible employees and matches 50% of the first 2% of employee contributions. Vesting of employer contributions is based on years of service. During the years ended July 31, 2012 and 2011 employer contributions totaled \$157,315 and \$154,850, respectively and have been charged to salaries and benefits on the consolidated statements of activities.

**NOTE 10 – FUNCTIONAL EXPENSES**

The Organization's expenses by function for the years ended July 31, 2012 and 2011 are as follows:

|                                  | <u>2011</u>         | <u>2012</u>         |
|----------------------------------|---------------------|---------------------|
| Healthcare and Resident Services | \$ 4,239,525        | \$ 4,584,303        |
| General and Administrative       | <u>1,340,659</u>    | <u>1,395,584</u>    |
| Total                            | <u>\$ 5,580,184</u> | <u>\$ 5,979,887</u> |

**NOTE 11 – CONCENTRATION OF CREDIT RISK**

Most of the Organization's business activity is with residents of the facility. Trustees of the Grand Charity Funds of the Grand Lodge of Iowa A.F. and A.M. (Iowa Masonic Health Facilities) are under a contractual agreement with the Iowa Department of Human Services as a licensed provider of Title XIX care (Medicaid). Revenue received from this source approximated \$2,114,000 and \$2,149,000 for the years ended July 31, 2012 and 2011, respectively. Receivables from the Iowa Department of Human Services on behalf of residents at July 31, 2012 and 2011 were \$154,004 and \$128,915, respectively.

The Organization is also under a contractual agreement with the Department of Health and Human Services – Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services as a licensed provider of Title XVIII (Medicare). Revenue received from this source approximated \$738,000 and \$575,000 for the years ended July 31, 2012 and 2011 respectively. Receivables from Medicare on behalf of residents at July 31, 2012 and 2011 were \$155,309 and \$167,092, respectively.

The Organization has funds deposited in certain banks, which at times exceed the FDIC Insurance provided in these banks of \$250,000 at July 31, 2012 and 2011. The increase of the FDIC insurance of up to \$250,000 is in effect through December 31, 2013 and is subject to change. At July 31, 2012 and 2011, the amount in excess of the FDIC Insurance totaled \$156,134 and \$1,299,188, respectively.

At July 31, 2012 and 2011, the Organization had assets limited as to use and investments with a fair value approximate fair value of \$6,693,897 and \$5,546,924, respectively, which are subject to the market risks inherent in the individual investments.

**NOTE 12 – CONCENTRATION IN STATE MEDICAID PROGRAM**

The Organization has all of its nursing beds designated for care of patients under the state's Medicaid program. The current funding of that program is 30 days behind filed claims. The current state budget has no provision for reducing the lag, and the proposed budget for next year includes no assurance of increased funding.



**NOTE 13 – THIRD PARTY RATE ADJUSTMENTS AND REVENUE**

Revenue from the Medicaid program accounted for approximately 38% and 41% of total net resident service revenue for the years ended July 31, 2012 and 2011, respectively. Revenue from the Medicare program accounted for approximately 13% and 11% of total net resident service revenue for the years ended July 31, 2012 and 2011, respectively. Laws and regulations governing the Medicaid and Medicare programs are extremely complex and subject to interpretation. As a result, there is at least a reasonable possibility that recorded estimates will change by a material amount in the near term.

**NOTE 14 – SUBSEQUENT EVENT**

The date to which events occurring after July 31, 2012, the date of the most recent statement of financial position, have been evaluated for possible adjustment to the financial statements or disclosure is November 21, 2011, which is the date the financial statements were available to be issued.



**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION**

**INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT ON SUPPLEMENT INFORMATION**

To the Grand Lodge:

We have audited the consolidated financial statements of Trustees of the Grand Charity Funds of the Grand Lodge of Iowa A.F. and A.M. (Iowa Masonic Health Facilities) and affiliate as of and for the years ended July 31, 2012 and 2011, and our report thereon dated November 21, 2012, which expressed an unqualified opinion on those financial statements, appears on page 1. Our audits were conducted for the purpose of forming an opinion on the consolidated financial statements as a whole. The consolidating information in Schedules I and II is presented for the purpose of additional analysis of the consolidated financial statements rather than to present the financial position, results of operations, and cash flows of the individual organizations, and it is not a required part of the consolidated financial statements. Accordingly, we do not express an opinion on the financial position, results of operations, and cash flows of the individual organizations.

The consolidating information is the responsibility of management and was derived from and relates directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the consolidated financial statements. Such information has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the consolidated financial statements and certain additional procedures, including comparing and reconciling such information directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the consolidated financial statements or to the consolidated financial statements themselves, and other additional procedures in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. In our opinion, the consolidating information is fairly stated in all material respects in relation to the consolidated financial statements as a whole.

RYUN, GIVENS & COMPANY, P.L.C.

Urbandale, Iowa  
November 21, 2012

**TRUSTEES OF THE GRAND CHARITY FUNDS  
OF THE GRAND LODGE OF IOWA A.F. & A.M.  
(IOWA MASONIC HEALTH FACILITIES)  
AND AFFILIATE**

**Schedule I – Consolidating Statements of Financial Position  
July 31, 2012**

|                                                                 | Iowa Masonic<br>Health<br>Facilities | Masonic<br>Village,<br>Inc. | Eliminations        | Total                |
|-----------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|-----------------------------|---------------------|----------------------|
| <b>ASSETS</b>                                                   |                                      |                             |                     |                      |
| Current Assets:                                                 |                                      |                             |                     |                      |
| Cash and Cash Equivalents                                       | \$ 397,095                           | \$ 107,961                  | \$ -                | \$ 505,056           |
| Resident Receivables, Net of Allowance<br>For Doubtful Accounts | 328,126                              | 1,150                       | -                   | 329,276              |
| Prepaid Expenses and Other<br>Current Assets                    | 575,731                              | -                           | (486,686)           | 89,045               |
| <b>Total Current Assets</b>                                     | <b>1,300,952</b>                     | <b>109,111</b>              | <b>(486,686)</b>    | <b>923,377</b>       |
| <b>Assets Limited as to Use</b>                                 | <b>267,560</b>                       | <b>406,980</b>              | <b>-</b>            | <b>674,540</b>       |
| Property and Equipment:                                         |                                      |                             |                     |                      |
| Buildings                                                       | 9,573,961                            | 3,599,217                   | -                   | 13,173,178           |
| Land Improvements                                               | 268,338                              | 308,753                     | -                   | 577,091              |
| Equipment                                                       | 2,465,016                            | 299,120                     | -                   | 2,764,136            |
|                                                                 | 12,307,315                           | 4,207,090                   | -                   | 16,514,405           |
| Less Accumulated Depreciation                                   | (7,919,518)                          | (3,785,262)                 | -                   | (11,704,780)         |
| <b>Net Property &amp; Equipment</b>                             | <b>4,387,797</b>                     | <b>421,828</b>              | <b>-</b>            | <b>4,809,625</b>     |
| Other Assets:                                                   |                                      |                             |                     |                      |
| Investments                                                     | 6,025,692                            | -                           | -                   | 6,025,692            |
| <b>Total Other Assets</b>                                       | <b>6,025,692</b>                     | <b>-</b>                    | <b>-</b>            | <b>6,025,692</b>     |
| <b>Total Assets</b>                                             | <b>\$ 11,982,001</b>                 | <b>\$ 973,919</b>           | <b>\$ (486,686)</b> | <b>\$ 12,433,234</b> |
| <b>LIABILITIES AND NET ASSETS</b>                               |                                      |                             |                     |                      |
| Current Liabilities                                             |                                      |                             |                     |                      |
| Accounts Payable                                                | \$ 112,271                           | \$ 491,698                  | \$ (486,686)        | \$ 117,283           |
| Accrued Salaries and Benefits                                   | 169,807                              | -                           | -                   | 169,807              |
| Other Current Liabilities                                       | 7,204                                | 104,177                     | -                   | 111,381              |
| <b>Total Current Liabilities</b>                                | <b>289,282</b>                       | <b>595,875</b>              | <b>(486,686)</b>    | <b>398,471</b>       |
| Long-Term Liabilities:                                          |                                      |                             |                     |                      |
| Refundable Advance Fees                                         | -                                    | 652,755                     | -                   | 652,755              |
| Deferred Revenue from Advance Fees                              | -                                    | 16,255                      | -                   | 16,255               |
| <b>Total Long-Term Liabilities</b>                              | <b>-</b>                             | <b>669,010</b>              | <b>-</b>            | <b>669,010</b>       |
| <b>Total Liabilities</b>                                        | <b>289,282</b>                       | <b>1,264,885</b>            | <b>(486,686)</b>    | <b>1,067,481</b>     |
| Net Assets                                                      |                                      |                             |                     |                      |
| Unrestricted Net Assets                                         |                                      |                             |                     |                      |
| Undesignated                                                    | 8,756,932                            | (733,946)                   | -                   | 8,022,986            |
| Board Designated                                                | 267,560                              | 406,980                     | -                   | 674,540              |
| <b>Total Unrestricted Assets</b>                                | <b>9,024,492</b>                     | <b>(326,966)</b>            | <b>-</b>            | <b>8,697,526</b>     |
| Temporarily Restricted                                          | 130,150                              | -                           | -                   | 130,150              |
| Permanently Restricted                                          | 2,538,077                            | -                           | -                   | 2,538,077            |
| <b>Total Net Assets</b>                                         | <b>11,692,719</b>                    | <b>(326,966)</b>            | <b>-</b>            | <b>11,365,753</b>    |
| <b>TOTAL LIABILITIES AND NET ASSETS</b>                         | <b>\$ 11,982,001</b>                 | <b>\$ 937,919</b>           | <b>\$ (486,686)</b> | <b>\$ 12,433,234</b> |

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**TRUSTEES OF THE GRAND CHARITY FUNDS  
OF THE GRAND LODGE OF IOWA A.F. & A.M.  
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**Schedule II – Consolidating Statements of Activities  
July 31, 2012**

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|                                                                | Iowa Masonic<br>Health<br>Facilities | Masonic<br>Village,<br>Inc. | Eliminations | Total                |
|----------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|-----------------------------|--------------|----------------------|
| <b>Unrestricted Net Assets</b>                                 |                                      |                             |              |                      |
| Revenues, Gains, and Other Support                             |                                      |                             |              |                      |
| Net Resident Service Revenue                                   | \$ 5,209,651                         | \$ 371,593                  | \$ -         | \$ 5,581,244         |
| Amortization of Advance Fees                                   | -                                    | 18,643                      | -            | 18,643               |
| Investment Income, (Loss)                                      | (384,040)                            | 16,672                      | -            | (367,368)            |
| Contributions                                                  | 48,996                               | -                           | -            | 48,996               |
| Other Income                                                   | 27,900                               | 3,463                       | -            | 31,363               |
| Total Revenues, Gains and Other<br>Support                     | 5,093,819                            | 410,591                     | -            | 5,504,410            |
| Expenses:                                                      |                                      |                             |              |                      |
| Salaries and Benefits                                          | 3,701,412                            | 159,353                     | -            | 3,860,765            |
| Medical Supplies, Drugs, & Therapies                           | 403,716                              | -                           | -            | 403,716              |
| Food                                                           | 190,321                              | 1,401                       | -            | 191,722              |
| Utilities                                                      | 188,895                              | 39,403                      | -            | 228,298              |
| Insurance and Other                                            | 545,429                              | 186,720                     | -            | 732,149              |
| Professional Services                                          | 69,302                               | 3,486                       | -            | 72,788               |
| Depreciation                                                   | 326,198                              | 164,251                     | -            | 490,449              |
| Total Expenses                                                 | 5,425,273                            | 554,614                     | -            | 5,979,887            |
| Operating Income (Loss)                                        | (331,454)                            | (144,023)                   | -            | (475,477)            |
| Change in Net Unrealized Gains (Losses)<br>On Investments      | 308,884                              | 8,202                       | -            | 317,086              |
| Increase (Decrease) in Unrestricted<br>Net Assets              | (22,570)                             | (135,821)                   | -            | (158,391)            |
| <b>TEMPORARILY RESTRICTED NET ASSETS</b>                       |                                      |                             |              |                      |
| Contributions                                                  | 4,000                                | -                           | -            | 4,000                |
| Increase (Decrease) in Temporarily<br>Restricted Net Assets    | 4,000                                | -                           | -            | 4,000                |
| <b>PERMANENTLY RESTRICTED NET ASSETS</b>                       |                                      |                             |              |                      |
| Investment Income, Net of Field Financial<br>Aid Distributions | 60,391                               | -                           | -            | 60,391               |
| Change in Net Unrealized Gains (Losses)<br>on Investments      | 60,658                               | -                           | -            | 60,658               |
| Increase (Decrease) in Permanently<br>Restricted Net Assets    | 121,049                              | -                           | -            | 121,049              |
| Increase (Decrease) in Net Assets                              | 102,479                              | (135,821)                   | -            | (33,342)             |
| Net Assets, Beginning of Year                                  | 11,590,240                           | (191,145)                   | -            | 11,399,095           |
| <b>Net Assets, End of Year</b>                                 | <b>\$ 11,692,719</b>                 | <b>\$ (326,966)</b>         | <b>\$ -</b>  | <b>\$ 11,365,753</b> |

**REPORT OF THE TRUSTEES OF THE  
MASONIC CHARITABLE EDUCATIONAL CORPORATION  
FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JULY 31, 2012**

To the Grand Lodge of Iowa:

The Masonic Charitable Education Corporation continues its mission to promote education. As of May 31, 2012, ten months into our fiscal year, we have funded various programs including Funding low interest loans to deserving Iowa students:

During the first ten months of this fiscal year, we have approved:

|                           |                    |
|---------------------------|--------------------|
| Re-applications totaling  | \$ 46,000.00       |
| New applications totaling | \$ <u>4,000.00</u> |
| Total of Loans Approved   | \$ 50,000.00       |
| Total Loans Outstanding   | \$ 346,575.67      |

|                                                                              |              |
|------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------|
| Thomas J. and Violet L. Brown Trust Scholarships                             | \$ 7,000.00  |
| Mark Earl and Esther Ruth Spencer Technical<br>Scholarship Fund Scholarships | \$ 25,000.00 |

| Total Active Student | Loan Files | Total Outstanding Loans |
|----------------------|------------|-------------------------|
| May 31, 2004         | 91         | \$ 221,502.44           |
| May 31, 2005         | 79         | \$ 212,433.19           |
| May 31, 2006         | 66         | \$ 187,152.69           |
| May 31, 2007         | 66         | \$ 186,970.19           |
| May 31, 2008         | 64         | \$ 196,816.44           |
| May 31, 2009         | 68         | \$ 213,829.78           |
| May 31, 2010         | 86         | \$ 282,489.44           |
| May 31, 2011         | 97         | \$ 352,266.69           |

The Technical Scholarships are recommended by the MCEC Trustees from a request made by the Grand Master and are approved by the Trustees of the Grand Lodge of Iowa. These scholarships are for Iowa seniors enrolling in a mechanical or trade course of study at an accredited Iowa Community College. These scholarships are very well received. They impact a trade school student verses a traditional liberal arts student. We would like to thank Kenneth M. Anderson and his Selection Committee for their hard work in the selection process.

The MCEC Trustees continued funding the digitalization project for the Grand Lodge Library started last year. Numerous hours have been spent converting the hand written periodic index to a safer and more usable digital format.

Finally, the MCEC Trustees were substantial underwriters of the Grand Master's Educational Conference in February, and contributed to the Grand Master's Leadership Conference in June.

MCEC funds are managed by Iowa State Bank of Urbandale, audited by McGladery & Pullen of Cedar Rapids, and reviewed by the Trustees on a quarterly basis.

Thank you to the Most Worshipful Brother Raymond E. Clause, P. G. M., who tirelessly conducts the day to day business and loan processing and to Right Worshipful Brother William R. Crawford, Grand Secretary who assists with printings, mailings, and communication.

Lastly, thanks to Bryce B. Hildreth for his foresight and leadership to the MCEC in the prior years.

Fraternally submitted,  
 PAUL WOFFORD, Chairman  
 EDISON J. SHARP, JR.,  
 GUY H. POSEY  
 Trustees

**REPORT OF THE TRUSTEES OF THE  
 HERMAN L. ROWLEY MEMORIAL TRUST**

To the Grand Lodge of Iowa:

The Board of Trustees of the Herman L. Rowley Memorial Masonic Trust presents its annual report for the 2011-12 year of the Grand Lodge of Iowa for the Rowley Masonic Community in Perry, Iowa.

To receive an application for admission, please contact LuCinda L. Friess at 515-465-5316. Information about the facilities and services can also be obtained by e-mail: [rowley@iowatelecom.net](mailto:rowley@iowatelecom.net) or visit our website: [www.RowleyMasonicHome.org](http://www.RowleyMasonicHome.org)

The Rowley Masonic Community offers three levels of care and services to meet individual health needs. Those services are:

- A. Twenty Independent Living Apartments
- B. 56 Skilled Nursing Care – Medicare and Medicaid certified
- C. Nursing Facility Care – Medicare and Medicaid certified
- D. One Hospice Suite

The Rowley Home is subject to annual, unannounced surveys and inspections by the Iowa Department of Inspections and Appeals and the Iowa State Fire Marshal. A report of the latest survey is available via the internet at <http://www.dia-hfd.state.ia.us/> just click on "Report Cards" and follow the directions.

The Rowley Community staff, upon request, would be very happy to make a presentation to the lodges of Iowa. The program describes the services available and what Rowley can offer the membership in need of our services.

The Board of Trustees and residents truly appreciate the **tax-deductible** gifts made each year through memorials and gifts. All money received is used for purpose specified by the donor. If no specific request is expressed the Trustees use the funds to purchase equipment needed by the staff or update the facilities to meet the residents' needs.

A complete listing of donations and memorials are on permanent file at the administration office in Perry.

The Board of Trustees is in the process of completing the due diligence necessary to construct a new nursing facility and add Assisted Living options to the Rowley campus.

The concept and plans were revealed last year at the annual Grand Lodge Communication. The new facility will embrace the "Main Street" concept of senior living and feature private rooms, rehabilitation services and a feeling of "home".

With the addition of Assisted Living, a full range of living options will be available here at Rowley Masonic Community, as the market study revealed, Rowley is the number one choice of most seniors in the area.

The Rowley facilities have enjoyed 90-95% occupancy this past year and wish to thank our dedicated staff for carrying out the mission and serving our resident population to the best of their abilities.

A copy of the audit of Ryun, Givens & Co., Certified Public Accountants, for the year ended July 31, 2012, will be in the hands of the

Grand Secretary and will be published in the Proceedings of the Grand Lodge to become a part of this report.

Fraternally submitted,  
 MICHAEL W. FLETCHER, Chairman  
 LOWELL WAGONER,  
 JOHN C. POWELL,  
 WILLIAM R. YUNGCLAS,  
 KYLE A. GORDON  
 Trustees

**REPORT OF THE CERTIFIED PUBLIC ACCOUNTANTS  
 HERMAN L. ROWLEY MEMORIAL TRUST  
 Year Ending July 31, 2010**

To the Grand Lodge:

We have audited the accompanying statements of financial position of Herman L. Rowley Memorial Trust (a non-profit organization doing business as Rowley Memorial Masonic Home) as of July 31, 2012 and 2011 and the related statements of activities and cash flows for the years then ended. These financial statements are the responsibility of the Organization's management. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on our audits.

We conducted our audits in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free of material misstatement. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. An audit also includes assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall financial statement presentation. We believe that our audit provides a reasonable basis for our opinion.

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of Herman L. Rowley Memorial Trust (Rowley Memorial Masonic Home) as of July 31, 2012 and 2011, and the changes in its net assets and its cash flows for the years then ended in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

Ryun, Givens & Company, P.L.C.

Urbandale, Iowa  
 October 9, 2012

**HERMAN L. ROWLEY MEMORIAL TRUST  
 STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION  
 JULY 31, 2012 and 2011**

|                                                                                                           | <u>2011</u> | <u>2012</u> |
|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------|-------------|
| <b>ASSETS</b>                                                                                             |             |             |
| Current Assets:                                                                                           |             |             |
| Cash and Cash Equivalents                                                                                 | \$ 152,296  | \$ 142,442  |
| Resident Receivables, Net of Allowance for Doubtful<br>Accounts of \$15,500 for 2012 and \$7,620 for 2011 | 133,557     | 108,994     |
| Investments                                                                                               | 3,798,617   | 3,980,679   |

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|                                                      |                           |                           |
|------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------|---------------------------|
| Assets Limited as to Use                             | 90,715                    | 89,631                    |
| Prepaid Expenses and Other Current Assets            | <u>38,608</u>             | <u>26,905</u>             |
| Total Current Assets                                 | <u>4,213,793</u>          | <u>4,348,651</u>          |
| Assets Limited as to Use, Less Current Portion       | 219,000                   | 219,000                   |
| Property and Equipment:                              |                           |                           |
| Land                                                 | 143,918                   | 143,918                   |
| Buildings                                            | 6,942,207                 | 6,942,207                 |
| Equipment                                            | <u>765,072</u>            | <u>765,072</u>            |
| Total Property and Equipment                         | 7,851,197                 | 7,851,197                 |
| Less: Accumulated Depreciation                       | <u>(3,046,555)</u>        | <u>(3,309,986)</u>        |
| Net Property and Equipment                           | <u>4,804,642</u>          | <u>4,541,211</u>          |
| Other Assets:                                        |                           |                           |
| Charitable Remainder Annuity Trust                   | 214,601                   | 191,238                   |
| Bond Issuance Costs, Net of Accumulated Amortization |                           |                           |
| Of \$16,889 for 2012 and \$14,863 for 2011           | 45,938                    | 43,911                    |
| Other Assets                                         | <u>35,421</u>             | <u>74,706</u>             |
| Total Other Assets                                   | <u>295,960</u>            | <u>309,855</u>            |
| <b>TOTAL ASSETS</b>                                  | <b><u>\$9,533,395</u></b> | <b><u>\$9,418,717</u></b> |
| <b>LIABILITIES AND NET ASSETS</b>                    |                           |                           |
| Current Liabilities:                                 |                           |                           |
| Current Maturities of Long-Term Debt                 | \$ 76,496                 | \$ 77,315                 |
| Accounts Payable                                     | 68,524                    | 87,022                    |
| Accrued Salaries and Benefits                        | 213,773                   | 221,055                   |
| Accrued Interest                                     | 63,631                    | 62,967                    |
| Other Accrued Expenses                               | <u>62,533</u>             | <u>38,188</u>             |
| Total Current Liabilities                            | 484,957                   | 486,547                   |
| Long-Term Liabilities:                               |                           |                           |
| Long-Term Debt, Less Current Maturities              | 2,991,239                 | 2,913,911                 |
| Charitable Remainder Annuity Trust                   | 173,800                   | 156,860                   |
| Refundable Advance Fees                              | 61,001                    | 61,001                    |
| Deferred Revenue from Advance Fees                   | <u>8,596</u>              | <u>6,941</u>              |
| Total Long-Term Liabilities                          | <u>3,234,636</u>          | <u>3,138,713</u>          |
| Total Liabilities                                    | 3,719,593                 | 3,625,260                 |
| Net Assets                                           |                           |                           |
| Unrestricted                                         | 5,801,904                 | 5,787,982                 |
| Temporarily Restricted                               | <u>11,898</u>             | <u>5,475</u>              |
| Total Net Assets                                     | <u>5,813,802</u>          | <u>5,793,457</u>          |
| Total Liabilities and Net Assets                     | <b><u>\$9,533,395</u></b> | <b><u>\$9,418,717</u></b> |

See Accompanying Notes to Financial Statements

**HERMAN L. ROWLEY MEMORIAL TRUST**  
**STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES**  
**FOR THE YEARS ENDED JULY 31, 2012 and 2011**

|                                                           | <u>2011</u>  | <u>2012</u>  |
|-----------------------------------------------------------|--------------|--------------|
| <b>Unrestricted Net Assets</b>                            |              |              |
| Revenues, Gains, and Other Support                        |              |              |
| Net Resident Service Revenue, Including Amortization of   |              |              |
| Advance Fees of \$1,655 for 2012 and \$1,983 for 2011     | \$ 3,594,805 | \$ 3,687,949 |
| Investment Income                                         | 208,712      | 174,963      |
| Contributions                                             | 48,686       | 36,680       |
| Other Income                                              | 35,838       | 25,953       |
| Net Assets Released from Restrictions Used for Operations | <u>905</u>   | <u>0</u>     |

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|-------------------------------------------------------|---------------------|---------------------|
| Total Revenues, Gains and Other Support               | 3,888,946           | 3,925,545           |
| <b>Expenses:</b>                                      |                     |                     |
| Salaries and Benefits                                 | 2,605,563           | 2,576,372           |
| Medical Supplies, Drugs and Therapies                 | 44,387              | 42,215              |
| Food                                                  | 228,644             | 265,951             |
| Utilities                                             | 119,634             | 107,417             |
| Insurance and Other                                   | 508,138             | 563,102             |
| Depreciation and Amortization                         | 263,194             | 265,458             |
| Interest                                              | <u>180,150</u>      | <u>177,467</u>      |
| <b>Total Expenses</b>                                 | <b>3,949,710</b>    | <b>3,997,982</b>    |
| <b>Operating Income (Loss)</b>                        | <b>(60,764)</b>     | <b>(72,437)</b>     |
| Change in Net Unrealized Gains (Losses) on            |                     |                     |
| Investments                                           | 101,422             | 58,515              |
| Change in Value of Charitable Remainder Annuity Trust | 1,067               | 0                   |
| Contributions Received and Used for Purchase of       |                     |                     |
| Property and Equipment                                | <u>8,650</u>        | <u>0</u>            |
| Increase (Decrease) in Unrestricted Net Assets        | <u>50,375</u>       | <u>(13,922)</u>     |
| <b>Temporarily Restricted Net Assets</b>              |                     |                     |
| Change in Value of Charitable Remainder Annuity Trust | 9,898               | (6,423)             |
| Contributions                                         | 2,000               | 0                   |
| Net Assets Released From Restrictions                 | <u>(905)</u>        | <u>0</u>            |
| Increase (Decrease) Temporarily Restricted Net Assets | <u>10,993</u>       | <u>(6,423)</u>      |
| Increase (Decrease) in Net Assets                     | <u>61,368</u>       | <u>(20,345)</u>     |
| Net Assets, Beginning of Year                         | <u>5,752,434</u>    | <u>5,813,802</u>    |
| Net Assets, End of Year                               | <u>\$ 5,813,802</u> | <u>\$ 5,793,457</u> |

See Accompanying Notes to Financial Statements

**HERMAN L. ROWLEY MEMORIAL TRUST**  
**STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS**  
**Statement of Cash Flows**  
**For the Years Ended July 31, 2012 and 2011**

|                                                        | 2011           | 2012            |
|--------------------------------------------------------|----------------|-----------------|
| <b>Cash Flows from Operating Activities</b>            |                |                 |
| Increase (Decrease) in Net Assets                      | \$ 61,368      | \$ (20,345)     |
| Adjustment to Reconcile Change in Net Assets to Cash   |                |                 |
| Provided by Operating Activities:                      |                |                 |
| Depreciation and Amortization                          | 263,194        | 265,458         |
| Amortization of Advance Fees                           | (1,983)        | (1,655)         |
| (Gain) Loss on Sale of Investments                     | (80,202)       | (30,519)        |
| Change in Net Unrealized (Gains) Losses on Investments | (101,422)      | (58,515)        |
| Change in Value of Charitable Remainder Trust          | (10,965)       | 6,423           |
| (Increase) Decrease in:                                |                |                 |
| Resident Receivables                                   | (26,946)       | 24,563          |
| Prepaid Expenses and Other Current Assets              | (10,481)       | 11,703          |
| Increase (Decrease) in:                                |                |                 |
| Accounts Payable                                       | (19,782)       | 18,498          |
| Accrued Salaries and Benefits                          | 99,677         | 7,282           |
| Accrued Interest                                       | (938)          | (664)           |
| Other Accrued Expenses                                 | <u>15,205</u>  | <u>(24,345)</u> |
| <b>Net Cash Provided by Operating Activities</b>       | <b>186,725</b> | <b>197,884</b>  |
| <b>CASH FLOWS FROM INVESTMENT ACTIVITIES</b>           |                |                 |
| Purchase of Investments                                | (404,464)      | (144,349)       |
| Proceeds from Sales of Investments                     | 373,011        | 51,321          |



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| Purchase of Property and Equipment                      | (90,281)          | 0                 |
| Purchase of Other Assets                                | <u>0</u>          | <u>(39,285)</u>   |
| <b>Net Cash Provided (Used) by Investing Activities</b> | <b>(121,734)</b>  | <b>(132,313)</b>  |
| <b>CASH FLOWS FROM FINANCING ACTIVITIES</b>             |                   |                   |
| Change in Value of Assets Limited as to Use             | (1,146)           | 1,084             |
| Payment of Long-Term Debt                               | <u>(70,805)</u>   | <u>(76,509)</u>   |
| <b>Net Cash Provided (Used) by Financing Activities</b> | <b>(71,951)</b>   | <b>(75,425)</b>   |
| Net Increase (Decrease) in Cash and Cash Equivalents    | (6,960)           | (9,584)           |
| Cash and Cash Equivalents at Beginning of Year          | <u>159,256</u>    | <u>152,296</u>    |
| Cash and Cash Equivalents at End of Year                | <u>\$ 152,296</u> | <u>\$ 142,442</u> |
| Supplemental Disclosure of Cash Flow Information:       |                   |                   |
| Cash Paid for Interest                                  | <u>\$ 181,088</u> | <u>\$ 178,131</u> |

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**HERMAN L. ROWLEY MEMORIAL TRUST**  
**(Rowley Masonic Community)**  
**Notes to Financial Statements**  
**July 31, 2012 and 2011**

**NOTE 1 – SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES**

**Organization**

Herman L. Rowley Memorial Trust (the Organization) is an Iowa nonprofit corporation and was established by the Estate of Herman L. Rowley for the purpose of operating a Masonic Home for worthy and needy Masons in good standing. The Organization operates Rowley Memorial Masonic Home which consists of a 12 unit independent senior living apartment complex, 9 other independent living units and 60-bed nursing unit. The nursing beds are dually certified for Medicare and Medicaid participation.

Rowley Masonic Home Health Care, LLC, a wholly owned subsidiary of Herman L. Rowley Memorial Trust, is a limited liability company established for the purpose of providing home health services to the residents of the community. The financial activity related to Rowley Masonic Home Health, LLC is included with the financial activity of Herman L. Rowley Memorial Trust.

**Use of Estimates**

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities and disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities at the date of the financial statements and the reported amounts of revenues and expenses, including functional allocations, during the reporting period. Actual results could differ from these estimates.

**Cash and Cash Equivalents**

Cash and cash equivalents include certain investments in highly liquid debt instruments with original maturities of three months or less, excluding amounts whose use is limited by bond indentures or trust agreements.

**Resident Receivables**

Resident receivables are stated at the amount management expects to collect from outstanding balances. Management provides for probable uncollectible amounts through a provision for bad debt expenses and an adjustment to a valuation allowance based on its assessment of the current status of individual accounts. Balances that are still outstanding after management has used reasonable collection efforts are written off through a charge to the valuation allowance and a credit to accounts receivable. Changes in the valuation allowance have not been material to the financial statements.

**Investments**

Investments in equity securities with readily determinable fair values and all investments in debt securities are measured at fair value in the statements of financial position. Investment income or loss (including realized gains and losses on investments, interest and dividends) is included in the operating income (loss) unless the income or loss is restricted by donor or law. Unrealized gains and losses on investments are excluded from operating income (loss) unless the investments are trading securities.

**Assets Limited as to Use**

Bond Fund – This fund consists of funds set aside for the payment of principal and interest on the Organization's bond issuance.

Reserve Fund – This fund consists of funds set aside in accordance with the bond document.

At July 31, assets limited as to use are set aside for the following purposes:

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|                              | <u>2011</u>       | <u>2012</u>       |
|------------------------------|-------------------|-------------------|
| Bond Fund                    | \$ 90,715         | \$ 89,631         |
| Reserve Fund                 | <u>219,000</u>    | <u>219,000</u>    |
| Total                        | 309,715           | 308,631           |
| LESS: Current Portion        | <u>(90,715)</u>   | <u>(89,631)</u>   |
| Net Assets Limited as to Use | <u>\$ 219,000</u> | <u>\$ 219,000</u> |

**Property and Equipment**

Property and equipment is stated at cost and is being depreciated by the straight-line method over the following estimated useful lives:

|           |            |
|-----------|------------|
| Buildings | 5-40 Years |
| Equipment | 3-20 Years |

Depreciation expense for the years ended July 31, 2011 and 2010 was \$261,167 and \$252,730, respectively.

Additions and betterments of \$5,000 or more are capitalized, while maintenance and repairs that do not improve or extend the useful lives of the respective assets are charged to operations when incurred. When property, plant and equipment are sold or otherwise disposed of, the asset account and related accumulated depreciation account are relieved, and any gain or loss is included in operations.

**Bond Issuance Costs**

The costs associated with the issuance of debt are amortized using the straight-line method, which approximates the effective interest method, over the term of the related financing agreement. Amortization expense associated with deferred financing costs was \$2,027 for both years ended July 31, 2012 and 2011.

**Refundable Advance Fees**

The Organization provides for a declining refundable amount based upon the length of the residency. The amount will not decline to less than 50% of the deposit.

**Deferred Revenue from Advance Fees**

Fees paid by a resident upon entering an apartment contract, net of the portion thereof that is refundable to the resident, are recorded as deferred revenue and are amortized to income using the straight-line method over the estimated remaining life expectancy of the resident.

**Temporarily and Permanently Restricted Assets**

Temporarily restricted net assets are those whose use by the Organization has been limited by donors to a specific time period or purpose. Permanently restricted net assets have been restricted by donors to be maintained by the Organization in perpetuity.

**Operating Income (Loss)**

The statements of activities include operating income (loss). Changes in unrestricted net assets which are excluded from operating income (loss), consistent with industry practice, include unrealized gains and losses on investments other than trading securities and contributions of long-lived assets (including assets acquired using contributions which by donor restriction were to be used for the purposes of acquiring such assets.)

**Net Resident Service Revenue**

Net resident service revenue is reported at the estimated net realizable amounts from residents, third-party payors, and others for services rendered.

Revenue from certain third-party payor agreements is subject to audit and retroactive adjustment. Provisions for estimated third-party payor settlements are provided in the period the related services are rendered. Differences between the estimated amounts accrued and interim and final settlements are reported in operations in the year of settlement.

Laws and regulations governing the Medicare and Medicaid programs are extremely complex and subject to interpretation. As a result, there is at least a reasonable possibility that recorded estimates will change by a material amount in the near term.

The Organization recognizes revenue on the date service is rendered. The related expenses are estimated and accrued accordingly.

**Contributions and Donor-Restricted Funds**

The Organization reports gifts of cash and other assets at fair value as restricted support if they are received with donor stipulations that limit the use of the donated assets. When a donor restriction expires, that is, when a stipulated time restriction ends or purpose restriction is accomplished, temporarily restricted net assets are reclassified to unrestricted net assets and reported in the statement of activities as net assets released from restrictions. Donor-restricted contributions whose restrictions are met within the same year as received are reflected as unrestricted contributions in the accompanying financial statements.

The Organization reports gifts of land, buildings, and equipment at fair value as unrestricted support unless explicit donor stipulations specify how the donated assets must be used. Gifts of long-lived assets with explicit restrictions that specify how the assets are to be used, and gifts of cash or other assets that much be used to acquire long-lived assets are reported as restricted support. Absent explicit donor stipulations about how long those long-lived assets must be maintained, the Organization reports expirations of donor restrictions when the donated or acquired long-lived assets are placed in service.

Contributions not restricted by donors are recorded as revenue in unrestricted assets.

**Contributed Services**

Volunteers provide assistance to the Organization for its programs and other activities. No value has been assigned to these services and, as such, the value of these services is not reflected in the financial statements as revenue and expense.

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**Advertising**

Advertising costs are expensed as incurred. Advertising expense totaled \$18,403 and \$16,134 for the years ended July 31, 2012 and 2011, respectively.

**Income Taxes**

The Herman L. Rowley Memorial Trust is exempt under Code Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code. The Rowley Masonic Home Health Care, LLC has been organized as a limited liability company and is exempt under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code. Therefore, no provision for income taxes is presented in these financial statements.

The Organization has adopted the accounting standard regarding "Accounting for Uncertain Tax Positions". This standard provides detailed guidance for financial statement recognition measurements, and disclosure of uncertain tax positions recognized in the entity's financial statements. It requires an entity to recognize the financial statement benefit of a tax position when it is more likely than not that the position will be sustained upon examination. The adoption of this standard had no material effect on the Organization's financial position, results of operations, or cash flow. The Organization's Forms 990 for 2008, 2008, and 2010 are subject to examination by the IRS, generally for three years after they were filed.

**Reclassifications**

Certain items in the prior year's financial statements have been reclassified to conform with current year presentation. Such reclassifications have no effect on net income as previously stated.

**NOTE 2 – INVESTMENT INCOME**

Investment income is summarized as follows:

|                                                        | <u>2011</u>       | <u>2012</u>      |
|--------------------------------------------------------|-------------------|------------------|
| Interest and Dividend Income                           | \$ 128,510        | \$ 144,444       |
| Gain (Loss) on Sale of Investments                     | <u>80,202</u>     | <u>30,519</u>    |
| Total Investment Income                                | \$ 208,712        | \$ 174,963       |
| Change in Net Unrealized Gains (Losses) on Investments | <u>\$ 101,422</u> | <u>\$ 58,515</u> |

**NOTE 3 – FAIR VALUES MEASURED ON A RECURRING BASIS**

**Fair Values Measured on a Recurring Basis**

Fair values of assets measured on a recurring basis at July 31, 2012 and 2011 as follows:

|                                  | <u>Fair Value</u>   | Quoted Prices<br>In Active<br>Markets for<br>Identical Assets<br>(Level 1) | Significant<br>Other<br>Observable<br>Inputs<br>(Level 2) |
|----------------------------------|---------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------|
| <b>July 31, 2012</b>             |                     |                                                                            |                                                           |
| Cash and Cash Equivalents        | \$ 439,381          | \$ 439,381                                                                 | \$ 0                                                      |
| Corporate Bonds                  | 2,410,981           | 2,410,981                                                                  | 0                                                         |
| Stocks                           | 1,093,889           | 1,093,889                                                                  | 0                                                         |
| Mutual Funds                     | <u>536,297</u>      | <u>536,297</u>                                                             | <u>0</u>                                                  |
| Total                            | <u>\$ 4,480,548</u> | <u>\$ 4,480,548</u>                                                        | <u>\$ 0</u>                                               |
| <b>July 31, 2011</b>             |                     |                                                                            |                                                           |
| Cash and Cash Equivalents        | \$ 394,506          | \$ 394,506                                                                 | \$ 0                                                      |
| Certificates of Deposit          | 28,023              | 0                                                                          | 28,023                                                    |
| Corporate Bonds                  | 1,431,998           | 1,431,998                                                                  | 0                                                         |
| Government and Agency Securities | 891,698             | 891,698                                                                    | 0                                                         |
| Stocks                           | 1,234,226           | 1,234,226                                                                  | 0                                                         |
| Mutual Funds                     | <u>342,482</u>      | <u>342,482</u>                                                             | <u>0</u>                                                  |
| Total                            | <u>4,322,933</u>    | <u>4,294,910</u>                                                           | <u>28,023</u>                                             |

Assets measured at fair value consist of the following at July 31:

|                                    | <u>2012</u>    | <u>2011</u>    |
|------------------------------------|----------------|----------------|
| Investments                        | \$ 3,980,679   | \$ 3,798,617   |
| Assets Limited as to Use           | 308,631        | 309,715        |
| Charitable Remainder Annuity Trust | <u>191,238</u> | <u>214,601</u> |
| Total Investment Income            | \$ 4,480,548   | \$ 4,322,933   |

Financial Accounting Standards Board for *Fair Value Measurements and Disclosures*, established a fair value hierarchy that prioritizes the inputs to valuation techniques used to measure fair value. This hierarchy consists of three broad levels: Level 1 inputs consist of unadjusted quoted prices in active markets for identical assets and have the highest priority, and Level 3 inputs have the lowest priority. The Organization uses appropriate valuation techniques based on the available inputs to measure the fair value of its investments. When available, the Organization measures fair value using Level 1 inputs because they generally provide the most reliable evidence of fair value.

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**Level 1 Fair Value Measurements**

Fair values for assets limited as to use and investments are determined by reference to quoted market prices and other relevant information generated by market transactions.

**Level 2 Fair Value Measurements**

Valuation is based upon quoted prices for similar instruments in active markets, quoted prices for identical or similar instruments in markets that are not active, and model-based valuation techniques for which all significant assumptions are observable in the market.

**NOTE 4 – TEMPORARILY RESTRICTED NET ASSETS**

Temporarily restricted net assets represent unexpended gifts from donors who specified that they were to be used for the following purpose at July 31:

|                                    | <u>2011</u>      | <u>2012</u>     |
|------------------------------------|------------------|-----------------|
| Bus Maintenance                    | \$ 2,000         | \$ 2,000        |
| Charitable Remainder Annuity Trust | 9,898            | 3,475           |
|                                    | <u>\$ 11,898</u> | <u>\$ 5,475</u> |

**NOTE 5 – Long-Term Debt**

Long-term debt at July 31, 2011 and 2010 is as follows:

|                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    | <u>2011</u>         | <u>2012</u>         |
|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------------|---------------------|
| Description                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                        |                     |                     |
| City of Perry, Iowa, Elderly Housing Revenue Bonds (Rowley Memorial Masonic Home Project) Series 2004, consisting of revenue bonds of \$3,040,000 bonds are due in scheduled semiannual installments maturing through 2034 and carrying interest ranging from 2.25% to 6%. The revenue bonds require semi-annual interest payments | \$ 2,695,000        | \$ 2,630,000        |
| Loan payable, First Federal Savings Bank of Iowa with monthly installments of \$3,077 including interest at 6.9% per annum with a balloon payment due on March 1, 2019. Loan is secured by the assets of the mortgage property                                                                                                     | <u>372,735</u>      | <u>361,226</u>      |
| Total Long-Term Debt                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               | \$ 3,067,735        | \$ 2,991,226        |
| Less: Current Portion                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                              | <u>(76,496)</u>     | <u>(77,315)</u>     |
| Long-Term Debt, Less Current Portion                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               | <u>\$ 2,991,239</u> | <u>\$ 2,913,911</u> |

Aggregate maturities required on long-term debt as of July 31, 2011 are due in the future years as follows:

|                      |                     |
|----------------------|---------------------|
| 2012                 | \$ 77,315           |
| 2013                 | 83,192              |
| 2014                 | 84,132              |
| 2015                 | 90,139              |
| 2016                 | 96,217              |
| Thereafter           | <u>2,560,232</u>    |
| Total Long-Term Debt | <u>\$ 2,991,227</u> |

The City of Perry, Iowa, Elderly Housing Revenue Bonds contains certain restrictive covenants. The Organization must maintain a debt service coverage ratio of not less than 1.10 on July 31 of each year, and at the end of each fiscal year, the Organization must have and maintain 90 days cash on hand.

Total interest expense incurred for the years ended July 31, 2012 and 2011 were \$177,467 and \$180,150, all of which was charge to operations.

**NOTE 6 – CHARITABLE REMAINDER ANNUITY TRUST**

The Organization is the beneficiary and trustee of the Lankenau Charitable Remainder Annuity Trust. A charitable remainder trust provides the payment of the distributions to the grantor or other designated beneficiaries over the Trust's term (usually the designated beneficiary's lifetime). At the end of the Trust's term, the remaining assets are available for the Organization's use. The portion of the Trust attributable to the present value of the future benefits to be received by the Organization was recorded in the Statements of Activities as a temporarily restricted contribution in the period the Trust was established. Assets held in the charitable remainder annuity trust totaled \$191,238 and \$214,601 at July 31, 2012 and 2011, respectively, and are reported as fair market value in the Organization's Statement of Financial Position. On an annual basis, the Organization revalues the liability to make distributions to the designated beneficiaries on actuarial assumptions. The present value of the estimated future payments (\$156,860 and \$173,800 at July 31, 2012 and July 31, 2011, respectively) is calculated using a discount rate of 7%.

**NOTE 7 – REFUNDABLE FEES AND DEFERRED REVENUE FROM ADVANCE FEES**

Residents of the apartments sign various agreements. In some of the agreements the resident is required to make an advance fee prior to occupying quarters. The unit agreement provides for a refund of the resident's advance fee as follows:

**Contracts After March 28, 1997**

The Organization has units that are provided to individuals or couples through contractual agreements. The contract provides for the use of a unit until the person dies or moves to the nursing facility. The agreement requires a one time non-refundable fee, a refundable payment (base amount) which become non-refundable, and a monthly service charge and property tax payment. The refundable fee becomes non-refundable at 7% a year of the base amount not to decrease below 50% of the base refundable amount.

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**Contracts Before March 28, 1997**

Contracts written before March 28, 1997 provides for the use of a unit until the person dies or moves to the nursing facility. The agreement requires a one time non-refundable fee, a refundable payment (base amount) which becomes non-refundable, a monthly service charge, and property tax payment. The refundable fee becomes non-refundable at an amount agreed to by the parties.

**NOTE 8 – MINERAL RIGHTS**

The Organization owns mineral rights to property located in Oklahoma. The property has not been explored; therefore no value has been recorded in the financial statements. During the year ended July 31, 2010, the Organization entered into an oil and gas agreement and received \$500 per mineral acre for 160 mineral acres for a total of \$80,000 that is included in other income on the statement of activities. The amount received grants the exploration company the sole and exclusive right to explore by geophysical and other methods, mining and operating for oil and gas, and for laying pipe lines. The agreement shall remain in force for through November 25, 2012 and as long thereafter as oil or gas is produced from the property. The agreement provides that the Organization will receive 18.75% of gross proceeds from any production of oil and gas from the property. There was no production during the years ended July 31, 2012 or 2011.

**NOTE 9 – FUNCTIONAL EXPENSES**

The Organization's expenses by function for the years ended July 31, 2012 and 2011 are as follows:

|                                  | <u>2011</u>         | <u>2012</u>         |
|----------------------------------|---------------------|---------------------|
| Healthcare and Resident Services | \$ 2,795,663        | \$ 2,853,360        |
| General and Administrative       | <u>1,154,047</u>    | <u>1,144,622</u>    |
| Total                            | <u>\$ 3,949,710</u> | <u>\$ 3,997,982</u> |

**NOTE 10 – RETIREMENT PLAN**

The Organization sponsors a 401(k) plan that covers all employees who have attained the age of 21 and have earned one year of service as defined by the Plan. Employees may elect to defer up to 19% of their compensation, subject to statutory limits. For all eligible employees, the Organization will contribute 5% of gross compensation and provide a matching contribution of up to 50% of the first 2% of employee contributions. Vesting of employer contributions is based on years of service. During the years ended July 31, 2012 and 2011, employer contributions totaled \$109,179 and \$103,452, respectively.

**NOTE 11 – CONCENTRATION OF CREDIT RISK**

Most of the Organization's business activity is with residents of the facility. Herman L. Rowley Memorial Trust is under a contractual agreement with the Iowa Department of Human Services as a licensed provider of Title XIX care (Medicaid). Revenue received from this source approximated \$1,234,000 and \$1,314,000 for the years ended July 31, 2012 and 2011. Receivables from the Iowa Department of Human Services on behalf of residents at July 31, 2012 and 2011 were \$81,140 and \$79,648, respectively.

Herman L. Rowley Memorial Trust is also under a contractual agreement with the Department of Health and Human Services – Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services as a licensed provider of Title XVIII care (Medicare). Revenue received from this source approximated \$34,000 and \$78,000 for the years ended July 31, 2012 and 2011, respectively. Receivables from Medicare on behalf of residents at July 31, 2012 and 2011 were \$14,096 and \$20,757, respectively.

At July 31, 2012 and 2011, the Organization had investments and assets limited as to use and a charitable remainder trust with a fair value of \$4,480,548 and \$4,322,933, respectively, which are not federally insured and are subject to the market risks inherent in the individual investments.

**NOTE 12 – CONCENTRATION IN STATE MEDICAID PROGRAM**

The Organization has all of its nursing beds designated for care of patients under the state's Medicaid program. The current funding of that program is 30 days behind filed claims. The current state budget has no provision for reducing that lag, and the proposed budget for next year includes no assurance of increased funding.

**NOTE 13 – THIRD PARTY RATE ADJUSTMENTS AND REVENUE**

Revenue from the Medicaid program accounted for approximately 33% and 37% of total net resident service revenue for the years ended July 31, 2012 and 2011. Revenue from the Medicare program accounted for approximately 1% and 3% of total net resident service revenue for the years ended July 31, 2012 and 2011, respectively. Laws and regulations governing the Medicaid and Medicare programs are extremely complex and subject to interpretation. As a result, there is at least a reasonable possibility that the recorded estimates will change by a material amount in the near term.

**NOTE 14 – SUBSEQUENT EVENT**

The date to which events occurring after July 31, 2012, the date of the most recent statement of financial position, have been evaluated for possible adjustment to the financial statements or disclosure is October 9, 2012, which is the date the financial statements were available to be issued.

## REPORT OF THE LODGE SERVICE COMMITTEE

To the Grand Lodge of Iowa:

The Lodge Service Committee has been very pleased to support Grand Master Jerry L. Levay in promoting his motto throughout the year "Masonry and the Military – Hand in Hand Since 1776 – Saluting Those Who Serve." The Committee has actively assisted lodges by providing educational materials using a wide variety of methods. These include but are not limited to assisting with the Grand Master Area Meetings, Ashlar and Master Builder Award Programs, Golden Trowel Award, Lodge of the Year Award, Neighborhood Area Meetings, speakers on a variety of topics, web presence, printed material and personal visits to lodges. Meeting the needs of lodges and helping them engage their members is our primary concern.

We are experiencing very good participation and great results from the following programs:

*Ashlar Award/New Mason of the Year Award*-helps to enroll a new Brother into his lodge by setting criteria and expectations for the new Mason. It teaches the benefits of becoming an involved active member of a lodge. It also assists the lodge by requiring them to be responsible to their new members.

*Master Builder Award*-helps to enroll brothers into their lodge by setting criteria which includes lodge, family and community involvement.

*Golden Trowel Award* – is laden with service opportunities to the lodge, community and Fraternity as a whole. It is difficult to achieve by design, but the satisfaction obtained by the journey to achieve it will repay the effort.

As of the writing of this report we have received 19 applications for the Ashlar Award and 11 for the Master Builder Award.

We continue to increase our web presence by working with the Technology Committee to update and increase the materials available online including a catalog of educational program materials, Masonic music, PowerPoint presentations, the catalog of Masonic Books in the Iowa Masonic Library, and links to many other available Masonic resources. The digitization of the article level index for the collection of Masonic periodicals is progressing and it is hoped to be available online by 2013.

The Committee assisted Grand Master Levay in facilitating, coordinating and presenting 12 Area Meetings across the jurisdiction in October and November. The main theme of the meetings was, "Saluting Those Who Serve." The meetings began by showing a video "Red Skelton's Pledge of Allegiance" followed by a video of the combined choirs of the Armed Services Academies and U.S. Army Herald Trumpets performing the Star Spangled Banner. Presentations were given on

Honoring Our Masonic Widows; DeMolay; Leaving a Legacy (recording the history of your lodge); and Masonic Symbolism. The Grand Master then wrapped-up the meetings talking about his military experiences, personally presenting patches to those who served in the military and giving them each his heartfelt thank you for their service. The meetings concluded with a short video by "Ben Franklin." There were 128 lodges represented with a total attendance of 360 or an average of 30 per meeting. The materials were well presented and enthusiastically received.

On February 10 and 11 the "Iowa Conference on Masonic Education" was held in Cedar Rapids. On Friday afternoon tours were provided at the Iowa Masonic Library and Museums. The Brothers then gathered at the Scottish Rite Center for a steak dinner and a talk by Brother Cliff Porter on "The Form of a Lodge: Creating a Fulfilling Lodge Experience." Saturday registration opened at 7:30 a.m. and the meetings concluded at 4:00 p.m. Presentations were given by Chad Simpson – "Symbolism of the Third Degree"; Jons Olsson – "Square and Compass Beats Rifles and Cannon"; George Harrison – "Masonic Symbolism Course"; Ryan Broderson – "The Temple of Solomon" and Cliff Porter – "The Secret Psychology of Freemasonry." Grand Master Levay finished up by talking about his theme, "Masonry and the Military – Hand in Hand Since 1776". There were approximately 150 attendees and all agreed that it was a wonderful day filled with Masonic education, enlightenment, great food, and fellowship.

The committee conducted a series of 17 Neighborhood Area Meetings in April. The topics were:

"How do the members of your lodge put their Masonry into practice?"

"Does fellowship impact the mentoring of a new Brother?"

"Lodge finances and financial planning."

The meetings were conducted as a facilitated round table discussion group. The discussions were lively and informative. There were many examples given of how brothers practice Masonry, the large impact fellowship has in the mentoring process, the importance of having a lodge budget and finding outside sources for funding.

A mailing of educational material was sent to the lodges on April containing 9 articles suitable for presentation at lodge meetings. The titles were "An Empty Life", "Analysis of the Number Symbolism in the Middle Chamber Lecture of the Fellow Craft Degree of Freemasonry", "Five Points Of Fellowship", "Masonry in Ancient China", "On Presenting the Lambskin Apron", "Some Notes on the Iowa Masonic Library's Sibelius Manuscript", "STS Johns Days In Masonry", "Understanding", and "Who Was Hiram King Of Tyre." These materials were also posted on the Grand Lodge website as downloadable PDF files.

A Leadership Symposium was held on June 30, 2012 at the Des Moines Scottish Rite Center. There were outstanding Masonic speakers

throughout the day, Bob Davis, Brent Morris, Chris Hodapp and Thomas Wilkerson. The Lodge Service Committee gave presentations on pre-planning to become Worshipful Master, duties of lodge officers, lodge activities, how to conduct a meeting, the importance of a knowledge of the Masonic Code of Iowa, and proper investigation of a candidate for the Degrees. There were nearly 150 Masons in attendance and all agreed it was a very rewarding experience filled with good information.

To the members of the Lodge Service Committee; your commitment, resourcefulness, giving, caring, selflessness and love for our Craft which inspires you to go beyond what is expected and do the many things that help our great Fraternity to prosper, for assisting lodges to grow and prosper and for traveling the many miles it takes to make these things possible, Thank You. You are an inspiration!

In conclusion, Masonic Education is an integral part of the tradition of our great Fraternity. The members of the Lodge Service Committee are committed to the success of the Masonic Fraternity in Iowa and we will continue to go the "extra mile" to help fulfill the needs of Iowa Lodges and their members.

Fraternally submitted,

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## **REPORT OF THE PENSION ADMINISTRATORS**

To the Grand Lodge of Iowa:

The Pension administrators met for their annual meeting on September 14, 2011 in Room 5 at the Oakwood Ballroom at the Clarion Hotel and Convention Center in Davenport. John Blattner, agent of record for the Grand Lodge of Iowa Retiree Plan, presented a Fiduciary Review of the Plan. This review is required under existing laws and is designed to keep administrators up to date on their responsibilities as well as the



responsibilities of the Plan providers. The review included a summary of the investments made by Principal with retirement money they have in their control.

John Blattner meets annually with all employees of the Grand Lodge of Iowa to review their options with the retirement plan, answer their questions, and provide a link between employees and the Principal Group. All employees of the Grand Lodge (Bettendorf – Cedar Rapids – Perry) are covered by this retirement plan.

The Grand Lodge of Iowa 401(k) Retirement Plan is audited by Honkamp, Krueger & Co. P.C., CPA firm. The Plan operates on a fiscal year basis with fiscal year ending August 31. The current audit and all previous audits are on file with the Grand Secretary's office in Cedar Rapids.

Fraternally submitted,  
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## **REPORT OF THE CUSTODIANS OF THE WORK**

To The Grand Lodge of Iowa:

Your Board of Custodians of the Work submits the following report of ritualistic activities.

### **REGIONAL SCHOOLS 2011-12**

Attendance at the Regional Schools for 2011-12 was 417, up from 346 in the previous year. The Board of Custodians is grateful for the host lodges and the hospitality shown to the attendees. We appreciate their willingness to open their facilities for us. The Board has continued a varied schedule for the year, including evening schools. We hope that the variety of the schedule will allow more brethren to participate. It is the desire of the Board to see all District Lecturers and Masonic Instructors attend at least one school each year. All Master Masons are welcome at the schools and, where possible, are encouraged to participate.

### **Regional Schools 2011-12**

|                                            |                                   |           |
|--------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|-----------|
| Benton City Lodge No. 81, Shellsburg.....  | Wednesday, October 12, 2011 ..... | 9:00 A.M. |
| Newton Lodge No. 59, Newton.....           | Thursday, October 13, 2011.....   | 9:00 A.M. |
| Hamilton Lodge No. 664, Bettendorf.....    | Wednesday, October 26, 2011 ..... | 5:30 P.M. |
| Canopy Lodge No. 290, Oxford.....          | Thursday, October 27, 2011.....   | 9:00 A.M. |
| Black Hawk Lodge No. 65, Cedar Falls.....  | Wednesday, November 9, 2011 ...   | 9:00 A.M. |
| Arcadia Lodge No. 249, Ames.....           | Thursday, November 10, 2011 ..... | 9:00 A.M. |
| Valley Lodge No. 232, Missouri Valley..... | Wednesday, November 16, 2011 .    | 5:30 P.M. |

|                                             |                                    |           |
|---------------------------------------------|------------------------------------|-----------|
| Signet Lodge No. 264, Carroll.....          | Thursday, November 17, 2011 .....  | 9:00 A.M. |
| Corinthian Lodge No. 174, Malcom.....       | Friday, December 2, 2011 .....     | 9:00 A.M. |
| Springville Lodge No. 139, Springville..... | Saturday, December 3, 2011 .....   | 8:00 A.M. |
| Operative Lodge No. 308, Polk City.....     | Wednesday, March 14, 2012.....     | 5:30 P.M. |
| Paul Revere Lodge No. 638, Lucas.....       | Thursday, March 15, 2012.....      | 9:00 A.M. |
| Brubaker Lodge No. 675, Davenport.....      | Wednesday, March 28, 2012.....     | 9:00 A.M. |
| Mosaic Lodge No. 125, Dubuque.....          | Thursday, March 29, 2012.....      | 9:00 A.M. |
| Faith Lodge No. 179, Mount Ayr.....         | Friday, April 13, 2012 .....       | 9:00 A.M. |
| Cobia Lodge No. 631, Council Bluffs.....    | Saturday, April 14, 2012.....      | 8:00 A.M. |
| Cyrene Lodge No. 325, Clarion.....          | Wednesday, April 25, 2012.....     | 5:30 P.M. |
| Home Lodge No. 370, Pleasant Hill .....     | Thursday, April 26, 2012.....      | 9:00 A.M. |
| Cass Lodge No. 412, Griswold.....           | Wednesday, May 9, 2012.....        | 9:00 A.M. |
| Star Lodge No. 115, Madrid.....             | Thursday, May 10, 2012.....        | 9:00 A.M. |
| Marion Lodge No. 6, Marion.....             | Wednesday, May 23, 2012 .....      | 5:30 P.M. |
| Clinton Lodge No. 15, Fairfield.....        | Thursday, May 24, 2012.....        | 9:00 A.M. |
| Golden Leaf Lodge No. 595, Manilla .....    | Friday, June 8, 2012.....          | 9:00 A.M. |
| King David Lodge No. 407, Altoona.....      | Saturday, June 9, 2012.....        | 8:00 A.M. |
| Waterloo Lodge No. 105, Waterloo .....      | Wednesday, June 20, 2012 .....     | 5:30 P.M. |
| Montague Lodge No. 117, Eldora.....         | Thursday, June 21, 2012.....       | 9:00 A.M. |
| Adel Lodge No. 80, Adel.....                | Saturday, August 25, 2012 .....    | 9:00 A.M. |
| Five Sullivan Bros. Conv. Center, Waterloo. | Thursday, September 20, 2012 ..... | 8:00 A.M. |

(Grand Lodge)

**LOCAL SCHOOLS**

MI and DL clubs and study groups continue to meet across the state and the Board appreciates receiving reports of their attendance. The Board commends the proficient Brethren, lodge officers and craft for their good work and faithful service to duty. Some groups may not be sending in reports to the Secretary or may have been discontinued. If you are part of a study group that is not sending a report of its activity, please do so. If your study group has been discontinued, please inform the Board of Custodians.

**NEW DISTRICT LECTURER COMMISSIONS**

| <u>Cert. No.</u> | <u>Name</u>        | <u>Lodge No.</u> | <u>City</u>  |
|------------------|--------------------|------------------|--------------|
| 3150             | Kenneth G. Tendal  | 103              | Sioux City   |
| 3151             | Robert J. Jennings | 218              | Prairie City |
| 3152             | Jeffrey M. Brown   | 93               | Clinton      |
| 3153             | Rodney A. Emerson  | 175              | Belle Plaine |
| 3154             | Daniel D. Brown    | 111              | Fort Dodge   |

**NEW MASONIC INSTRUCTOR COMMISSIONS**

| <u>Cert. No.</u> | <u>Name</u>        | <u>Lodge No.</u> | <u>City</u>     |
|------------------|--------------------|------------------|-----------------|
| 3065             | Fred L. Erickson   | 115              | Madrid          |
| 3066             | John D. Lloyd      | 77               | Osceola         |
| 3067             | Brent L. Zirkel    | 13               | Fort Madison    |
| 3068             | Richard E. Maynard | 630              | Des Moines      |
| 3069             | Daniel L. Beyer    | 654              | Windsor Heights |
| 3070             | Tom C. Bowersox    | 6                | Marion          |
| 3071             | Gene Meacham       | 121              | Panora          |

Our admonition to the new Masonic Instructors remains the same. We expect to see you at Regional, Special and Grand Lodge schools as often as your busy schedule will allow. We must be able to monitor your retention of the Ritual and give you additional knowledge of the floor work and movements that District Lecturers must have. Masonic Instructors do not automatically become District Lecturers.

**MEMORIAL**

The following deaths were reported since Grand Lodge 2011:

| <u>Cert. No.</u> | <u>Name</u>           | <u>Lodge No.</u> | <u>City</u>     |
|------------------|-----------------------|------------------|-----------------|
| DL 1908          | Fred R. Burnham Jr.   | 412              | Griswold        |
| DL 1950          | Norman E. Hammond     | 6                | Marion          |
| DL 2007          | Mussehl, Robert J.    | 116              | Waverly         |
| DL 2034          | James R. Lindsey      | 200              | Olin            |
| DL 2090          | Robert A. Krouse      | 630              | Des Moines      |
| DL 2142          | Donald W. Boller      | 654              | Windsor Heights |
| DL 2260          | James C. Schaefer     | 77               | Osceola         |
| DL 2263          | Keith L. Muntz        | 10               | Keosauqua       |
| DL 2325          | Robert T. Pate        | 4                | Iowa City       |
| DL 2351          | Glen H. Pettigrew     | 555              | Prescott        |
| DL 2369          | Lyle L. Andrews       | 61               | Knoxville       |
| DL 2426          | Delbert L. Koenig     | 562              | Whiting         |
| DL 2632          | Graydon A. Peek       | 624              | Waterloo        |
| DL 2652          | Guy J. Tunnell        | 664              | Bettendorf      |
| DL 2776          | John B. Shepherd, Jr. | 22               | Des Moines      |
| DL 2785          | Archie J. Mackay      | 408              | Alta            |
| DL 2791          | Russell G. Haley      | 259              | Council Bluffs  |
| DL 2888          | Henry Schuur          | 103              | Sioux City      |
| DL 2952          | Eugene F. Tawney      | 37               | Davenport       |
| DL 3058          | Donald E. Worster     | 29               | Keokuk          |
| DL 3124          | Edward D. Edgerton    | 77               | Osceola         |

The Board notes the loss of eight Past Grand Lodge Officers above, including Most Worshipful Brother Keith L. Muntz, Past Grand Master, and recognizes their steadfast service to the craft.

To the Grand Master, the Grand Secretary and his staff, the Board extends its profound thanks for making the past year easier. The Board also thanks the Brethren of the Waterloo area for their efforts and arrangements at Grand Lodge. Without the help of these dedicated people, the tasks of the Board would not be accomplished. Thank you.

Fraternally Submitted,  
 ARTHUR G. CRANDON, Chairman  
 WENDELL D. LEONARD,  
 LOREN C. STEIN  
 Custodians

**REPORT OF THE PUBLIC RELATIONS COMMITTEE**

To the Grand Lodge of Iowa:

This past year, Grand Master Levay chose as his theme “Saluting Those Who Serve” to honor our veterans. Over the course of the history of the United States, there have been countless leaders of our country who served valiantly in defense of our country and who we were proud to call brothers of our fraternity. Although we all know the names of those brothers, it was the countless thousands upon thousands of the unsung heroes who served our great country in times of war as well as peace who we owe a tremendous debt of gratitude.

The members of the Public Relations Committee enjoy seeing the newspaper clippings that are sent in regarding the community activities that the various lodges participate in. Iowa Masons do some great things in their communities. Make sure you are telling your community the great things that your lodge is doing to help others.

We encourage each lodge to develop a relationship with their local radio station and newspapers. Local media outlets are always looking for great stories to tell in their communities. We encourage you to appoint a brother in your lodge who is willing to serve as the “public relations chair”. This duty should not be delegated to your lodge secretary by default. Find a brother in your lodge who really wants to go out into the community and work on promoting your lodge.

This will be the fifth year that the Public Relations Committee has sponsored the “Grand Design” Award for websites. Last year, Arcadia Lodge No. 249 in Ames received the gold, Brubaker No. 675 in Davenport received the silver, and Iowa City No. 4 received the Bronze. In 2011, the Public Relations Committee introduced the Grand Masters Social Media Award. This award is designed to recognize those lodge who have developed a social media presence. Our committee was proud to name Arcadia Lodge No. 249 and Black Hawk No. 65 as recipients of this award. The Public Relations Committee will once again be presenting these awards at the upcoming Grand Lodge Annual Communication to be held in Waterloo. If your lodge does not have a presence on the Internet, then you are strongly encouraged to have this as a goal in the coming year. Prospective younger members do not consider you a relevant organization if you are not a part of the technological age.

Last year at the Annual Communication of the Grand Lodge, the Public Relations Committee was proud to sponsor the “Legends of Iowa Masonry” display. This year we will be hosting a display of some of our Masonic Veterans.

We strongly recommend the lodges of Iowa to consider applying for the Mark Twain Award given by the Masonic Service Association of North America. This award recognizes local lodges that have a community

presence and how work to promote themselves in their local communities. It is a great goal to strive for.

Thank you for this opportunity to serve you. Each and every Iowa Mason serves as an ambassador for our great fraternity. Let's be out there in our communities telling our "story" to our friends, families, and neighbors. Show your pride in being an Iowa Mason.

Fraternally submitted,  
WADE E. SHEELER, Chairman  
LANE H. SHAVER,  
VON T. KETELSEN  
Committee

### **REPORT OF SCHOLARSHIP SELECTION COMMITTEE**

To the Grand Lodge of Iowa:

The Grand Lodge Scholarship Program was established in 1970 to promote the continued education of deserving graduates from Iowa's public high schools and since that time has awarded 1865 scholarships with a total value of \$2,710,900.

Each year, the trustees of the Iowa Masonic Scholarship Endowment Fund determine not only the number of scholarships to be awarded under this program, but also the dollar amount of these scholarships. It is then the responsibility of the Scholarship Selection Committee to initiate those procedures that result in the selection of scholarship recipients. The committee was informed that the Grand Lodge of Iowa could award sixty (60) - \$2000 scholarships in the year 2012.

In September, informational brochures and applications were sent to the guidance department of each public high school within the state. The counselors were asked to inform eligible students about the Grand Lodge Scholarship Program. Also in September, copies of these same materials were sent to the Worshipful Master of each subordinate lodge asking his lodge's help in promoting the scholarship program within the community. Additionally the applications and informational brochures available on the Grand Lodge web site. Due to Iowa Masonic Scholarship Endowment Fund Trust and IRS rules, no advantage can be given for applicants with a Masonic affiliation nor are they restricted to race, creed, color, sex, or national origin.

By the time of the February 10 closing date, the committee had received 831 applications. Each application was carefully read and evaluated. Broad-based criteria are used in the selection process. An applicant's academic record, communication skills, and financial need are carefully considered. Service to school and community with special emphasis upon leadership roles in these areas also has considerable weight. This is because the Grand Lodge of Iowa is particularly looking for those students who have exhibited the greatest potential to be not only of

service to their communities in the future, but also, to be leaders in these communities. Early in March the committee selected 72 finalists to be interviewed at four locations across the State. These interviews were conducted in Cedar Rapids at the Iowa Masonic Library on April 11, in Exira at Exodus Lodge No. 342 on April 12, in Des Moines at South Gate Lodge No. 657 on April 13, and in Reinbeck at Coin Lodge No. 394 on April 14. Special thanks to the host organizations for their support during the interviews. At the conclusion of the interviews, the following students were selected to receive \$2000 scholarships:

|                                   |                                |
|-----------------------------------|--------------------------------|
| Catherine A Wilcox, Martelle      | Kiley J Wermersen, Okoboji     |
| Jenna C Schade, Walker            | Dana D Wolthuizen, Sheldon     |
| Brittney N Miller, Tipton         | William D Dyke, Sidney         |
| Kaitlyn A O'Leary, DeWitt         | Danielle R Foss, Onawa         |
| Jana J Lincoln, Stockton          | Makayla A McGrew, Malvern      |
| Sarah E Turner, Muscatine         | Sarah E Ramundt, Des Moines    |
| Michael P Goodyear, Davenport     | Jacob B Snyder, Altoona        |
| Sarah J Myers, Sabula             | Britta K Wilson, Urbandale     |
| Reagan J Zetterlund, Keokuk       | Takashi Yanagi, Urbandale      |
| Rebecca J Lasack, Lisbon          | Nathan C Reising, Polk City    |
| Megan B Goetzl, Clinton           | Shelbi N Weeks, Cambridge      |
| Neil G Blair, Elkader,            | Alissa E Campbell, Urbandale   |
| Lorin J Fisher, Wapello           | Allison N Conrad, Perry        |
| Trevor Z Draisey, Keota           | Rena E M Beard, Chariton       |
| Rachel E LoBianco, Muscatine      | Kaitlyn A Appler, Centerville  |
| Ashley M Quinlan, Delmar          | Mitchell J Hardie, Ottumwa     |
| Mikayla J Morrison, South English | Presley K Swan, Chariton       |
| Sidne L Bevan, Bennett            | Tara E Jackson, Fort Dodge     |
| Tyler A Uhlenkamp, Central City   | Austin D Daniels, Miles        |
| Matthew L Kerns, Clearfield       | Paige M Kennon, Marne          |
| Kayla J Polson, Audubon           | Tracy L Robinson, Bedford      |
| Kalley J Quandt, Westside         | Claire A Reinhard, Gladbrook   |
| Dannielle K Easton, Henderson     | Hayley S Jacobs, Nashua        |
| Natasha L Konrst, Council Bluffs  | Cally R Niess, Osage           |
| Taylor J Coulter, Council Bluffs  | Ryan M Randall, Osage          |
| Taylor B Olsen, Missouri Valley   | Laura K Moorman, Coggon        |
| Robert O Mercer, Fonda            | Elizabeth k Olson, Forest City |
| Kalli C Kestenmacher, Holstein    | Nathan M Koch, Forest City     |
| Lauren G McDonald, Orange City    | Mitchell L Harger, Toddville   |
| Paige A Naig, Emmetsburg          | Kari M Disney, Clarion         |

The Grand Master sent a scholarship certificate to the Worshipful Master of the lodge designated by each recipient to be presented at an awards or commencement program conducted by the recipient's school. A press release was also mailed to each recipient's "home town" newspaper. In July, a check was mailed to each of the winners.

This year, the Grand Lodge Scholarship program represented an investment of \$120,000 in the youth of Iowa.

Fraternally submitted,  
 DAVID C. STUART, Chairman  
 A. LYLE MILLER,  
 JAMES W. EVANS,

KENNETH A. HURMENCE,  
KIRK R. THELIN,  
GARY T. WARWICK,  
ROBERT J. HOLLIDAY  
Committee

## **REPORT OF THE MASONIC CHARITABLE EDUCATIONAL CORPORATION SCHOLARSHIP SELECTION COMMITTEE**

To the Grand Lodge of Iowa:

The Masonic Charitable Educational Corporation Scholarship Selection Committee, with assistance from Karen Davies at the Grand Secretary's office, has completed its work for this year.

As in past years eligibility is open only to students planning to attend one of the fifteen Iowa Community Colleges, and then only if they were enrolling in a two year course and not planning to use the community college for the first two years of a four year degree .

This year the Trustees and the Grand Master determined we should award 20 scholarships of \$1250 each.

We received 67 applications for scholarships this year. On initial review, several of the applications were found to be incomplete or ineligible for some reason. After evaluating the remaining applications, the committee met, on April 7, at the Holiday Inn Express in Altoona, to determine the 20 who would receive scholarships.

We are still disappointed in the number applications we received this year, and the low number of applicants, who indicate they or their parents are members of a Masonic Organization.

The scholarship recipients are:

|                                   |                               |
|-----------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| Cody R. Beaver, St. Ansgar        | Keegan F. Bintz, Sidney       |
| Matthew L. Brown, Missouri Valley | Noah S. Buss, Ridgeway        |
| Cherise R. Cox, Grinnell          | Hunter K. Decker, Murray      |
| Makenzie M. Gosch, Castana        | Andrew D. Jacobson, Clermont  |
| Harrison C. Johnston, Rippey      | Jeslin A. Kauffman, Bennett   |
| Samantha A. Mowery, Garwin        | Shantell L. Perry, Waucoma    |
| Jason M. Rahe, Buffalo Center     | Andrew J. Redinbaugh, Shelby  |
| Alexis T. Reno, Humeston          | Kurtis K. Rice, Jefferson     |
| Mitchell D. Richards, Maquoketa   | Ryan G. Roepsch, Des Moines   |
| Cheyenne R. Rowley, Albia         | Theresa M. Storby, Lake Mills |

The Masonic Charitable Educational Corporation Scholarship Selection Committee consisted of the following Brothers; Kenneth Anderson, Chairman, Gregory Andersen, Dallas Brown, Robert Holliday, and Carl Horne.

It was a pleasure for me to serve on this committee. The other members of the committee were also pleased to have the opportunity to be a part of this effort and look forward to continuing on this committee as we build the program and improve our processes.

Fraternally submitted,  
 KENNETH M. ANDERSON, Chairman  
 GREGORY L. ANDERSEN,  
 DALLAS D. BROWN,  
 ROBERT J. HOLLIDAY,  
 CARL N. HORNE  
 Committee

### **REPORT OF THE PUBLIC SCHOOL SUPPORT COMMITTEE**

To the Grand Lodge of Iowa:

The Public School Support Committee works to promote the positive attributes of public school education and supports the Iowa's educators. The Committee received many outstanding nominations for the Iowa Masonic Teacher of the Year honor. A 2012 Iowa Masonic Teacher of the Year has been selected and will be announced and recognized at the Grand Lodge Annual Communication in Waterloo.

Fraternally submitted,  
 SCOTT A. ENYART, Chairman  
 BRIAN D. PAPPADUCAS,  
 JEFFREY S. WEAVER  
 Committee

### **REPORT OF THE MASONIC YOUTH COMMITTEE**

To the Grand Lodge of Iowa:

Youth are our future. The youth groups of DeMolay, Rainbow, and Job's Daughters need lodges to sponsor them, and adults to serve as advisors and on the committees. Congratulations to Sioux City on forming a new Lewis & Clark DeMolay Chapter. Best wishes to the Davenport area as they are working on a new Rainbow Chapter.

If your lodge is supporting a youth group, thank you. If your lodge would like to learn about supporting a youth group, then contact any member of this committee and we will happily put you in contact with the right people.

Fraternally submitted,  
 JOSEPH J. PODZIMEK, Chairman  
 TOM BOWERSOX,  
 MATTHEW BUCKLEY,  
 WILLIAM K. PAISLEY,  
 WILLIAM R. DAVIS  
 Committee



**REPORT OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS IOWA MASONIC  
LIBRARY AND MUSEUMS BUILDING ENDOWMENT FUND**

To the Grand Lodge of Iowa:

During the fiscal year, the Directors met on two occasions at the Iowa Masonic Library and conducted other business by telephone and by e-mail.

Wells Fargo Institutional Investments Group, Cedar Rapids, Iowa continues to manage professionally the fund assets which had a June 30 market value of \$520,695. Honkamp Krueger & Co. P.C. was retained for the annual audit and Form 990 preparation.

The Fund is switching to World Trend Financial as its investment advisor beginning in July.

Contributions to the fund continue to be received from Iowa Masons and their lodges, investment income, and bequests from estates. Thank you to the Masons of Iowa for their support.

Fraternally submitted,  
D. DEAN JOHNSON, Chairman  
DONALD E. MOSIER,  
THOMAS P. YOUNGBLUT  
Directors

**IOWA MASONIC LIBRARY AND MUSEUMS  
BUILDING ENDOWMENT FUND  
REPORT OF THE CERTIFIED PUBLIC ACCOUNTANT  
(2011-12)**

To the Grand Lodge of Iowa:

We have audited the accompanying statements of financial position of Iowa Masonic Library and Museums Building Endowment Fund (a non-profit organization) as of June 30, 2012 and 2011 and the related statements of activities and cash flows for the years then ended. These financial statements are the responsibility of Iowa Masonic Library and Museums Building Endowment Fund's management. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on our audit.

We conducted our audits in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audits to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free of material misstatement. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. An audit also includes assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall financial statement presentation. We believe that our audits provide a reasonable basis for our opinion.

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of Iowa Masonic Library and Museums Building Endowment Fund as of June 30, 2012 and 2011 and the changes in net

assets and cash flows for years then ended in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

HONKAMP KRUEGER & CO., P.C.

Dubuque, Iowa  
November 5, 2012

**Iowa Masonic Library and Museums Building Endowment Fund**  
**Statements of Financial Position**  
**As of June 30, 2012 and 2011**

|                                          | <u>2012</u>       | <u>2011</u>       |
|------------------------------------------|-------------------|-------------------|
| <b>ASSETS</b>                            |                   |                   |
| Cash                                     | \$ 17,538         | \$ 14,531         |
| Investments                              | 503,157           | 509,865           |
| Interest Receivable                      | 5                 | 5                 |
| Contributions Receivable                 | <u>36,393</u>     | <u>34,798</u>     |
| Total Assets                             | <u>\$ 557,093</u> | <u>\$ 559,199</u> |
| <b>LIABILITIES AND NET ASSETS</b>        |                   |                   |
| Annuity Payable, Net of Current Maturity | <u>2,227</u>      | <u>2,690</u>      |
|                                          | <u>2,227</u>      | <u>2,690</u>      |
| Net Assets                               |                   |                   |
| Unrestricted                             | <u>554,866</u>    | <u>556,509</u>    |
| Total Liabilities and Net Assets         | <u>\$ 557,093</u> | <u>\$ 559,199</u> |

See notes to financial statements.

**Iowa Masonic Library and Museums Building Endowment Fund**  
**Statements of Activities**  
**Years Ended June 30, 2012 and 2011**

|                                       | <u>2012</u>     | <u>2011</u>    |
|---------------------------------------|-----------------|----------------|
| <b>UNRESTRICTED NET ASSETS</b>        |                 |                |
| <u>Support and Revenue</u>            |                 |                |
| Contributions                         | \$ 2,074        | \$ 39,801      |
| Interest and Dividends                | 6,431           | 6,016          |
| Capital                               | 41,528          | 10,387         |
| Unrealized Gain (Loss) on Investments | <u>(46,451)</u> | <u>91,688</u>  |
| Total Support and Revenue             | <u>3,582</u>    | <u>147,892</u> |
| Expenses                              |                 |                |
| Professional Fees                     | 2,994           | 3,113          |
| Administrative Fees                   | 2,029           | 2,257          |
| Annuity Payable Expense               | 202             | 235            |
| Donation                              | <u>0</u>        | <u>33,980</u>  |
| Total Expenses                        | <u>5,225</u>    | <u>39,585</u>  |
| Change in Net Assets                  | (1,643)         | 108,307        |
| Net Assets, Beginning                 | <u>556,509</u>  | <u>448,202</u> |

Net Assets, Ending \$ 554,866 \$ 556,509

See notes to financial statements.

**Iowa Masonic Library and Museums Building Endowment Fund  
Statements of Cash Flows  
Years Ended June 30, 2012 and 2011**

|                                                                                          | <u>2012</u>      | <u>2011</u>      |
|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------|------------------|
| Cash Flows from Operating Activities:                                                    |                  |                  |
| Change in Net Assets                                                                     | \$ (1,643)       | \$ 108,307       |
| Adjustments to Reconcile Changes in Net Assets to Cash Provided by Operating Activities: |                  |                  |
| Annuity Payable Life Expectancy Adjustment                                               | 202              | 235              |
| Unrealized (Gain) Loss on Investments                                                    | 46,451           | (91,688)         |
| Gain (Loss) on Sale of Investments                                                       | (41,528)         | (10,387)         |
| (Increase) Decrease in Assets                                                            |                  |                  |
| Interest Receivable                                                                      | 0                | 145              |
| Contributions Receivable                                                                 | <u>(1,595)</u>   | <u>(1,525)</u>   |
| Net Cash Provided by Operating Activities                                                | <u>1,887</u>     | <u>5,087</u>     |
| Cash Flows From Investing Activities:                                                    |                  |                  |
| Proceeds from Sale of Investments                                                        | 172,755          | 93,641           |
| Purchase of Investments                                                                  | <u>(170,970)</u> | <u>(96,734)</u>  |
| Net Cash Provided (Used) by Investing Activities                                         | <u>1,785</u>     | <u>(3,093)</u>   |
| Cash Flows from Financing Activities:                                                    |                  |                  |
| Payments of Annuities Payable                                                            | <u>(665)</u>     | <u>(666)</u>     |
| Net Cash Provided (Used) by Financing Activities                                         | <u>(665)</u>     | <u>(666)</u>     |
| Net Increase (Decrease) in Cash                                                          | 3,007            | 1,328            |
| Cash, Beginning of Year                                                                  | <u>14,531</u>    | <u>13,203</u>    |
| Cash, End of Year                                                                        | <u>\$ 17,538</u> | <u>\$ 14,531</u> |

See notes to financial statements.

**IOWA MASONIC LIBRARY  
AND MUSEUMS BUILDING ENDOWMENT FUND  
NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS**

**NOTE 1. Nature of Business and Significant Accounting Policies**

Iowa Masonic Library and Museums Building Endowment Fund (the "Fund") is a non-profit corporation organized under the laws of Iowa and Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code. The Fund's operations consist of activities intended to further the educational, literary and charitable purposes of the Iowa Masonic Library and Museum by providing funds from the Endowment to maintain and improve the facilities of the Library and Museum. Support is obtained through contributions.

The significant accounting policies of the Organization are as follows:

**Basis of Accounting**

The Fund operates on a fiscal year beginning July 1 and ending June 30. The financial records and reports of the Fund are maintained on the accrual basis of accounting. Under the accrual method of accounting, revenue is recognized as earned, and expenses are

recorded as incurred. The accounting policies relative to the carrying value of assets are disclosed in the footnotes to the financial statements.

### **Basis of Presentation**

A trust fund was established by the Grand Lodge of Iowa of Ancient, Free and Accepted Masons in September 1994. A successor entity was incorporated in the State of Iowa on November 23, 1998 and the assets of the trust fund were transferred to the new corporation effective September 1, 1999. The Fund's assets and operations were previously included in the financial statements of the Grand Lodge of Iowa Ancient, Free and Accepted Masons. The Grand Lodge members approved the termination of the original Trust Agreement which eliminated the economic interest between the two organizations.

The Fund reports under the provisions of Statement of Financial Accounting Standards ASC Topic 958, "Financial Statements of Not-for-Profit Organizations".

Under these provisions, net assets and revenues, expenses, gains, and losses are classified based on the existence or absence of donor-imposed restrictions. Accordingly, net assets of the Organization and changes therein are classified and reported as follows:

**Unrestricted Net Assets:** Net assets that are not subject to donor-imposed stipulations.

**Temporarily Restricted Net Assets:** Net assets subject to donor-imposed stipulations that may or will be met either by actions of the Fund and/or the passage of time. The Organization has no temporarily restricted net assets for the years ended June 30, 2012 and 2011.

**Permanently Restricted Net Assets:** Net assets subject to donor-imposed stipulations that neither expire by passage of time, nor can be met by actions of the Organization. The Organization has no permanently restricted net assets for the years ended June 30, 2012 and 2011.

### **Cash and Cash Equivalents**

The Fund considers cash, other demand deposits, and money market accounts as cash and cash equivalents.

### **Support and Revenue**

Contributions are generally available for unrestricted use unless specifically restricted by the donor. Unconditional promises to give are recorded as received. Unconditional promises to give due in the next year are reflected as current promises to give and are recorded at their net realizable value. The majority of the promises to give are received from a broad base of contributors.

Contributions received by the Fund under irrevocable split-interest agreements are recorded at their fair value when received. The date when the Fund is considered to receive an irrevocable split-interest agreement depends on whether the Fund or a third party is the trustee for the agreement. If the Fund is the trustee or fiscal agent of the assets, the gift is considered received (and the split-interest agreement is recorded) when the donor executes the agreement. If an unrelated third party (such as a bank, trust company or private individual) is the trustee or fiscal agent of the assets, the Fund records the split-interest agreement when it is notified of the gift's existence.

If the Fund holds or controls the assets contributed under an irrevocable split-interest agreement, it (1) records the assets received at their fair value, (2) records a liability for any portion of the assets that are held for the donor or other beneficiary equal to the present value of the expected future payments to be made to the donor or other beneficiary, and (3) records contribution revenue for the difference between the fair value of the assets received and the liability incurred.

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Investments are stated at fair value and are summarized as follows as of June 30, 2012 and 2011:

|                          | <u>2012</u>       |                                          |                   |
|--------------------------|-------------------|------------------------------------------|-------------------|
|                          |                   | Gross<br>Unrealized<br>Gains<br>(Losses) | <u>Fair Value</u> |
|                          | <u>Cost</u>       |                                          |                   |
| Corporate and Government |                   |                                          |                   |
| Bonds                    | 128,370           | 12,153                                   | 140,523           |
| Common Stock             | <u>316,651</u>    | <u>45,983</u>                            | <u>362,634</u>    |
| Total                    | <u>\$ 445,021</u> | <u>\$ 58,136</u>                         | <u>\$ 503,157</u> |
|                          | <u>2011</u>       |                                          |                   |
|                          |                   | Gross<br>Unrealized<br>Gains<br>(Losses) | <u>Fair Value</u> |
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| Total                    | <u>\$ 405,278</u> | <u>\$ 104,587</u>                        | <u>\$ 509,865</u> |

Investment Income consisted of the following for the years ended June 30, 2012 and 2011:

|           | <u>2012</u>     | <u>2011</u>     |
|-----------|-----------------|-----------------|
| Dividends | 2,390           | 1,682           |
| Interest  | <u>4,041</u>    | <u>4,334</u>    |
| Total     | <u>\$ 6,431</u> | <u>\$ 6,016</u> |

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Financial instruments which subject the Fund to concentrations of credit risk consist primarily of investments in long-term corporate and governmental fixed income instruments, equity holdings of domestic corporations, money market accounts, and mutual funds. The Fund maintains cash in banks, which may, at times, exceed the \$250,000 federally insured limit. Management believes the credit risk related to the uninsured balance is minimal.

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|                                                                                                           | <u>2012</u>             | <u>2011</u>             |
|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|
| Unconditional Promises to Give before Unamortized<br>Discount and Allowance for Uncollectible<br>Promises | \$ 250,000              | \$ 250,000              |
| Less Unamortized Discount                                                                                 | <u>(213,607)</u>        | <u>(215,202)</u>        |
| Sub-Total                                                                                                 | 36,393                  | 34,798                  |
| Less Allowance for Uncollectible Promises                                                                 | 0                       | 0                       |
| <b>Net Contributions Receivable</b>                                                                       | <b><u>\$ 36,393</u></b> | <b><u>\$ 34,798</u></b> |
| Amounts Due In:                                                                                           | <u>2012</u>             | <u>2011</u>             |
| Five Years or Less                                                                                        | \$ -                    | \$ -                    |
| More Than Five Years                                                                                      | <u>36,393</u>           | <u>34,798</u>           |
| Total                                                                                                     | <b><u>\$ 36,393</u></b> | <b><u>\$ 34,798</u></b> |

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- Inputs other than quoted prices that are observable for the asset or liability;
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If the asset or liability has a specified (contractual) term, the Level 2 input must be observable for substantially the full term of the asset or liability.

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The asset's or liability's fair value measurement level within the fair value hierarchy is based on the lowest level of any input that is significant to the fair value measurement. Valuation techniques used need to maximize the use of observable inputs and minimize the use of unobservable inputs.

Following is a description of the valuation methodologies used for assets measured at fair value. There have been no changes in the methodology used at June 30, 2012 and 2011.

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The following table sets forth by level, within the fair value hierarchy, the Fund's assets at fair value as of June 30, 2012:

|                                | <u>Investments at Estimated Fair Value</u>                                                   |                                                                           |                                                                                                        | <u>Total</u>      |
|--------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------|
|                                | Investments at Fair Value as Determined by Quoted Prices in Active Markets<br><u>Level I</u> | Valuation Techniques Based on Observable Market Data<br><u>(Level II)</u> | Valuation Techniques Incorporating Information Other Than Observable Market Data<br><u>(Level III)</u> |                   |
| Corporate and Government Bonds | \$ 140,523                                                                                   | \$ 0                                                                      | \$ 0                                                                                                   | \$ 140,523        |
| Common Stock                   | 362,634                                                                                      | 0                                                                         | 0                                                                                                      | 362,634           |
| Total Investments              | <u>\$ 503,157</u>                                                                            | <u>\$ 0</u>                                                               | <u>\$ 0</u>                                                                                            | <u>\$ 503,157</u> |

The following table sets forth by level, within the fair value hierarchy, the Fund's assets at fair value as of June 30, 2011:

|                                | <u>Investments at Estimated Fair Value</u>                                                   |                                                                           |                                                                                                        | <u>Total</u>      |
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| Corporate and Government Bonds | \$ 136,560                                                                                   | \$ 0                                                                      | \$ 0                                                                                                   | \$ 136,560        |
| Common Stock                   | 373,305                                                                                      | 0                                                                         | 0                                                                                                      | 373,305           |
| Total Investments              | <u>\$ 509,865</u>                                                                            | <u>\$ 0</u>                                                               | <u>\$ 0</u>                                                                                            | <u>\$ 509,865</u> |

**NOTE 7. Date of Management's Review**

Subsequent events were evaluated through the date the financial statements were available to be issued, which was November 5, 2012.

**IOWA MASONIC LIBRARY AND MUSEUMS  
BUILDING ENDOWMENT FUND  
REPORT OF THE CERTIFIED PUBLIC ACCOUNTANT  
(2010-11)**

To the Grand Lodge of Iowa:

We have audited the accompanying statements of financial position of Iowa Masonic Library and Museums Building Endowment Fund (a non-profit organization) as of June 30, 2011 and 2010 and the related statements of activities and cash flows for the years then ended. These financial statements are the

responsibility of Iowa Masonic Library and Museums Building Endowment Fund's management. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on our audit.

We conducted our audits in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audits to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free of material misstatement. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. An audit also includes assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall financial statement presentation. We believe that our audits provide a reasonable basis for our opinion.

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of Iowa Masonic Library and Museums Building Endowment Fund as of June 30, 2011 and 2010 and the changes in net assets and cash flows for years then ended in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

HONKAMP KRUEGER & CO., P.C.

Dubuque, Iowa  
May 24, 2012

**Iowa Masonic Library and Museums Building Endowment Fund  
Statements of Financial Position  
As of June 30, 2011 and 2010**

|                                          | <u>2010</u>       | <u>2011</u>       |
|------------------------------------------|-------------------|-------------------|
| <b>ASSETS</b>                            |                   |                   |
| Cash                                     | \$ 13,203         | \$ 14,531         |
| Investments                              | 404,697           | 509,865           |
| Interest Receivable                      | 150               | 5                 |
| Contributions Receivable                 | <u>33,273</u>     | <u>34,798</u>     |
| Total Assets                             | <u>\$ 451,323</u> | <u>\$ 559,199</u> |
| <b>LIABILITIES AND NET ASSETS</b>        |                   |                   |
| Annuity Payable, Net of Current Maturity | <u>3,121</u>      | <u>2,690</u>      |
|                                          | <u>3,121</u>      | <u>2,690</u>      |
| Net Assets                               |                   |                   |
| Unrestricted                             | <u>448,202</u>    | <u>556,509</u>    |
| Total Liabilities and Net Assets         | <u>\$ 451,323</u> | <u>\$ 559,199</u> |

See notes to financial statements.

**Iowa Masonic Library and Museums Building Endowment Fund  
Statements of Activities  
Years Ended June 30, 2011 and 2010**

|                                | <u>2010</u> | <u>2011</u> |
|--------------------------------|-------------|-------------|
| <b>UNRESTRICTED NET ASSETS</b> |             |             |
| <u>Support and Revenue</u>     |             |             |



|                                       |                   |                   |
|---------------------------------------|-------------------|-------------------|
| Contributions                         | \$ 11,179         | \$ 39,801         |
| Interest and Dividends                | 7,620             | 6,016             |
| Capital (Losses)                      | (22,634)          | 10,387            |
| Unrealized Gain (Loss) on Investments | <u>69,325</u>     | <u>91,688</u>     |
| Total Support and Revenue             | <u>65,490</u>     | <u>147,892</u>    |
| Expenses                              |                   |                   |
| Professional Fees                     | 1,825             | 3,113             |
| Administrative Fees                   | 2,500             | 2,257             |
| Annuity Payable Expense               | (2,751)           | 235               |
| Donation                              | <u>50,000</u>     | <u>33,980</u>     |
| Total Expenses                        | <u>51,574</u>     | <u>39,585</u>     |
| Change in Net Assets                  | 13,916            | 108,307           |
| Net Assets, Beginning                 | <u>434,286</u>    | <u>448,202</u>    |
| Net Assets, Ending                    | <u>\$ 448,202</u> | <u>\$ 556,509</u> |

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**Iowa Masonic Library and Museums Building Endowment Fund  
Statements of Cash Flows  
Years Ended June 30, 2011 and 2010**

|                                                                                             | <u>2010</u>      | <u>2011</u>      |
|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------|------------------|
| Cash Flows from Operating Activities:                                                       |                  |                  |
| Change in Net Assets                                                                        | \$ 13,916        | \$ 108,307       |
| Adjustments to Reconcile Changes in Net Assets<br>to Cash Provided by Operating Activities: |                  |                  |
| Annuity Payable Life Expectancy Adjustment                                                  | (2,750)          | 235              |
| Unrealized (Gain) Loss on Investments                                                       | (69,325)         | (91,688)         |
| Gain (Loss) on Sale of Investments                                                          | 22,634           | (10,387)         |
| (Increase) Decrease in Assets                                                               |                  |                  |
| Interest Receivable                                                                         | 66               | 145              |
| Contributions Receivable                                                                    | <u>(1,459)</u>   | <u>(1,525)</u>   |
| Net Cash Provided by Operating Activities                                                   | <u>(36,918)</u>  | <u>5,087</u>     |
| Cash Flows From Investing Activities:                                                       |                  |                  |
| Proceeds from Sale of Investments                                                           | 268,572          | 93,641           |
| Purchase of Investments                                                                     | <u>(229,573)</u> | <u>(96,734)</u>  |
| Net Cash Provided (Used) by Investing Activities                                            | <u>38,999</u>    | <u>(3,093)</u>   |
| Cash Flows from Financing Activities:                                                       |                  |                  |
| Payments of Annuities Payable                                                               | <u>(664)</u>     | <u>(666)</u>     |
| Net Cash Provided (Used) by Financing Activities                                            | <u>(664)</u>     | <u>(666)</u>     |
| Net Increase (Decrease) in Cash                                                             | 1,417            | 1,328            |
| Cash, Beginning of Year                                                                     | <u>11,786</u>    | <u>13,203</u>    |
| Cash, End of Year                                                                           | <u>\$ 13,203</u> | <u>\$ 14,531</u> |

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**IOWA MASONIC LIBRARY  
AND MUSEUMS BUILDING ENDOWMENT FUND  
NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS**

**NOTE 1. Nature of Business and Significant Accounting Policies**

Iowa Masonic Library and Museums Building Endowment Fund (the "Fund") is a non-profit corporation organized under the laws of Iowa and Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code. The Fund's operations consist of activities intended to further the educational, literary and charitable purposes of the Iowa Masonic Library and Museum by providing funds from the Endowment to maintain and improve the facilities of the Library and Museum. Support is obtained through contributions.

The significant accounting policies of the Organization are as follows:

**Basis of Accounting**

The Fund operates on a fiscal year beginning July 1 and ending June 30. The financial records and reports of the Fund are maintained on the accrual basis of accounting. Under the accrual method of accounting, revenue is recognized as earned, and expenses are recorded as incurred. The accounting policies relative to the carrying value of assets are disclosed in the footnotes to the financial statements.

**Basis of Presentation**

A trust fund was established by the Grand Lodge of Iowa of Ancient, Free and Accepted Masons in September 1994. A successor entity was incorporated in the State of Iowa on November 23, 1998 and the assets of the trust fund were transferred to the new corporation effective September 1, 1999. The Fund's assets and operations were previously included in the financial statements of the Grand Lodge of Iowa Ancient, Free and Accepted Masons. The Grand Lodge members approved the termination of the original Trust Agreement which eliminated the economic interest between the two organizations.

The Fund reports under the provisions of Statement of Financial Accounting Standards ASC Topic 958, "Financial Statements of Not-for-Profit Organizations".

Under these provisions, net assets and revenues, expenses, gains, and losses are classified based on the existence or absence of donor-imposed restrictions. Accordingly, net assets of the Organization and changes therein are classified and reported as follows:

**Unrestricted Net Assets:** Net assets that are not subject to donor-imposed stipulations.

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**Permanently Restricted Net Assets:** Net assets subject to donor-imposed stipulations that neither expire by passage of time, nor can be met by actions of the Organization. The Organization has no permanently restricted net assets for the years ended June 30, 2011 and 2010.

**Cash and Cash Equivalents**

The Fund considers cash, other demand deposits, and money market accounts as cash and cash equivalents.

**Support and Revenue**

Contributions are generally available for unrestricted use unless specifically restricted by the donor. Unconditional promises to give are recorded as received. Unconditional promises to give due in the next year are reflected as current promises to give and are recorded at their net realizable value. The majority of the promises to give are received from a broad base of contributors.

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| <u>2010</u>         |  |
|---------------------|--|
| Gross<br>Unrealized |  |

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|                          | Cost              | Gains<br>(Losses) | Fair Value        |
|--------------------------|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|
| Corporate and Government |                   |                   |                   |
| Bonds                    | 110,517           | 9,843             | 120,360           |
| Common Stock             | <u>281,281</u>    | <u>3,056</u>      | <u>284,337</u>    |
| Total                    | <u>\$ 391,798</u> | <u>\$ 12,899</u>  | <u>\$ 404,697</u> |

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| Sub-Total                                                                                                 | 33,273           | 34,798           |
| Less Allowance for Uncollectible Promises                                                                 | 0                | 0                |
| <b>Net Contributions Receivable</b>                                                                       | <u>\$ 33,273</u> | <u>\$ 34,798</u> |
| Amounts Due In:                                                                                           | 2010             | 2011             |
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The following table sets forth by level, within the fair value hierarchy, the Fund's assets at fair value as of June 30, 2011:

|                                | <u>Investments at Estimated Fair Value</u>                                                               |                                                                                       |                                                                                                                          | <u>Total</u>      |
|--------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------|
|                                | Investments at<br>Fair Value as<br>Determined by<br>Quoted Prices in<br>Active Markets<br><u>Level I</u> | Valuation<br>Techniques<br>Based on<br>Observable<br>Market Data<br><u>(Level II)</u> | Valuation<br>Techniques<br>Incorporating<br>Information<br>Other Than<br>Observable<br>Market Data<br><u>(Level III)</u> |                   |
| Corporate and Government Bonds | \$ 136,560                                                                                               | \$ 0                                                                                  | \$ 0                                                                                                                     | \$ 136,560        |
| Common Stock                   | <u>373,305</u>                                                                                           | <u>0</u>                                                                              | <u>0</u>                                                                                                                 | <u>373,305</u>    |
| Total Investments              | <u>\$ 509,865</u>                                                                                        | <u>\$ 0</u>                                                                           | <u>\$ 0</u>                                                                                                              | <u>\$ 509,865</u> |

The following table sets forth by level, within the fair value hierarchy, the Fund's assets at fair value as of June 30, 2010:

|                                | <u>Investments at Estimated Fair Value</u>                                                               |                                                                                       |                                                                                                                          | <u>Total</u>      |
|--------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------|
|                                | Investments at<br>Fair Value as<br>Determined by<br>Quoted Prices in<br>Active Markets<br><u>Level I</u> | Valuation<br>Techniques<br>Based on<br>Observable<br>Market Data<br><u>(Level II)</u> | Valuation<br>Techniques<br>Incorporating<br>Information<br>Other Than<br>Observable<br>Market Data<br><u>(Level III)</u> |                   |
| Corporate and Government Bonds | \$ 120,360                                                                                               | \$ 0                                                                                  | \$ 0                                                                                                                     | \$ 120,360        |
| Common Stock                   | <u>284,337</u>                                                                                           | <u>0</u>                                                                              | <u>0</u>                                                                                                                 | <u>284,337</u>    |
| Total Investments              | <u>\$ 404,697</u>                                                                                        | <u>\$ 0</u>                                                                           | <u>\$ 0</u>                                                                                                              | <u>\$ 404,697</u> |

**NOTE 7. Date of Management's Review**

Subsequent events were evaluated through the date the financial statements were available to be issued, which was May 24, 2012.

**REPORT OF THE TECHNOLOGY COMMITTEE**

To the Grand Lodge of Iowa:

This year the Technology Committee has focused on improvements to the existing website and social medium platforms. Brother Darrell G. Fremont generously contributed his time to provide the following services to Iowa Masonry:

- General changes to the Grand Lodge of Iowa website [www.grandlodgeofiowa.com](http://www.grandlodgeofiowa.com) included regular updates to the calendars and event photo galleries, consistent posts and edits highlighting the Grand Master's program, the addition of a privacy policy, and a new search and mapping feature for locating Iowa subordinate lodges
- Changes to the Facebook page included regular updates, event photo galleries, and educational posts.
- Maintenance of [www.iowamasons.com](http://www.iowamasons.com)

Next year planning will be concentrated on reworking [www.iowamasons.org](http://www.iowamasons.org), training or assistance for Iowa Subordinate Lodges in using the Grand Lodge website and the Facebook page, starting Twitter feeds, revamping the Grand Master's Facebook page, and creating Grand Lodge Library and Museum pages with photos.

Fraternally submitted,  
 THEODORE C. WILEY, Chairman  
 DARRELL G. FREMONT, Co-Chairman  
 DANIEL J. PRIESTLEY,  
 KEVIN R. SMITH,  
 CHAD L. LITTLE  
 Committee

**REPORT OF THE AD HOC MASONIC ACADEMY COMMITTEE**

To the Grand Lodge of Iowa:

Report of the Iowa Academy of Knowledge spent the past year promoting the Course on Symbolism commissioned by Grand Master Jerry L. Levay. In the process of the promotion some 300 booklets containing all necessary materials to those brethren who took the time to attend one of the Grand Master's Area Meetings and the Grand Lodge Education session conducted at the Grand Lodge Library in February 2012. A

number of study clubs were formed around the state and continue to use the materials to bring further light in Masonry to the participants.

The Academy has several brethren pursuing the Masonic Scholar Level. There is much more work to be done. The registration problems have not been corrected and the requirements remain unclear. These should be among the primary goals for the committee in the next Grand Lodge year.

Committee recommendations for 2012-13 include merging the Technology Committee and Academy more closely, with the Tech providing the platform and the Academy the content. Iowa Research Lodge No. 2 could work to help develop more interesting courses and to provide mentors to participants. The IRL #2 could also provide a platform for presenting papers and selecting an Academy Mason of the Year program. The Academy should strive to present educational format at Grand Lodge, possibly a volunteer Dutch treat education breakfast.

Legislation should be introduced to make the Academy a permanent Grand Lodge committee. Our forefathers voted \$5 for books at our first Grand Session. That \$5 turned into our current Grand Lodge Library. It was here in Iowa where the National Masonic Research Society and the Masonic Service Association had their birth. Its use by us will give Iowa the opportunity to become the Mecca of Masonic Education in the 21st century as it was in the beginning of the 20th century.

Fraternally submitted,  
GEORGE J. HARRISON, Chairman  
JOHN M. KLAUS,  
RYAN R. BRODERSON,  
JEFFREY D. HEIMENSEN  
Committee

## **REPORT OF THE AD HOC WRITING IOWA HISTORY COMMITTEE**

To the Grand Lodge of Iowa:

The *Ad Hoc* Writing Iowa History Committee has gathered the necessary background materials in preparation to write a book on the history of Iowa Masonry since that last book was written, which covered the time between 1939 and 1969.

It is the goal of the Committee to work on writing the first draft of the next book during the 2012-13 year.

Fraternally submitted,  
DAVID B. JACKSON, Chairman  
ALAN H. ACKERMAN,  
TIM S. ANDERSON  
Committee

**REPORT OF THE AD HOC LONG RANGE PLANNING COMMITTEE**

To the Grand Lodge of Iowa:

The Long Range Planning Committee continued its work this past year to further develop a strategic road map for the Grand Lodge of Iowa and its jurisdiction. Through the Committee's efforts, a number of long-range objectives have been developed, along with a proposed vision and mission statements for the Grand Lodge. These proposals are submitted as proposed resolutions for the delegates of the Grand Lodge to consider.

Fraternally submitted,  
 BRYCE B. HILDRETH, Chairman  
 JON D. WAGONER,  
 RICHARD L. MARTIN,  
 CRAIG L. DAVIS,  
 JUSTIN R. DODGE,  
 JEREMY N. DAVIS,  
 JERRY L. LEVAY  
 Committee

**REPORT OF THE AD HOC IOWA MASONIC MODEL  
STUDENT ASSISTANCE COMMITTEE**

To the Grand Lodge of Iowa:

The National Masonic Foundation for Children was established in 1986 to promote student assistance programs in schools, particularly the Masonic Model Student Assistance Program, in an effort to prevent addiction and destructive behaviors.

The mission of the National Masonic Foundation for Children is to offer the Masonic Model Student Assistance Program (MMSAP) to schools in our communities to help the youth of this country towards productive, successful and healthy lives.

Freemasonry has a centuries-old tradition of helping the most vulnerable in our society, including the very young, and NMFC builds on that tradition. There is a greater need today than ever before for assistance to children in helping them become responsible adults. These children face numerous challenges, such as: broken homes, patterns of substance abuse in families, and a complex world with many traditional nurturing customs either missing or broken.

As Masons, we hold fast to the belief that our children are our future and must do what we can if we are to expect them to grow up to be happy, healthy, productive stewards of our future.

The Masonic Model Student Assistance Program (MMSAP) is the flagship program of the National Masonic Foundation for Children. Through MMSAP, intensive workshops are offered to schools, usually at



no cost to them. These workshops train teachers how to identify, intervene with and create appropriate referrals for students who may be at risk for substance abuse, depression, suicide, violence, or bullying.

Behavior patterns of students can often provide a window into the potential for the aforementioned risks. MMSAP training helps teachers identify subtle patterns, or shifts in behavior patterns, which may indicate looming problems. The best way to treat these problems is through prevention.

Within the last year, MMSAP has incorporated a one-day bullying program into their curriculum. Bullying has emerged as a national priority, affecting kids from every corner of our country. Far too many incidents of teen suicide have occurred everywhere, many having been caused directly by bullying. Unfortunately, for many kids, the only relief from bullying that they can think of is suicide. Every day in America, five children take their own lives. No area is immune, as we unfortunately witnessed in Iowa on more than one occasion this past year.

MMSAP training is designed to teach concrete, immediate and experimental prevention and intervention skills that deal with the issues of conflict, anger, and bullying. Educators learn the triggers of conflict and anger; they examine various conflict styles and explore possible root causes. The participants in MMSAP training learn concrete steps to problem solving and conflict mediation and leave their training with individual student interventions and a plan of action to take back to their school districts. MMSAP is a time-tested, proven approach, taught to educators by educators, to overcome many of the problems faced by our youth.

In Iowa, we have approached several school districts of varying population in an attempt to host our first MMSAP Training. While all of the districts see value in the program, the main obstacle continues to be finding acceptable scheduling. If the session is held during the school year, many districts have a difficult time finding enough substitute teachers to fill in for those participating in the training. If held during vacation, there seems to be a belief among the administrators we talked to about getting teachers to attend.

The Iowa Masonic Model Student Assistance Program Committee will continue our attempts to find a suitable location for the inaugural event and proceed from that point forward. The stakes are simply too great and this program too successful elsewhere to delay its inception in Iowa any longer.

Fraternally submitted,  
CRAIG C. HUMMEL, Chairman  
JACK L. BUTLER,  
JERRY L. LEVAY  
Committee

**REPORTS TO BE PRINTED**

Grand Master Jerry L. Levay ordered the following reports to be printed in Proceedings –

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**REPORT OF THE IOWA MASONIC LIBRARY ASSOCIATION**

To the Grand Lodge of Iowa:

The Directors of the Iowa Masonic Library Association met at the Iowa Masonic Library on November 14, 2011. Those in attendance were: President John M. Klaus, P.G.T.; Jack L. Butler, P.G.M.; Duane S. Munson, P.G.T.; Dennis M. Zahrt, P.G.M.; Craig L. Davis, P.G.M.; Bryce B. Hildreth, P.J.G.W.; Bill V. Northup; Assistant Librarian William R. Krueger; Deputy Grand Secretary Tim S. Anderson; and Grand Secretary William R. Crawford. Grand Treasurer Shane A. Harshbarger was also present.

Russell Nieland of Robert W. Baird & Co. met with the Directors, performed a fiduciary review, and discussed the investments and cash flow needs of the Association.

Treasurer Duane S. Munson presented his report for the fiscal year ending August 31, 2011. The report showed investments valued at \$653,187, plus cash of \$22,885.65, for the Association's total asset value of \$676,072.65 as of that date.

Assistant Librarian William R. Krueger gave the annual report on the Library and its usage. All Masons are encouraged to read the Grand Librarian's Report to learn of the remarkable work accomplished at the Library and Museums.

The Iowa Masonic Library Association assists the Iowa Masonic Library in its operations by providing funds equal to approximately one-half of the salary of the Assistant Librarian, and supports the Library in paying for one-time needs.

On February 12, the Iowa Masonic Library Association sponsored the Iowa Conference for Masonic Education at the Library and Museums. We also thank the Scottish Rite Valley of Cedar Rapids for providing a welcoming venue for the opening banquet for the Conference.

The well-attended Conference featured a group of outstanding speakers, some of national repute, bringing further light to the attendees. Not the least of the accomplishments of this Conference was that it brought many Brothers to the Library and Museums for the first time in their lives. We have no doubt they will return! Another felicitous

occurrence at the Conference was the presence of many of our Prince Hall Brethren. Nearly 200 Masons were present. The list of speakers and their topics included Grand Master Thomas K. Sturgeon of the Grand Lodge of Pennsylvania on “21<sup>st</sup> Century Masonic Renaissance”; Deputy Grand Master Eddie Sauls of the Most Worshipful Prince Hall Grand Lodge of Iowa on “Prince Hall”; Brother Chad Simpson from Ohio on “Making Super Secret (Tyled) Meetings Worthwhile”; Brother Ted Wiley on “The Mentor’s Assistant”; Brother Timothy Whipple on “Abraham Lincoln”; Brother Jay Cole Simser on the “Iowa Academy of Masonic Knowledge”; and Senior Grand Steward Darrell G. Fremont on the “Grand Lodge Website.”

The Education Conference was made possible through a generous grant from the Masonic Charitable Educational Corporation.

The Library staff report continuing use of the book digitizing equipment purchased by the Association; this professional-quality equipment allows your Library to supply digital versions of rare books, insofar as staff time allows.

The Association continued this year a project of almost inestimable value, made possible by a generous grant from the Masonic Charitable Educational Corporation. Your Library is unique in the world in having a catalogue of all articles in all Masonic periodicals in its collection. This may seem trivial, until one considers that these periodicals are *not* indexed in any of the usual periodical indices, and that the Iowa Masonic Library holds one of the most nearly complete collections of such periodicals.

Work on the digitizing of the catalogue of these articles—called the *Index Rerum*, literally the “Index of Things”—has proceeded ahead of schedule, and the process of double-checking the entries will begin soon, if it has not already begun when you receive this report.

Our goal is to have the entire project finished by the calendar year 2015, and earlier if possible. When the project is completed, its results will appear on-line, and provide the catalogue to any researcher on Masonic topics anywhere in the world. Not only will this be a unique and uniquely-valuable resource, but it will also facilitate important research that hitherto often required a trip to Cedar Rapids for a researcher, and at his or her own expense.

We are only beginning to realize the importance of this project, but there can be no question that it will place your library even more prominently among the most important sources in the world for Masonic research. It will add yet another dimension to the library’s access to scholars and put the library on the leading edge of using modern technology for Masonic purposes. It is a project that should make every Iowa Freemason very, very proud.

Initiatives of your Library Association over the past several years have begun the process of making the collection even more available to Masons and Masonic scholars who live at a distance from Cedar Rapids. This

process will likely extend over decades, but it will also make our collection even more useful world-wide than it is today.

Our sincere thanks and appreciation go to all who supported the Iowa Masonic Library so generously during this Masonic year, for those who used the Library, and for those who visited the Museums. We particularly recognize that the staff of our Library and Museums, while small in number, are, in their own right, heroes of Iowa Masonry who seek to preserve our history and extend our knowledge. They deserve praise and recognition from all Iowa Masons.

If our goal is to bring Masonic light to the world, then we are well on the way to doing our part in that grand and glorious work.

The Iowa Masonic Library and Museums continue to be among the most valuable, if least well-known, intellectual resources in Iowa, and are among the very finest Masonic resources in the world. Every Iowa Mason can take justifiable pride in the Library and Museum—and should promote their use. Iowa Masons unfamiliar with the collections of the Library and Museum are urged to become familiar with them, because they represent collectively one of the greatest treasures, and a priceless one, of Iowa Freemasonry.

Fraternally submitted,  
 JOHN M. KLAUS, President  
 ROBERT H. ERICKSON,  
 BILL V. NORTHUP,  
 WILLIAM R. CRAWFORD,  
 DUANE S. MUNSON,  
 JACK L. BUTLER,  
 DENNIS M. ZAHRT  
 Directors

## **REPORT OF IOWA RESEARCH LODGE NO. 2**

To the Grand Lodge of Iowa:

Iowa Research Lodge No. 2 A.F. & A.M. received its Charter from the Grand Lodge of Iowa A.F. & A.M. September 14, 1968 and has approximately 500 members located in the United States and several foreign countries.

### **Semi-Annual Meeting**

The session was held in Des Moines, Saturday, November 19, 2011. The business meeting held at the DM Scottish Rite Masonic Center. Minutes and financial reports presented and approved. Membership report and new members stats were given. The Worshipful Master appointed an audit committee to review the financial reports of the secretary-treasurer. Meeting concluded at 5:40 pm. A dinner was catered.

Brother George Harrison, Registrar Sioux City Scottish Rite Bodies spoke on "The Academy of Knowledge" and Masonic advances on the Internet. The secretary announced the book "Clark's History of Freemasonry in Iowa" had been sent to the membership. Suggestions for the 2012 book included "The ABC of Freemasonry." No decision was reached.

### **2012 Annual Meeting**

The annual meeting convened Saturday, April 28, 2012 in the lodge room at the DM Scottish Rite Masonic Center in Des Moines, IA. Dinner was held jointly with the York Rite College prior to the meeting. The session was called to order by Worshipful Master Kevin Smith at 7:10 pm. Minutes of the previous annual meeting were read and approved. The Treasurer's report was given and approved as submitted.

The Audit committee report was given by Grand Treasurer Shane Harshbarger. The committee was pleased with the financial reports, but made suggestions for improvement. At least two members on the checking account, question on non-profit, Form 990, book inventory, formal policy on when NPD members are dropped and a question on a members dues payment.

A MOTION was made to increase dues from \$20.00 to \$30.00 effective with the 2013 billing in October. After some discussion, MOTION CARRIED.

Officers elected for 2012-2013 include: Shane Harshbarger, WM; George Harrison, SW; Frank Swallow, JW, and Phil Enabnit, Sec/Treas. The new Worshipful Master stated dates and location for the upcoming semi-annual and annual meeting would be forthcoming.

The business meeting was closed at 8:15 pm.

Iowa Research Lodge meets twice annually. Membership dues are \$30.00. Each year members who have paid their dues receive a book chosen by the committee free of charge along with announcements of meetings. For the schedule of upcoming meetings, log on to the website.

New members receive the current book selection plus two others from IRL2's library included in their dues for the first year. (*A postage and handling charge \$4.25 applies.*)

For further information on joining log on to the website [www.yorkrite.com/ia/lodge2](http://www.yorkrite.com/ia/lodge2) or contact Phil Enabnit, PM Sec./Treas., Iowa Research Lodge, P.O. Box 13048, Des Moines, IA 50310 [www.masmedia@dwx.com](mailto:www.masmedia@dwx.com) - phone 515-971-2471.

Fraternally submitted,  
PHILIP A. ENABNIT, Secretary-Treasurer

### **REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON FRATERNAL REVIEW**

To the Grand Lodge of Iowa:

The doings of our brothers around the country and the world run the gamut from the important to the mundane, but they are diverse and they are uniformly illuminating. To study the proceedings of other jurisdictions is to learn from their experiences. To learn from those experiences is to have the chance to apply those lessons to the practice of Masonry here in Iowa, and for that reason I would like to thank Most Worshipful Grand Master Jerry Levay for giving me the opportunity serve as the Chair of the Committee on Fraternal Review this year and to share some of these lessons.

Thus, it is with great pleasure that I present the 2012 Report On Fraternal Review. This report is presented in the hope that we may all gain a better understanding of what it means for brethren to dwell together in unity.

Fraternally submitted,  
TIMOTHY J. WHIPPLE  
Committee

### **REPORT OF THE EXECUTIVE OFFICER IOWA DEMOLAY**

To the Masons of Iowa:

It is my pleasure to report to you that Iowa DeMolay continues to provide a program of character and leadership development to the young men of Iowa. We have had a successful year on a number of fronts. Efforts to start a new chapter in Sioux City reached a successful conclusion on August 14 with the presentation of the Charter to the Chapter. Although busy with "other activities" this year Jerry Levay has been instrumental in starting the chapter. Special recognition is also warranted for Laverne "Skip" Schossow and Jason Smith who have been the key adult leaders working with the DeMolays.

We were fortunate to recruit an older young man as the first DeMolay for the chapter in Sioux City. Not only did he become the Chapter's first Master Councilor but has gone on to petition Lodge and was raised by Landmark Lodge in Sioux City.

Iowa DeMolay thanks SENIOR DEMOLAY and Grand Master Jerry Levay and his Officers for their outstanding support this past year. We were pleased to participate in the Area Meetings to provide information on DeMolay. He has also provided us with an opportunity to earn money for our chapters and help recognize our servicemen through the beef stick program. Our Chapters have embraced the program and I will report the final results at Grand Lodge.

At DeMolay International's Annual Session the following masons were recognized with DeMolay's highest honor for service to humanity, the Honorary Legion of Honor: Greg Andersen and Eric Rozeboom. In addition, Carl Todd received the Cross of Honor for outstanding service as an advisor.

The new national program, The Kingdom of DeMolay, continues to move forward. This program uses the latest technology to attract, retain, and motivate the members of DeMolay. When this program was presented at Grand Lodge last year we were hopeful that it would be available in early 2012. During testing it was discovered that the current state of security in the environment that was being used was not at the level DeMolay needed. As a result the decision was made to delay implementation until the security issue was resolved. Providing a safe environment for our young men whether in the physical world or the online world is of prime importance. I will provide another update at Grand Lodge.

DeMolay succeeds because of the support we receive from the Masonic Organizations that sponsor chapters and provide advisors. The Masons who serve on Advisory Councils make DeMolay the program that it is. They give the most precious resource – their time. We owe a debt of gratitude to these Masons and Lodges who are willing to invest in our future. I urge you to take the opportunity to thank someone serving on an advisory council for their service. If your Lodge would like more information on sponsoring DeMolay, please contact me.

Fraternally submitted,  
WILLIAM K. PAISLEY  
Executive Officer, Iowa DeMolay

### **TRIBUTE TO KEITH L. MUNTZ, P.G.M.**

Donald E. Mayer, P.G.M. gave the following tribute to Keith L. Muntz, P.G.M.:

Most Worshipful Grand Master, Distinguished Guests, My Brethren All,  
Most Worshipful Sir, thank you for allowing me to give this Memorial Tribute for my good friend and Brother, Keith Muntz.

Keith was a very community minded person. True to his family, his church, his Lodge, and always doing what was best for everyone. He served the Grand Lodge as Junior Grand Deacon 1966-67, as Junior Grand Warden 1973-74, and as Grand Master 1981-82. His talents benefited many Grand Lodge Committees over the years.

I would like to read a passage from the 1982 Grand Lodge Proceedings written by Tom Eggleston, Grand Secretary at that time. We quote from a Grand Lodge report of Brother B. F. Butler, Chairman of the Iowa Committee on Masonic Education in the late 1940-50's, "It is never easy to select out of a Grand Master's year, the one thing by which he will be longest remembered." But we Brethren of this Grand Lodge, can believe that out of our Junior Grand Master's year, that which will symbolize his administration has been his statewide insistence on the development of dynamic leadership in our Subordinate Lodges.

Our Brother Keith was not able to be active in Grand Lodge affairs for quite sometime. Most of you here today do not remember him. But those of us who served with and remember Keith in his heyday are truly fortunate. I will conclude this tribute with a quote from Keith which is as appropriate today as thirty years ago. Let's put the Leaders back in Leadership."

### **GRAND MASTER RELINQUISHES GAVEL**

Grand Master Levay relinquished the gavel to Deputy Grand Master Michael W. Fletcher.

### **NECROLOGY SERVICE**

Grand Chaplain Jon M. Gimmy gave the Necrology Service. Grand Musician John M. Klaus played the keyboard.

Brethren, we have assembled at this customary time and place for a service of remembrance in honor of those of our Brothers who, having previously donned the purple to serve the Fraternity, have now reached the end of their earthly journeys. They have been called, just as each one of us shall be called someday, to rest in that mansion on high, that house not made with hands, eternal in the heavens. It is fitting and proper that we should first address the Great Architect of the Universe, who knows every one of us by name and makes us all brothers. Therefore, let us pray:

*"All-powerful Creator God, in whom we live and move and have our being, by Your mercy receive our prayer of commendation for these beloved Brothers. Harken also to our unspoken personal petitions, which we life to You with our hearts rather than our voices. Thank You for the gifts You gave to our departed Brothers, enabling them to serve, to share, to work together, to plan, to honor, and leave a legacy for us. We pray that You will continue to bless our Fraternity with more leaders and workmen such as these, that our labors may accrue to the glory of Your Name, Great Architect of the Universe. Amen."*

Right Worshipful Brother Grand Secretary William R. Crawford, will you please now call the Roll of Remembrance?

|                     |                            |                   |
|---------------------|----------------------------|-------------------|
| Donald E. Worster   | Senior Grand Steward, 2002 | October 9, 2011   |
| Lyle L. Andrews     | Grand Marshal, 1980        | November 12, 2011 |
| Norman E. Hammond   | Grand Tyler, 1982          | January 10, 2012  |
| Russell G. Haley    | Senior Grand Steward, 1987 | March 23, 2012    |
| Keith L. Muntz      | Grand Master, 1981         | March 24, 2012    |
| Edward E. Edgerton  | Junior Grand Steward, 2007 | April 13, 2012    |
| Archie J. Mackay    | Senior Grand Warden, 1985  | April 16, 2012    |
| Donald H. Iles      | Grand Chaplain, 1978       | April 30, 2012    |
| Delbert L. Koenig   | Junior Grand Deacon, 1981  | July 16, 2012     |
| Herbert L. Espensen | Junior Grand Warden, 1964  | August 19, 2012   |



Grand Musician John M. Klaus played as a musical interlude one verse of the Navy Hymn.

Brethren, that tune you have just heard is entitled in the Methodist Hymnal "Eternal Father, Strong to Save," but is probably more commonly known as the Navy Hymn. Because of Grand Master Jerry Levay's strong ties to the Navy, and because two of my half-brothers were also Navy veterans, this hymn is especially dear to me. Please contemplate these words of the fourth verse: "O Trinity of love and power, all travelers guard in danger's hour; from rock and tempest, fire and foe, protect them wheresoe'er they go. Thus evermore shall rise to thee glad praise from air and land and sea."

A famous, but very modest, American died recently. His name was Neil Armstrong. I doubt that anyone in this room can say, "Who was he? What did he do?" But for the rest of us, when we are laid to rest, we become one of the dead, anonymous except for the headstones that mark our graves. Neil Armstrong requested that his body be buried at sea. He trusted the promise that, on the last day, the sea shall give up its dead. To me, Armstrong's request is a strong testimony in his belief in God. To me, his request means that he was so sure of his relationship to God, that he had no need of a headstone in a cemetery. To me, his request was based upon the assurance that God indeed knew his name.

As Masons, may we all enjoy that same blessed assurance. Upon our entry into the lodge for the very first time, in answer to the very first question we were asked, there, each of us attested that we put our trust in the Supreme Being we call God. If we meant what we said, then we must have the assurance that our spirits, given us by God, will never, never die. "Then shall the dust return to the earth as it was, and the spirit shall return unto God who gave it." Asserting the assurance that God knows the name of every single one of His servants, we have recited with confidence the names of our departed Brothers, knowing that we shall see them again, someday. And when we do, we will then join our voices with theirs, sending forth "glad praise from air and land and sea."

Let us pray: *"Eternal Father, because You promised to inscribe our names on the palm of Your hand, we know that You will always remember and never forget us. Help us likewise honor the ten worthy men whose names were read, as well as all other Brother Masons who died during this Grand Lodge year. Allow us to depart in peace, knowing the comfort of Your presence, forever. Amen."*

## GRAND MASTER RESUMES

Grand Master Levay resumed his Station in the East.

**ADDRESS TO GRAND LODGE**

Colonel and Brother Donald E. Ballard, a Congressional Medal of Honor recipient addressed Grand Lodge.

**ADDRESS TO GRAND LODGE**

Grand Master Levay paid tribute to the veterans present and spoke on his program of Masonry and the Military Since 1776 – Saluting those who Served.

**GRAND MASTER RELINQUISHES GAVEL**

Grand Master Levay relinquished the gavel to Deputy Grand Master Michael W. Fletcher.

**CALLED FROM LABOR**

The Grand Lodge was called from labor to refreshment until 1:00 P.M. with prayer by the Grand Chaplain at 11:30 A.M.

## FIRST DAY – AFTERNOON SESSION

Friday, September 21, A.D. 2012

Grand Lodge resumed labor at 1:00 P.M. with Grand Master Jerry L. Levay presiding.

### INVOCATION

The Invocation was given by Grand Chaplain Jon M. Gimmy.

*“Eternal Father, we thank You for Your provision of refreshment which has served to strengthen and encourage us, for the resumption of our labors this afternoon. Amen.”*

### PRELIMINARY REPORT ON CREDENTIALS

Guy H. Posey, acting Chairman, gave a partial report for the Credentials Committee.

### WITHDRAWAL OF NOMINATION

Thomas P. Youngblut, nominee for Grand Secretary withdrew his name from nomination for the office.

### ELECTION OF GRAND LODGE OFFICERS

By Code, the election of Grand Lodge Officers is the first order of business in the afternoon of the first day. The result of the balloting was as follows:

**Grand Master:** Bryce B. Hildreth  
**Senior Grand Warden:** William R. Yungclas  
**Junior Grand Warden:** Realf H. Ottesen  
**Grand Treasurer:** Robert E. Breckenridge II  
**Grand Secretary:** William R. Crawford

### PRESENTATION OF DONATIONS TO GRAND MASTER’S PROGRAM

Lodges were given the opportunity to present donations to the Grand Master’s Program. A total of \$2,231.83 was presented to the Grand Master. In addition, a number of donations were turned in at the Grand Secretary’s Office.

### GRAND MASTER’S AWARD

Grand Master Levay presented the Grand Master’s Award to Waveland Park Lodge No. 654 at Windsor Heights. Senior Warden Cullin M. Herwig accepted the Award on behalf of the Lodge.

**LODGE OF THE YEAR AWARDS**

The following lodges were recognized as earning the Lodge of the Year Awards:

Newton Lodge No. 59 at Newton – Silver Award  
 Adel Lodge No. 80 at Adel  
 Lyons Lodge No. 93 at Clinton  
 Equity Lodge No. 131 at Janesville  
 Mosaic Lodge No. 125 at Dubuque  
 Taylor Lodge No. 156 at Bedford  
 Faith Lodge No. 179 at Mount Ayr  
 Arcadia Lodge No. 249 at Ames  
 Mount Nebo Lodge No. 297 at Avoca  
 Operative Lodge No. 308 at Polk City  
 Parian Lodge No. 321 at Harlan  
 Home Lodge No. 370 at Pleasant Hill  
 King David Lodge No. 407 at Altoona  
 Attica Lodge No. 502 at Sloan  
 West Gate-Adelphic Lodge No. 509 at Windsor Heights  
 Gnemeth Lodge No. 577 at West Des Moines  
 Morningside Lodge No. 615 at Sioux City  
 East Gate Lodge No. 630 at Des Moines – Bronze Award  
 South Gate Lodge No. 657 at Des Moines – Gold Award  
 Hamilton Lodge No. 664 at Bettendorf  
 Brubaker Lodge No. 675 at Davenport

**PLUS ONE AWARDS**

The following lodges were recognized as earning the Plus One Awards:

Dubuque Lodge No. 3 at Dubuque  
 Fort Madison Lodge No. 13 at Fort Madison  
 Olive Branch Lodge No. 21 at Agency  
 Pioneer Lodge No. 22 at Des Moines  
 Golden Rule Lodge No. 24 at Rochester  
 Helion Lodge No. 36 at Maquoketa  
 Anamosa Lodge No. 46 at Anamosa  
 Metropolitan Lodge No. 49 at Dubuque  
 Bellevue Lodge No. 51 at Bellevue  
 Lafayette Lodge No. 52 at Montezuma  
 Newton Lodge No. 59 at Newton  
 Oriental Lodge No. 61 at Knoxville  
 West Union Lodge No. 69 at West Union  
 Elkader Lodge No. 72 at Elkader  
 Mount Olive Lodge No. 79 at Boone  
 Benton City Lodge No. 81 at Shellsburg  
 Hartford Lodge No. 83 at Hartford  
 Mount Calvary Lodge No. 95 at West Liberty  
 Nevada Lodge No. 99 at Nevada  
 Osage Lodge No. 102 at Osage

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Columbus City Lodge No. 107 at Columbus City  
Marshall Lodge No. 108 at Marshalltown  
Star Lodge No. 115 at Madrid  
Montague Lodge No. 117 at Eldora  
Hiram of Tyre Lodge No. 118 at Tama  
Panora Lodge No. 121 at Panora  
Pleasant Lodge No. 128 at Pleasantville  
Equity Lodge No. 131 at Janesville  
Springville Lodge No. 139 at Springville  
St. Charles-Cornerstone Lodge No. 141 at Mable Rock  
Benevolence Lodge No. 145 at Mason City  
Taylor Lodge No. 156 at Bedford  
Red Oak Lodge No. 162 at Red Oak  
Saint Clair Lodge No. 164 at Fairfax  
Manchester Lodge No. 165 at Manchester  
Farmers Lodge No. 168 at Kinross  
Poweshiek Lodge No. 174 at Malcom  
Hope Lodge No. 175 at Belle Plaine  
Acacia Lodge No. 176 at Webster City  
Great Lights Lodge No. 181 at Decorah  
Webb Lodge No. 182 at Sigourney  
Emblem Lodge No. 189 at Pleasanton  
Clay Lodge No. 193 at Lewisburg  
Easter Star Lodge No. 195 at Humboldt  
Kilwinning Lodge No. 198 at Batavia  
Ancient Landmark Lodge No. 200 at Olin  
Trinity Lodge No. 208 at Davenport  
Unity Lodge No. 212 at Woodburn  
Preston Lodge No. 218 at Prairie City  
Siloam Lodge No. 222 at Jesup  
Vesper Lodge No. 223 at Onawa  
Fidelity Lodge No. 228 at Humeston  
Valley Lodge No. 232 at Missouri Valley  
Good Faith Lodge No. 235 at Winfield  
Antiquity Lodge No. 252 at Moravia  
Emulation Lodge No. 255 at Clinton  
Mount Hermon Lodge No. 263 at Cedar Rapids  
Signet Lodge No. 264 at Carroll  
Empire Lodge No. 269 at Ottumwa  
Purity Lodge No. 283 at Casey  
Level Lodge No. 284 at Central City  
Plumb Lodge No. 285 at Siam  
Canopy Lodge No. 290 at Oxford  
Rock-Sirius Lodge No. 294 at Nora Springs  
Mount Nebo Lodge No. 297 at Avoca  
Speculative Lodge No. 307 at Cherokee  
Evening Shade Lodge No. 312 at Spencer  
Model Lodge No. 315 at Saint Charles  
Malta Lodge No. 318 at Burlington  
Bethel Lodge No. 319 at Garner

Parian Lodge No. 321 at Harlan  
Cyrene Lodge No. 325 at Clarion  
Twilight Lodge No. 329 at Spirit Lake  
Emerald Lodge No. 334 at Grundy Center  
Hesperia Lodge No. 340 at Traer  
Exodus Lodge No. 342 at Exira  
Home Lodge No. 370 at Pleasant Hill  
Wapsinonoc Lodge No. 381 at West Branch  
Crusade Lodge No. 386 at Greenfield  
Stellapolis Lodge No. 391 at Williamsburg  
King David Lodge No. 407 at Altoona  
Milan Lodge No. 409 at Indianola  
Cass Lodge No. 412 at Griswold  
Celestial Lodge No. 413 at Douds  
Onyx Lodge No. 419 at Sanborn  
Coral Lodge No. 430 at Carson  
Topaz Lodge No. 438 at Kellerton  
Twin Lakes Lodge No. 478 at Rockwell City  
New Hope Lodge No. 480 at Eldon  
Highland Lodge No. 487 at Ruthven  
Grove Lodge No. 492 at Marne  
Attica Lodge No. 502 at Sloan  
West Gate-Adelphic Lodge No. 509 at Des Moines  
Unit Lodge No. 520 at Baxter  
Silver Lake Lodge No. 527 at Lake Park  
Trial Lodge No. 532 at Merville  
Trojan Lodge No. 548 at Marion  
Circle Lodge No. 555 at Prescott  
Full Moon Lodge No. 561 at Melbourne  
Gnemeth Lodge No. 577 at West Des Moines  
Holman Lodge No. 593 at Rowley  
Golden Leaf Lodge No. 595 at Manilla  
Morningside Lodge No. 615 at Sioux City  
Martin Lodge No. 624 at Waterloo  
East Gate Lodge No. 630 at Des Moines  
Cobia Lodge No. 631 at Council Bluffs  
Acanthus Lodge No. 632 at Des Moines  
Paul Revere Lodge No. 638 at Lucas  
Mahaska Lodge No. 644 at Oskaloosa  
Honor Lodge No. 646 at Dike  
Harding Lodge No. 649 at Mason City  
Waveland Park Lodge No. 654 at Windsor Heights  
North Riverside Lodge No. 662 at Sioux City  
Hamilton Lodge No. 664 at Bettendorf  
Clarksville Lodge No. 668 at Coralville  
Early Morning Lodge No. 672 at Bettendorf  
Tri-State Morning Lodge No. 673 at Dubuque  
Kingston Lodge No. 676 at Cedar Rapids  
Crossroads Lodge No. 677 at DeWitt  
Specialis Procer Lodge No. 678 at Des Moines

### **NET MEMBERSHIP GAIN AWARD**

West Gate-Adelphic Lodge No. 509 at Windsor Heights was recognized for having the largest net membership gain of all lodges. Worshipful Master Terrell A. Taylor accepted the Award.

### **MASTER BUILDER AWARD RECIPIENTS**

The following brothers were recognized as earning the Master Builder Award:

Rodney E. Eldon, Newton Lodge No. 59 at Newton  
Jerry D. Hannagan Sr., Newton Lodge No. 59 at Newton  
Randall E. Hollinger, Newton Lodge No. 59 at Newton  
Michael J. Balmer, Newton Lodge No. 59 at Newton  
Ward A. Bailey, Newton Lodge No. 59 at Newton  
Alfred L. Jensen, Newton Lodge No. 59 at Newton  
Terrell A. Taylor, Osceola Lodge No. 77 at Osceola  
Dana Jensen, Farmers Lodge No. 168 at Kinross  
Craig S. Harm, Crusade Lodge No. 386 at Greenfield  
James J. Nagel, West Gate-Adelphic Lodge No. 509 at Windsor Heights  
E. Jay Coon, West Gate-Adelphic Lodge No. 509 at Windsor Heights  
Rick E. Ruble, Paul Revere Lodge No. 638 at Lucas  
James McLaughlin, South Gate Lodge No. 657 at Des Moines

### **ASHLAR AWARD RECIPIENTS**

The following brothers were recognized as earning the Ashlar Award:

John J. Bonar, Des Moines Lodge No. 1 at Burlington  
Jamie D. Johnson, Marion Lodge No. 6 at Marion  
Danny D. Neuhaus, Metropolitan Lodge No. 49 at Dubuque  
James B. Klier Jr., Newton Lodge No. 59 at Newton  
Robert L. Davis, Osceola Lodge No. 77 at Osceola  
Tyler D. Green, Montague Lodge No. 117 at Eldora  
Jeffery C. Struck, Equity Lodge No. 131 at Janesville  
Larry Ehrig, Poweshiek Lodge No 174 at Malcom  
Daniel J. Schumacher, Parian Lodge No. 321 at Harlan  
John A. Kelly, Parian Lodge No. 321 at Harlan  
Todd M. Jacobsen, Parian Lodge No. 321 at Harlan  
Jeffery D. Farrar, Twilight Lodge No. 329 at Spirit Lake  
Craig S. Harm, Crusade Lodge No. 386 at Greenfield  
Chad D. Willey, King David Lodge No. 407 at Altoona  
Daniel A. Brady, Milan Lodge No. 409 at Indianola  
Douglas R. Clabaugh, West Gate-Adelphic Lodge No. 509 at Windsor Heights  
Chris E. Musser, West Gate-Adelphic Lodge No. 509 at Windsor Heights  
Kyle M. Rodenburg, Amber Lodge No. 569 at Quick  
David L. Moore, Martin Lodge No. 624 at Waterloo  
Steve W. Marshall, Cobia Lodge No. 631 at Council Bluffs  
Charles A. Rodrigues, Cobia Lodge No. 631 at Council Bluffs  
James Olsen, Acanthus Lodge No. 632 at Des Moines

Bobby Petty, Paul Revere Lodge No. 638 at Lucas  
 Brandon C. Larimer, Waveland Park Lodge No. 654 at Windsor Heights  
 James McLaughlin, South Gate Lodge No. 657 at Des Moines

### **NEW MASON OF THE YEAR**

Grand Master Levay named Brother Jeffery C. Struck from Equity Lodge No. 131 at Janesville as the New Mason of the Year.

### **GOLDEN TROWEL AWARD**

Brother Neil R. Paulsen from Mount Nebo Lodge No. 297 at Avoca was recognized as having earned the Golden Trowel Award.

### **ADDRESS TO THE GRAND LODGE**

Eddie N. Sauls III, Grand Master of the Most Worshipful Prince Hall Grand Lodge of Iowa, addressed the Grand Lodge.

### **ADDRESS TO THE GRAND LODGE**

Tracy L. Bloom, Past Grand Master and Grand Secretary of the Grand Lodge of Kansas, addressed the Grand Lodge.

### **GRAND DESIGN AWARD**

Wade E. Sheeler, Chairman of the Public Relations Committee, presented the following lodges with the Grand Design Award for website design:

Gold Award – South Gate Lodge No. 657 at Des Moines

Silver Award – Arcadia Lodge No. 249 at Ames

Bronze Award – Tie between Marshall Lodge No. 108 at Marshalltown, Taylor Lodge No. 156 at Bedford, and Woodrow Morris Lodge U.D. at North Liberty

### **GRAND MASTER'S SOCIAL MEDIA AWARD**

Wade E. Sheeler, Chairman of the Public Relations Committee, presented the following lodges the Grand Master's Social Media Award for Facebook pages:

Gold Award – Waveland Park Lodge No. 654 at Windsor Heights

Silver Award – Arcadia Lodge No. 249 at Ames

### **ADDRESS TO THE GRAND LODGE**

Rex J. Moats, Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of Nebraska, addressed the Grand Lodge.



## **PRESENTATION TO THE GRAND MASTER**

Grand Secretary Crawford, on behalf of the Masonic Service Association, presented Grand Master Jerry L. Levay with a plaque in appreciation of his support.

## **ADDRESS TO THE GRAND LODGE**

Brother James Cox, State Master Councilor of Iowa DeMolay, addressed the Grand Lodge, and presented a check for \$4,000 from beef stick sales to Grand Master Levay for his program.

## **ADDRESS TO THE GRAND LODGE**

Daniel L. Slavik, Deputy Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of Wisconsin, addressed the Grand Lodge.

## **ADDRESS TO THE GRAND LODGE**

David E. Olsen, Deputy Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of Minnesota, addressed the Grand Lodge.

## **JURISPRUDENCE COMMITTEE REPORT**

Donald E. Mosier, P.G.M., gave a preliminary report on the proposed amendments to the Code.

## **ADDRESS TO GRAND LODGE**

Brothers Stacy Newgard and Robert "Bud" Winterton, from the Lodge Service Committee, gave a presentation on the Duties of the Investigating Committee.

## **CALLED FROM LABOR**

Grand Master Jerry L. Levay relinquished the gavel to Deputy Grand Master Michael W. Fletcher who then called the Grand Lodge from labor to refreshment at 3:30 P.M. until Saturday at 8:30 A.M.

Grand Chaplain Jon M. Gimmy gave the Benediction.

*"Gracious Creator, keep us in Your powerful care as we cease our work for this day. Grant mercy to all who must travel, nourishment to those who hunger and thirst, and blessed rest for all your workmen until we again assemble tomorrow morning to continue our labor in fellowship and peace. Amen."*

## **FRIDAY NIGHT ALL-MASONIC BANQUET**

### **T. S. PARVIN AWARD PRESENTED**

Richard L. Bowersox, Chairman of the Iowa Conference for Masonic Cooperation, presented the T. S. Parvin Award to Brother Jack H. Smeltzer, a member of Dubuque Lodge No. 3 at Dubuque.

### **INSTALLATION OF OFFICERS**

The 2012-13 Grand Lodge Officers were installed. The installing officers were:

Jerrold R. Anderson, P.G.M., Installing Grand Master  
Robert H. Erickson, P.G.M., Installing Grand Marshal  
Brian D. Pappaducas, Grand Marshal, Installing Assistant Grand Marshal  
Edward J. Fowler Jr., P.G.M., Installing Grand Chaplain  
Eric A. Rozeboom, P.S.G.W., Installing Grand Secretary  
John M. Klaus, P.G.T., Grand Musician, Installing Grand Musician

## SECOND DAY – MORNING SESSION

Saturday, September 22, A.D. 2012

Grand Lodge resumed labor at 8:30 A.M. with Grand Master Jerry L. Levay presiding.

### INVOCATION

Grand Chaplain Jon M. Gimmy gave the opening prayer.

*"Great Architect of the Universe, we ask that, as you have protected us through the night, You will continue Your care for us during this new day! Let us begin in harmony and remain so attuned to Your Will and Direction, that our accomplishments today may be fruitful, generous, and pleasing in Your sight. Amen."*

### REPORT ON FINANCE on Appropriations for 2012-13

Robert E. Breckenridge II, Chairman, gave the report on the 2012-13 appropriations. On his motion, it was adopted.

To the Grand Lodge of Iowa:

#### INCOME:

|                                                  |                   |
|--------------------------------------------------|-------------------|
| Grand Lodge Dues – 15,500 @ \$28.95              | \$ 448,725        |
| Estimated Interest on Fixed Income Investments   | 6,500             |
| Other Income – Library Association               | 19,000            |
| Other Income – Scholarship Endowment Fund        | 3,000             |
| Other Income – MCEC                              | 500               |
| Other Income – Merchandise, Materials & Services | 32,000            |
| Transfer from Building Fund                      | 12,100            |
| Estimated Income from Baird Investments          | <u>30,000</u>     |
| TOTAL ESTIMATED RECEIPTS TO GENERAL FUND         | <u>\$ 551,825</u> |

#### EXPENSES:

##### 1. Grand Master's Office

|                                             |              |               |
|---------------------------------------------|--------------|---------------|
| Contingent Fund                             |              | Appropriation |
| Grand Master's Conference                   |              | \$ 17,000     |
| Membership                                  | \$ 250       |               |
| Registration                                | 400          |               |
| (3) Representative Expense                  | <u>4,500</u> |               |
|                                             |              | 5,150         |
| Grand Master's Newsletter                   |              | 13,000        |
| Master Builder Awards                       |              | 800           |
| Grand Master's Letter to Worshipful Masters |              | 250           |
| Special Representatives                     |              | <u>300</u>    |
|                                             |              | \$ 36,500     |

##### 2. Grand Secretary's Office

|                                      |  |            |
|--------------------------------------|--|------------|
| Salaries                             |  | \$ 154,000 |
| Office Operational Expenses          |  | 47,200     |
| Traveling                            |  | 8,000      |
| Identification Cards (Dues Receipts) |  | 7,000      |

|                                                       |    |               |
|-------------------------------------------------------|----|---------------|
| List – Iowa Lodges & List-Officers & Committeemen     |    | 900           |
| Lodge Secretaries' Conferences                        |    | 1,400         |
| Cedar Rapids Convention Visitors Bureau               |    | 175           |
| Certified Public Accountants                          |    | 11,500        |
| Maintaining Membership File Addresses                 |    | 700           |
| Grand Secretary's Conference                          |    |               |
| Membership                                            | \$ | 0             |
| (1) Representative's Expense                          |    | <u>1,500</u>  |
|                                                       |    | <u>1,500</u>  |
|                                                       | \$ | 232,375       |
| <b>3. Grand Lodge Library</b>                         |    |               |
| Salaries                                              | \$ | 38,000        |
| Books, Bindings and Subscriptions                     |    | 3,500         |
| Supplies and Equipment                                |    | 2,000         |
| Attend Masonic Library & Museum Conference            |    | <u>700</u>    |
|                                                       | \$ | 44,200        |
| <b>4. Grand Lodge Bulletin</b>                        |    |               |
| Bulletin Expense                                      | \$ | <u>13,500</u> |
|                                                       | \$ | 13,500        |
| <b>5. Lodge Service Committee</b>                     |    |               |
| Salary of Executive Director                          | \$ | 19,000        |
| Expenses                                              |    | 11,750        |
| Leadership Training and Lodge Development             |    | 1,000         |
| Ashlar Awards                                         |    | 1,000         |
| Midwest Conference for Masonic Education              |    | <u>1,250</u>  |
|                                                       | \$ | 34,000        |
| <b>6. Instruction</b>                                 |    |               |
| Custodian's Operating Fund                            | \$ | 9,250         |
| District Lecturers                                    |    | <u>500</u>    |
|                                                       | \$ | 9,750         |
| <b>7. Grand Lodge Communication</b>                   |    |               |
| Printing Proceedings                                  | \$ | 6,300         |
| Preliminary Expense (2013 @ Des Moines)               |    | 1,700         |
| Sessional Expense (2012 @ Waterloo)                   |    | 6,500         |
| Grand Master's Fellowship Banquet (2013 @ Des Moines) |    | 4,500         |
| Ladies Entertainment (2013 @ Des Moines)              |    | 900           |
| Printing Amendments to the Code                       |    | 1,000         |
| Agenda and Preliminary Reports                        |    | <u>3,400</u>  |
|                                                       | \$ | 24,300        |
| <b>8. Committee Expenses</b>                          |    |               |
| Chairman, Division and Reference                      | \$ | 2,500         |
| Committee on Finance                                  |    | 100           |
| Committee on Grand Lodge Recognition                  |    | 100           |
| Committee on Public Relations                         |    | 1,000         |
| Committee on Public School Support                    |    | 500           |
| Technology Committee                                  |    | 1,000         |
| Trustee's Operating Fund                              |    | 800           |
| Fraternal Review                                      |    | <u>100</u>    |
|                                                       | \$ | 6,100         |
| <b>9. Insurance Expenses</b>                          |    |               |
| Employees' Fidelity Bond                              | \$ | 900           |
| Fiduciary Insurance on Pension Administration         |    | 600           |

|                                 |              |
|---------------------------------|--------------|
| Health Insurance                | 42,000       |
| Statewide Liability             | 28,000       |
| Fidelity Bond for Local Lodges  | 1,000        |
| Workman's Comp                  | 4,800        |
| D&O, Employment Practices, Auto | <u>3,200</u> |
|                                 | \$ 80,500    |

**10. Grand Lodge Employee Expense**

|                                                    |               |
|----------------------------------------------------|---------------|
| Federal Unemployment                               | \$ 450        |
| Iowa Unemployment Tax                              | 100           |
| Pension Fund Payment Contributions                 | 14,500        |
| Pension Record Keeping, Marketing & Administration | 600           |
| Social Security Tax                                | <u>18,500</u> |
|                                                    | \$ 34,150     |

**11. Grand Lodge Officer Expense**

|                                               |            |
|-----------------------------------------------|------------|
| Grand Lodge Emergent Communications           | \$ 8,000   |
| Grand Master's Apron                          | 500        |
| Past Grand Lodge Officers' Jewels             | 800        |
| Past Grand Lodge Officers' Jewels – Refurbish | <u>900</u> |
|                                               | \$ 10,200  |

**12. Other Budgeted Expenses**

|                                            |              |
|--------------------------------------------|--------------|
| DeMolay Foundation                         | \$ 2,400     |
| Masonic Service Association (welfare work) | <u>2,000</u> |
|                                            | \$ 4,400     |

**13. Disbursements Under Provisions of Code**

|                                          |              |
|------------------------------------------|--------------|
| Payroll - Grand Lodge Communication      |              |
| A - District Lecturers: One-Day School   | \$ 1,500     |
| B - Grand Lodge Officers                 | 7,000        |
| C - Trustees and Committeemen            | 4,000        |
| D - Representatives of Lodges            | 7,000        |
| Masonic Service Association - Membership | <u>1,300</u> |
|                                          | \$ 20,800    |

**14. Inventory**

|                                          |                 |
|------------------------------------------|-----------------|
| Inventory Replacement: Books, Pins, etc. | \$ <u>1,000</u> |
|                                          | \$ <u>1,000</u> |

GRAND TOTAL \$ 551,775

Fraternally submitted,  
 ROBERT E. BRECKENRIDGE II, Chairman  
 CARL N. HORNE,  
 LANE H. SHAVER  
 Committee

**REPORT ON MASONIC JURISPRUDENCE**

Donald E. Mosier, P.G.M. and Chairman of the Committee on Masonic Jurisprudence, presented the proposed Amendments to the Code for action.

**PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE CONSTITUTION**

**(Amendments to the Constitution require a two-thirds majority vote at two consecutive Annual Communications for adoption – Article IX Constitution of the Grand Lodge)**

**(ADOPTED)**

**BE IT RESOLVED:** That Article VIII, Section 4 of the Constitution be cancelled and the following enacted in lieu thereof:

**Section 4. CONFERRING OF DEGREES.**

With the exception of Grand Master’s One-Day Classes, the First Section of the First and Second Degrees and the First and Second Sections of the Third Degree shall be conferred upon but one person at a time. The Second Section of the First and Second Degrees, the Monitorial Lectures of the First and Third Degrees and all the Charges may, at the option of the Master, be given to more than one candidate at the same time. In no instance is any abbreviation of the work allowable, each candidate being entitled to the degrees in full.

**Sponsored by:**

- Arthur G. Crandon, P.J.G.W., Custodian of the Work
- Wendell D. Leonard, Senior Grand Warden, Custodian of the Work
- Loren C. Stein, P.J.G.W., Custodian of the Work



**PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO THE CODE  
(ADOPTED)**

**BE IT RESOLVED:** That Chapter 3, Section 5a(20) of the Laws of the Grand Lodge be added to the Iowa Masonic Code:

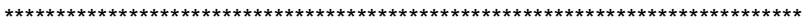
**Chapter 3, Section 5. Grand Secretary**

a. It is the duty of the Grand Secretary

(20) To conduct an annual performance assessment and review for each member of the Grand Lodge office staff, documenting in writing the specific performance expectations, the performance of the employee against those expectations, any required corrective action or performance improvement by the employee, and the required time-frame for such action or improvement.

**Sponsored by:**

- |                                                                  |                             |
|------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------|
| Dennis M. Zahrt, P.G.M.                                          | Loren C. Stein, P.J.G.W.    |
| Wendell D. Leonard, P.S.G.W.                                     | Charles D. Yates, P.G.T     |
| Robert H. Erickson, P.G.M.                                       | Arthur G. Crandon, P.J.G.W. |
| Steven R. Nielsen, Master of Marion Lodge No. 6                  |                             |
| Richard L. Bowersox, Worshipful Master, Crossroads Lodge No. 677 |                             |



**Section 23. Long Range Strategic Planning Committee**

**a. Creation and Term.** There shall be a Long Range Strategic Planning Committee consisting of five members. The term of the five members shall be for five years. The Grand Master elected in 2012 shall appoint one member for a term of one year, one member for a term of two years, one member for a term of three years, one member for a term of four years, and one member for a term of five

years. Successors shall be appointed for a term of five years, provided, that when a vacancy occurs the appointment shall be for the unexpired term. No member shall serve more than two consecutive terms. The Grand Secretary and Executive Director of the Lodge Service Committee shall serve as ex-officio members of this committee.

**b. Duties.**

1. To monitor and research societal, economic, and demographic trends which will affect Iowa Freemasonry in the future.
2. To develop and propose for implementation a five, ten, and twenty year strategic plan for the Grand Lodge. The plan would be subject to approval of the membership of the Grand Lodge.
3. To monitor the progress of attaining the goals and objectives as outlined in the adopted strategic plan and provide a yearly report thereon.
4. To make periodic reviews of the strategic plan and recommendations on revisions as are necessary.
5. To provide assistance to the leadership of the Grand Lodge, Committees of the Grand Lodge, and current and future leaders of the constituent lodges in developing programs to meet future needs.
6. To provide assistance as requested to the local lodges in long-range planning efforts.

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**BE IT RESOLVED:** That Chapter 11, Section 1a of the Laws of the Grand Lodge be cancelled and the following be enacted in lieu thereof:

**Section 1. CLASSIFICATION**

Committees of the Grand Lodge shall be standing or special committees.

a. Standing Committees are as provided by the Iowa Masonic Code. They are Appeals and Grievances Committee, Credentials Committee, Division and Reference Committee, Finance Committee, Fraternal Review Committee, Lodge Service Committee, Masonic Charitable Educational Corporation Scholarship Selection Committee, Masonic Jurisprudence Committee, Masonic Youth Committee, Public Relations Committee, Public School Support Committee, Recognition of Grand Bodies Committee, Scholarship Selection Committee, Technology Committee, Visitors Committee, and Long Range Strategic Planning Committee.

**Sponsored by:**

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|------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------|
| Wade E. Sheeler, P.S.G.W.                                  | Terry E. Osborne, P.J.G.W.     |
| Edison Sharp Jr., P.S.G.W.                                 | Alfred L. Jensen, P.G.M.       |
| Carl J. Van Der Kamp, P.J.G.W.                             | Charles L. Brinkerhoff, P.G.M. |
| Kevin R. Smith, Technology Committee                       |                                |
| W. Charles Smithson, Senior Grand Deacon                   |                                |
| Dennis E. Williams, Worshipful Master, Newton Lodge No. 59 |                                |
| Justin R. Dodge, Senior Warden, Arcadia Lodge No. 249      |                                |



**PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE CONSTITUTION**  
**(REJECTED)**

**(First reading)**

**BE IT RESOLVED:** That Article V, Section 1 of the Constitution of the Grand Lodge be cancelled and the following enacted in lieu thereof:

**Section 1. REGULAR.**

The Grand Lodge shall hold one regular communication each year commencing on the third Saturday of September at a time designated by the Grand Master. On Friday preceding the regular Grand Lodge Communication, the Custodians shall hold a School of Instruction in the Ritual to be known as the Grand Lodge School.

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**(First reading)**

**BE IT RESOLVED:** That Article IX of the Constitution of the Grand Lodge be cancelled and the following enacted in lieu thereof:

This Constitution may be revised, amended, or altered in the following manner:

**a. Submitting in Writing.** Every resolution for amendment to the Constitution shall be filed in the office of the Grand Secretary not later than July 15 prior to the convening of the regular Communication of the Grand Lodge at which time it is proposed that the resolution will be acted upon. When July 15 falls on a Saturday or Sunday, the allowable filing date shall be extended to include the first Monday following July 15.

**b. Referred to the Committee.** The proposal shall then be referred to the Committee on Masonic Jurisprudence, which shall report its findings and recommendations during the morning session of the communication.

**c. Considered by Grand Lodge.** The proposal and report shall be submitted to the Grand Lodge for its consideration as the first order of business in the afternoon session of the day of the communication.

**d. Vote and Action Required.** A vote shall then be taken and, if the proposal be approved by a two-thirds majority, it shall lie over to the next regular communication and, if again approved by a two-thirds majority, the Constitution shall be so revised, amended, or altered.

**Sponsored by:**

Wade E. Sheeler, P.S.G.W.

Charles L. Brinkerhoff, P.G.M.

Justin R. Dodge, Senior Warden, Arcadia Lodge No. 249



**PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO THE CODE**  
**(REJECTED)**

**BE IT RESOLVED:** That Chapter 5, Section 3e and Chapter 11, Section 13b of the Laws of the Grand Lodge be canceled and the following be enacted in lieu thereof:



**Chapter 5, Section 3. AUTHORITY AND POWERS.**

e. To have general supervision over all employment policies and practices of the Grand Lodge and to approve the hiring, compensation, and other benefits for all key employees of the Grand Lodge as designated by the Trustees of the Grand Lodge. This shall include conducting annual performance assessments and reviews for the Grand Secretary and Deputy Grand Secretary, which shall document in writing the specific performance expectations the Trustees have for each employee, the performance of the employee against those expectations, any required corrective action or performance improvement by the employee, and the required time-frame for such action or improvement.

Before May 16 of each year, the Trustees of the Grand Lodge shall nominate a brother for election or reelection to the office of Grand Secretary at the next annual communication of the Grand Lodge. The nominee for Grand Secretary shall be the brother currently serving in that office unless one or more of the following apply:

- 1. The Grand Secretary has announced that he does not wish to serve another year in the office.
- 2. The jewel of the Grand Secretary is under arrest by the Grand Master.
- 3. The Grand Secretary has been charged with a felony by federal, state, or local authorities.
- 4. The Grand Secretary is under charges of un-Masonic conduct.
- 5. The Grand Secretary has been grossly negligent or delinquent in the discharge of his duties, with lack of improvement or adoption of corrective action, as documented in his annual performance assessment.

The nomination of any brother other than the currently serving Grand Secretary shall require the approval of the Masonic Jurisprudence Committee as described in Chapter 11, Section 13 b(2) of the Laws of the Grand Lodge.

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**Chapter 11, Section 13b. MASONIC JURISPRUDENCE COMMITTEE.**

b. **Duties of Chairman.** To call a meeting of the Committee on the same date as that called by the Grand Master in Chapter 3, Section 1b(10) of the Laws of the Grand Lodge for the purpose of:

- 1. Consulting with the present Chairman of the Division and Reference Committee, as provided in Section 8c of this Chapter, approving the selection of the Chairman of the Division and Reference Committee for the coming year.
- 2. Reviewing and approving the proposed nomination by the Trustees of the Grand Lodge for the office of Grand Secretary when the proposed nomination is of a brother who is not currently installed and serving as Grand Secretary.

**Sponsored by:**

- Dennis M. Zahrt, P.G.M.
- Wendell D. Leonard, P.S.G.W.
- Robert H. Erickson, P.G.M.
- Steven R. Nielsen, Master of Marion Lodge No. 6
- Richard L. Bowersox, Worshipful Master, Crossroads Lodge No. 677
- Loren C. Stein, P.J.G.W.
- Charles D. Yates, P.G.T.
- Arthur G. Crandon, P.J.G.W.

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**BE IT RESOLVED:** That Chapter 40, Section 4d of the Laws for Subordinate Lodges be cancelled and the following enacted in lieu thereof:

**d. Fifty-Year Members.** No annual dues shall be assessed against any member who had, prior to January one of that year, completed an aggregate of at least fifty (50) years as a member in one or more lodges of this Grand Jurisdiction or one recognized by the Grand Lodge of Iowa and provided he was raised prior to January 1, 1963. However, in determining the aggregate years of membership in any lodge or lodges, no lapse shall have been deemed to occur for time between demission from a lodge and the following election into a lodge if both the demission and election are within a period of one year and for which dues have been fully paid or remitted. This method of computation shall be retroactive for past years for determination of eligibility for brethren reaching Fifty-Year status after January 1, 1973.

**Sponsored by:**

Jeremy N. Davis, Lodge Service Committee

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**PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE CODE  
(WITHDRAWN)**

**BE IT RESOLVED:** That Chapter 42, Section 1a of the Laws for Subordinate Lodges be cancelled and the following enacted in lieu thereof:

**Section 1. REQUIRED.**

a. Thirty-five dollars (\$35.00) for each brother who was a member thereof during any part of the preceding fiscal year. This amount is to be apportioned by the Grand Secretary as follows: thirty dollars and ninety-five cents (\$30.95) to the General Fund, two dollars and twenty-five cents (\$2.25) to the Building Fund, one dollar (\$1.00) to the Trustees of the Herman L. Rowley Memorial Trust Fund, sixty-five cents (\$0.65) to the Iowa Masonic Health Facilities Fund, and fifteen cents (\$0.15) to the Field Financial Aid Fund.

**Sponsored by:**

Richard L. Bowersox, P.G.T.

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**PROPOSED RESOLUTIONS  
(REJECTED)**

**BE IT RESOLVED:** That the Grand Lodge of Iowa adopt as its Vision Statement, the following:

Freemasonry in Iowa shall be the premier fraternal organization for men.

**Explanation**

As part of the Long Range Planning Committee's work, it was identified that the Grand Lodge of Iowa should adopt a Vision Statement that represents the core ideals as to the type of organization we choose to be. This resolution does not amend the Code.

**Sponsored By:**

Jeremy N. Davis, Lodge Service Committee



**BE IT RESOLVED:** That the Grand Lodge of Iowa adopt as its Mission statement, the following:

The Grand Lodge of Iowa is a dynamic fraternity of friends and brothers who, through values based education, philosophical teachings, and the principles of freemasonry; improve themselves, each other, and society.

**Explanation**

As part of the Long Range Planning Committee's work, it was identified that the Grand Lodge of Iowa should adopt a Mission Statement that represents our fraternity's guiding principles for which we value. This statement also provides a clear, simple explanation of who we are as a fraternity to the general public. This resolution does not amend the Code.

**Sponsored By:**

Jeremy N. Davis, Lodge Service Committee

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**EFFECTIVE DATE FOR AMENDMENT TO THE CODE**

Paul H. Wieck, P.G.M., moved that the Amendments to the Code become effective at the close of this Grand Lodge. The motion was seconded and approved.

**FIRST TIME ATTENDEE DRAWING**

The name of James D. Musal of Arcadia Lodge No. 249 at Ames was drawn as the winner of the First Time Attendee Drawing. He will receive a room and meals at the 169<sup>th</sup> Annual Communication as the winner.

**INVITATION TO THE 2013 GRAND LODGE**

Brother David M. Dyer, a member of Warren Lodge No. 53 at Indianola, invited the Grand Lodge to Des Moines for the 2013 Grand Lodge Communication. The invitation was accepted.

**REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON VISITORS**

To the Grand Lodge of Iowa:

On behalf of the Committee on Visitors, it has been an honor representing Most Worshipful Grand Master Jerry L. Levay, and a privilege to serve the Grand Lodge of Iowa in extending the hand of Brotherly Love and Friendship to our eight distinguished representatives of visiting Sister Grand Jurisdictions and the ten dignitaries of the various recognized Grand Bodies. Included were four sitting Grand Masters and Past Grand Masters. Each visitor was cheerfully greeted after receiving a personal invitation extended by Grand Master Levay to attend the 168<sup>th</sup> Annual Communication of the Grand Lodge of Iowa, A.F. & A.M. During the Friday Morning Session, each group in turn was presented to the Grand

East, personally greeted by Grand Master Levay, and received Public Grand Honors. During the session, several representatives honored the delegates by personally extending greetings with words of appreciation for the invitation and then shared words of wisdom with those in attendance.

Fraternally submitted,  
JOHN A. "JACK" COOK, Chairman  
WENDELL D. LEONARD  
Committee

**REPORT ON FINANCE  
(On Mileage and Per Diem)**

To the Grand Lodge of Iowa:

In accordance with the provisions of the Code, we have carefully computed the distance from several lodges to the City of Davenport.

We have taken the attendance from the Report on the Committee on Credentials and herewith submit the annexed table showing the compensation due the delegates together with the names of the representation entitled to draw the same.

|                                                  |    |                  |
|--------------------------------------------------|----|------------------|
| District Lecturers, Payroll A                    | \$ | 1,177.20         |
| Grand Lodge Officers, Payroll B                  | \$ | 7,042.44         |
| Trustees, Custodians and Committeemen, Payroll C | \$ | 3,402.40         |
| Representatives of Lodges, Payroll D             |    |                  |
| Mileage                                          | \$ | 2,850.00         |
| Per Diem                                         | \$ | <u>2,360.60</u>  |
|                                                  | \$ | <u>5,210.60</u>  |
|                                                  | \$ | <u>16,832.64</u> |

This makes a total compensation for Grand Lodge representatives of \$16,832.64.

Fraternally submitted,  
SHANE A. HARSHBARGER, Chairman  
ROBERT E. BRECKENRIDGE II,  
CARL N. HORNE  
Committee

**PAYROLL "A"  
DISTRICT LECTURERS**

| <u>Name:</u>           | <u>Amount:</u> | <u>Name:</u>       | <u>Amount:</u> |
|------------------------|----------------|--------------------|----------------|
| Charles L. Brinkerhoff | 69.20          | James M. Dixon     | 46.40          |
| Michael B. Aves, Sr.   | 29.80          | Fred L. Erickson   | 39.40          |
| Ward A. Bailey         | 33.20          | Thomas P. Francis  | 40.40          |
| Don A. Buchanan        | 21.00          | Darrell G. Fremont | 39.40          |
| James E. Cline Jr.     | 62.80          | George J. Harrison | 59.20          |
| Randall E. Crouch      | 59.20          | Loren Heckathorn   | 42.60          |

|                     |       |                     |                    |
|---------------------|-------|---------------------|--------------------|
| Robert J. Holliday  | 43.00 | John P. Priestley   | 59.20              |
| J. Duane Kropf      | 47.80 | Donald R. Sardeson  | 59.20              |
| Michael R. Langford | 31.60 | Eldon F. Walton     | 15.00              |
| Richard L. Martin   | 53.40 | Robert W. White     | 47.20              |
| Donald E. Mayer     | 47.00 | Charles A. Williams | 49.20              |
| David R. Minor      | 37.00 | Charles A. Wilt     | 40.40              |
| Jerry F. Monroe     | 41.60 | William R. Yungclas | <u>34.80</u>       |
| Terry E. Osborne    | 28.20 |                     |                    |
|                     |       | <b>TOTAL:</b>       | <b>\$ 1,177.20</b> |

**PAYROLL "B"**  
**GRAND LODGE OFFICERS**

| <u>Title</u>           | <u>Name</u>          | <u>Amount \$</u>   |
|------------------------|----------------------|--------------------|
| Grand Master           | Jerry L. Levay       | 119.20             |
| Senior Grand Warden    | Jon D. Wagoner       | 309.82             |
| Junior Grand Warden    | Richard L. Martin    | 400.82             |
| Grand Treasurer        | Shane A. Harshbarger | 366.02             |
| Grand Secretary        | William R. Crawford  | 571.40             |
| Deputy Grand Master    | Michael W. Fletcher  | 393.25             |
| Grand Chaplain         | Jon M. Gimmy         | 388.82             |
| Deputy Grand Secretary | Tim S. Anderson      | 516.61             |
| Grand Marshal          | Brian D. Pappaducas  | 366.02             |
| Senior Grand Deacon    | W. Charles Smithson  | 328.62             |
| Junior Grand Deacon    | John D. Pierce       | 493.85             |
| Senior Grand Steward   | Kevin A. Nelson      | 426.62             |
| Junior Grand Steward   | Jeremy J. Myers      | 393.05             |
| Grand Tyler            | Wendell B. Borland   | 488.12             |
| Grand Musician         | John M. Klaus        | 191.61             |
| Custodian of the Work  | Arthur G. Crandon    | 385.45             |
| Custodian of the Work  | Wendell D. Leonard   | 541.13             |
| Custodian of the Work  | Loren C. Stein       | <u>362.03</u>      |
|                        | <b>TOTAL:</b>        | <b>\$ 7,042.44</b> |

**PAYROLL "C"**  
**TRUSTEES AND COMMITTEEMEN**

|                                         |               |       |
|-----------------------------------------|---------------|-------|
| <b>Appeals and Grievance Committee</b>  | Paul H. Wieck | 50.60 |
| Allen L. Cranston                       | 84.00         |       |
| David M. Dryer                          | 70.40         |       |
| W. Charles Smithson                     | 67.40         |       |
| <b>Masonic Jurisprudence Committee</b>  |               |       |
| Jerrold R. Anderson                     | 57.40         |       |
| Edwin D. Blinks                         | 63.20         |       |
| Raymond E. Clause                       | 85.60         |       |
| Robert H. Erickson                      | 67.00         |       |
| Lester C. Fleming                       | 45.00         |       |
| Donald W. Gurney                        | 45.00         |       |
| D. Dean Johnson                         | 50.60         |       |
| Ralph A. Livermore                      | 89.00         |       |
| Donald E. Mayer                         | 30.00         |       |
| Donald E. Mosier                        | 56.00         |       |
| Donald E. Stamy                         | 56.00         |       |
| Lowell Wagoner                          | 73.00         |       |
| <b>Credentials Committee</b>            |               |       |
| David G. Best                           | 83.20         |       |
| Lynn A. Broughton                       | 57.40         |       |
| Roy L. Schulze                          | 57.40         |       |
| Douglas E. Walker                       | 85.60         |       |
| <b>Division and Reference Committee</b> |               |       |
| Bryce B. Hildreth                       | 67.00         |       |
| Kenneth A. Hurmence                     | 70.40         |       |
| Eric A. Rozeboom                        | 74.40         |       |
| <b>Finance Committee</b>                |               |       |
| Robert E. Breckenridge II               | 70.40         |       |
| Carl N. Horne                           | 91.80         |       |
| Lane H. Shaver                          | 69.20         |       |

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|                    |       |
|--------------------|-------|
| Damian N. Hurmence | 44.40 |
| Terry E. Osborne   | 30.00 |
| Realf H. Ottesen   | 58.80 |
| Eldon F. Walton    | 52.40 |

**Trustees of the Grand Lodge**

|                |       |
|----------------|-------|
| Jack L. Butler | 78.20 |
| Craig L. Davis | 67.40 |

**Grand Lodge Recognition Committee**

|                  |       |
|------------------|-------|
| Jason A. Wolcott | 46.60 |
|------------------|-------|

**Lodge Service Committee**

|                     |       |
|---------------------|-------|
| James W. Burr       | 41.00 |
| James E. Cline      | 92.80 |
| John A. Cook        | 85.40 |
| Martin A. Lonsdale  | 94.20 |
| Gregory R. Spooner  | 52.00 |
| Dennis E. Williams  | 51.00 |
| Robert A. Winterton | 82.60 |
| Thomas P. Youngblut | 48.80 |

**Trustees of the Iowa Masonic  
Scholarship Endowment Fund**

|                      |       |
|----------------------|-------|
| James H. Windsor III | 67.40 |
|----------------------|-------|

**Trustees of the Masonic Charitable  
Educational Corporation**

|              |       |
|--------------|-------|
| Guy H. Posey | 89.20 |
| Paul Wofford | 69.80 |

**Masonic Charitable Educational  
Corporation Scholarship Selection**

|                     |       |
|---------------------|-------|
| Kenneth M. Anderson | 45.00 |
| Dallas D. Brown     | 69.80 |

**Masonic Youth Committee**

|                    |       |
|--------------------|-------|
| Tom C. Bowersox    | 41.00 |
| William K. Paisley | 33.20 |

**Public Relations Committee**

|                 |       |
|-----------------|-------|
| Wade E. Sheeler | 48.20 |
|-----------------|-------|

**Scholarship Selection Committee**

|                    |       |
|--------------------|-------|
| Robert J. Holliday | 30.00 |
| David C. Stuart    | 48.20 |

**Technology Committee**

|                    |       |
|--------------------|-------|
| Darrell G. Fremont | 54.20 |
| Kevin R. Smith     | 46.60 |

**Trustees of Rowley Memorial Trust**

|                     |       |
|---------------------|-------|
| Kyle A. Gordon      | 67.40 |
| William R. Yungclas | 49.80 |

**TOTAL: \$ 3,402.40**

### PAYROLL "D" REPRESENTATIVES OF LODGES

| No. | Location       | Miles | Per Diem \$ | Mileage \$ | Total \$ | Paid To              |
|-----|----------------|-------|-------------|------------|----------|----------------------|
| 2   | Muscatine      | 244   | 30.00       | 24.40      | 54.40    | Fred R. Kaufmann     |
| 3   | Dubuque        | 182   | 30.00       | 18.20      | 48.20    | David H. Patton      |
| 4   | Iowa City      | 166   | 15.00       | 16.60      | 31.60    | David L. Davis       |
| 6   | Marion         | 110   | 30.00       | 11.00      | 41.00    | Paul N. Smith        |
| 10  | Keosauqua      | 336   | 30.00       | 33.60      | 63.60    | Roger W. Gaston      |
| 13  | Fort Madison   | 328   | 30.00       | 32.80      | 62.80    | Brent L. Zirkel      |
| 16  | Ottumwa        | 254   | 30.00       | 25.40      | 55.40    | Charles A. Wilt      |
| 22  | Des Moines     | 224   | 30.00       | 22.40      | 52.40    | Cleon C. Babcock     |
| 29  | Keokuk         | 344   | 30.00       | 34.40      | 64.40    | Charles A. Williams  |
| 37  | Davenport      | 272   | 30.00       | 27.20      | 57.20    | LaVerne W. Ferguson  |
| 42  | Centerville    | 292   | 30.00       | 29.20      | 59.20    | Michael R. Coulter   |
| 49  | Dubuque        | 182   | 30.00       | 18.20      | 48.20    | Alfonso Faison Jr.   |
| 51  | Bellevue       | 226   | 30.00       | 22.60      | 52.60    | Delbert W. Jackson   |
| 53  | Indianola      | 254   | 30.00       | 25.40      | 55.40    | David R. Brown       |
| 65  | Cedar Falls    | 0     | 30.00       | 0          | 30.00    | Jason M. Bumgarner   |
| 67  | Colesburg      | 152   | 15.00       | 15.20      | 30.20    | Fred O. Philips      |
| 71  | Council Bluffs | 0     | 30.00       | 0          | 30.00    | James E. Cline Jr.   |
| 77  | Osceola        | 322   | 30.00       | 32.20      | 62.20    | Terrell A. Taylor    |
| 79  | Boone          | 232   | 30.00       | 23.20      | 53.20    | Brian L. Ahrens      |
| 81  | Shellsburg     | 86    | 30.00       | 8.60       | 38.60    | Larry E. Shears      |
| 87  | Independence   | 56    | 30.00       | 5.60       | 35.60    | James K. Arnold      |
| 93  | Clinton        | 276   | 30.00       | 27.60      | 57.60    | Bruce S. Kamer       |
| 95  | West Liberty   | 54    | 30.00       | 5.40       | 35.40    | Maynard J. Smith     |
| 99  | Nevada         | 180   | 30.00       | 18.00      | 48.00    | Terry L. Burk        |
| 103 | Sioux City     | 442   | 30.00       | 44.20      | 74.20    | Jeffrey D. Heimensen |

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|------------|-----------------|--------------|--------------------|-------------------|-----------------|------------------------|
| 105        | Waterloo        | 0            | 30.00              | 0                 | 30.00           | Timothy P. Swope       |
| 108        | Marshalltown    | 118          | 30.00              | 11.80             | 41.80           | Kenneth A. Brickman    |
| 110        | Des Moines      | 224          | 30.00              | 22.40             | 52.40           | Cecil H. Brewton Jr.   |
| 112        | Mount Vernon    | 144          | 30.00              | 14.40             | 44.40           | James W. Evans         |
| 115        | Madrid          | 0            | 30.00              | 0                 | 30.00           | Fred L. Erickson       |
| 121        | Panora          | 300          | 30.00              | 30.00             | 60.00           | Franklyn G. Coulter    |
| 125        | Dubuque         | 182          | 15.00              | 18.20             | 33.20           | Thomas A. McKeon       |
| 128        | Pleasantville   | 262          | 30.00              | 26.20             | 56.20           | Dennis W. DeJooode     |
| 131        | Janesville      | 30           | 30.00              | 3.00              | 33.00           | Bradley D. Rennen      |
| 160        | Clermont        | 138          | 15.00              | 13.80             | 28.80           | William E. Ashby       |
| 165        | Manchester      | 98           | 30.00              | 9.80              | 39.80           | James H. Willey        |
| 179        | Mount Ayr       | 404          | 30.00              | 40.40             | 70.40           | Gary E. Roudybush      |
| 181        | Decorah         | 172          | 15.00              | 17.20             | 32.20           | Jon D. Sommermeyer     |
| 193        | Lewisburg       | 368          | 30.00              | 36.80             | 66.80           | Ronald Lillie          |
| 208        | Davenport       | 272          | 30.00              | 27.20             | 57.20           | Leonard M. Grutzmacher |
| 212        | Woodburn        | 314          | 30.00              | 31.40             | 61.40           | Dennis D. Loghry       |
| 218        | Prairie City    | 210          | 30.00              | 21.00             | 51.00           | Marvin D. Kendall      |
| 221        | Davenport       | 272          | 30.00              | 27.20             | 57.20           | Curtis H. Bacorn       |
| 222        | Jesup           | 38           | 30.00              | 3.80              | 33.80           | Chris L. Triplitt      |
| 226        | Mediapolis      | 282          | 30.00              | 28.20             | 58.20           | Willard M. Loper       |
| 232        | Missouri Valley | 476          | 30.00              | 47.60             | 77.60           | C. Ray Pike            |
| 249        | Ames            | 198          | 30.00              | 19.80             | 49.80           | Steven R. Schroder     |
| 255        | Clinton         | 276          | 30.00              | 27.60             | 57.60           | Albert R. McManus      |
| 264        | Carroll         | 330          | 30.00              | 33.00             | 63.60           | Terry L. Augustus      |
| 269        | Ottumwa         | 254          | 30.00              | 25.40             | 55.40           | John W. Stocker        |
| 297        | Avoca           | 410          | 30.00              | 41.00             | 71.00           | Neil R. Paulsen        |
| 308        | Polk City       | 242          | 30.00              | 24.20             | 54.20           | Darrell G. Fremont     |
| 312        | Spencer         | 372          | 30.00              | 37.20             | 67.20           | Darrin Merrill         |
| 318        | Burlington      | 314          | 30.00              | 31.40             | 61.40           | James M. Dixon         |
| 321        | Harlan          | 430          | 30.00              | 43.00             | 73.00           | Dennis R. Heflin       |
| 325        | Clarion         | 172          | 30.00              | 17.20             | 47.20           | Chad A. Chapman        |
| 329        | Spirit Lake     | 398          | 30.00              | 39.80             | 69.80           | Ken J. Eckerman        |
| 332        | Sioux Rapids    | 354          | 30.00              | 35.40             | 65.40           | John L. Mills          |
| 334        | Grundy Center   | 62           | 30.00              | 6.20              | 36.20           | Jerry L. Cassidy       |
| 364        | Fairfax         | 124          | 30.00              | 12.40             | 42.40           | Joseph M. Buresh       |
| 370        | Pleasant Hill   | 220          | 30.00              | 22.00             | 52.00           | William E. Polson III  |
| 386        | Greenfield      | 342          | 30.00              | 34.20             | 64.20           | Jack E. Brown          |
| 394        | Reinbeck        | 44           | 30.00              | 4.40              | 34.40           | Frank L. Wyatt         |
| 407        | Altoona         | 206          | 30.00              | 20.60             | 50.60           | Craig A. Long          |
| 408        | Alta            | 350          | 30.00              | 35.00             | 65.00           | Randy L. Crampton      |
| 413        | Douds           | 334          | 30.00              | 33.40             | 63.40           | Robert C. Pedrick      |
| 478        | Rockwell City   | 244          | 30.00              | 24.40             | 54.40           | Gordon D. Erritt       |
| 480        | Eldon           | 286          | 30.00              | 28.60             | 58.60           | Alfred K. Stansberry   |
| 502        | Sloan           | 468          | 30.00              | 46.80             | 76.80           | Larry L. Hunt          |
| 504        | Cincinnati      | 310          | 30.00              | 31.00             | 61.00           | William F. Bostwick    |
| 508        | Sioux City      | 442          | 30.00              | 44.20             | 74.20           | Charles D. Yates       |
| 519        | Laurens         | 316          | 30.00              | 31.60             | 60.60           | Fred Blake Perkins     |
| 520        | Baxter          | 170          | 30.00              | 17.00             | 47.00           | Jerry L. Wahl          |
| 522        | Creston         | 384          | 30.00              | 38.40             | 68.40           | Rick N. McCampbell     |
| 548        | Marion          | 110          | 30.00              | 11.00             | 41.00           | Charles R. Kutin       |
| 551        | Farley          | 144          | 30.00              | 14.40             | 44.40           | Donald E. Giesemann    |
| 577        | West Des Moines | 248          | 30.00              | 24.80             | 54.80           | William L. Farlow      |
| 592        | Des Moines      | 224          | 30.00              | 22.40             | 52.40           | Roland F. Kouski Jr.   |
| 594        | Manilla         | 244          | 30.00              | 24.40             | 54.40           | Patrick C. Miller      |
| 615        | Sioux City      | 0            | 30.00              | 0                 | 30.00           | John B. Priestley      |
| 626        | Davenport       | 272          | 30.00              | 27.20             | 57.20           | Robert M. Litwiller    |
| 628        | Norwalk         | 250          | 15.00              | 25.00             | 40.00           | Gary D. Low            |
| 630        | Des Moines      | 224          | 30.00              | 22.40             | 52.40           | Daniel L. Flaherty     |
| 631        | Council Bluffs  | 478          | 30.00              | 47.80             | 77.80           | Ronald S. Payne        |
| 632        | Des Moines      | 224          | 30.00              | 22.40             | 52.40           | Jim T. Ford            |
| 633        | Des Moines      | 224          | 30.00              | 22.40             | 52.40           | Thomas E. H. Gruis     |
| 636        | Ankeny          | 236          | 30.00              | 23.60             | 53.60           | David W. Ashby         |
| 638        | Lucas           | 308          | 30.00              | 30.80             | 60.80           | Rick E. Ruble          |

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|---------------------|-----------------|-------|-------------|------------|---------------------------|----------------------|
| 643                 | Sioux City      | 442   | 30.00       | 44.20      | 74.20                     | Jeffrey L. Fulton    |
| 650                 | Burlington      | 314   | 30.00       | 31.40      | 61.40                     | James A. Nagel       |
| 654                 | Windsor Heights | 234   | 30.00       | 23.40      | 53.40                     | Cullin M. Herwig     |
| 657                 | Des Moines      | 224   | 30.00       | 22.40      | 52.40                     | Jason R. Henness     |
| 662                 | Sioux City      | 442   | 30.00       | 44.20      | 74.20                     | John M. Stewart      |
| 672                 | Bettendorf      | 280   | 30.00       | 28.00      | 58.00                     | Johan A. Muller      |
| 673                 | Dubuque         | 182   | 30.00       | 18.20      | 48.20                     | Michael G Mudrey Jr. |
| 675                 | Davenport       | 272   | 30.00       | 27.20      | 57.20                     | Dennis M. Zahrt      |
| 677                 | DeWitt          | 236   | 30.00       | 23.60      | 53.60                     | Richard L. Bowersox  |
| 678                 | Des Moines      | 224   | 30.00       | 22.40      | 52.40                     | Kevin T. Christians  |
| <b>GRAND TOTAL:</b> |                 |       |             |            | <b><u>\$ 5,210.60</u></b> |                      |

**REPORT ON CREDENTIALS COMMITTEE**

To the Grand Lodge of Iowa:

**Lodges Represented**

Number of Working Lodges:..... 278  
 Number of Lodges Not Entitled to Representation:..... 0  
 Number of Lodges Chartered at this Communication: ..... 2  
 Number of Lodges Represented as this Communication: ..... 154  
 Number of Lodges Represented by Proxies Alone: ..... 53

**Attendance at Grand Lodge Communication**

Number of Masters and Wardens Present:..... 153  
 Number of Proxies for Masters and Wardens Present:..... 113  
 Number of Grand Lodge Officers Present: ..... 15  
 Number of Permanent Members and Committeemen Present:..... 75  
 Number of Visitors Registered:..... 34  
 Number of Distinguished Guests:..... 18  
 Total Attendance at Grand Lodge 2012:..... 408

Fraternally submitted,  
 GUY H. POSEY, Chairman  
 DAMIAN N. HURMENCE,  
 DOUGLAS E. WALKER,  
 DAVID G. BEST,  
 LYNN A. BROUGHTON,  
 ROY L. SCHULZE  
 Committee

**LODGE REPRESENTATIVES BY LODGE NUMBER**

- |                                                                                                                                                        |                                                                                                                                                                                          |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| <p><b>1: Des Moines, Burlington</b><br/>                     Morris C. Hurd, S.W.<br/>                     Tyrone T. Rogers, J.W.</p>                  | <p><b>6: Marion, Marion</b><br/>                     Jamie D. Johnson, proxy for W.M.<br/>                     Tom C. Bowersox, S.W.<br/>                     Paul N. Smith, J.W.</p>    |
| <p><b>2: Iowa, Muscatine</b><br/>                     Frederick R. Kaufmann, W.M.<br/>                     William C. Luebbert III, proxy for S.W.</p> | <p><b>10: Keosauqua, Keosauqua</b><br/>                     Roger W. Gaston, W.M.</p>                                                                                                    |
| <p><b>3: Dubuque, Dubuque</b><br/>                     David H. Patton, W.M.<br/>                     David C. Stuart, proxy for S.W.</p>              | <p><b>11: Cedar, Tipton</b><br/>                     Jason A. Wolcott, proxy for W.M.<br/>                     J. David Tripp, S.W.<br/>                     William A. Esbeck, J.W.</p> |
| <p><b>4: Iowa City, Iowa City</b><br/>                     Daniel J. Fuhrmeister, W.M.<br/>                     David L. Davis, J.W.</p>               | <p><b>13: Claypoole, Fort Madison</b><br/>                     J. Duane Kropf, proxy for W.M.</p>                                                                                        |



- Brent L. Zirkel, S.W.  
Jan D. Jud, J.W.
- 16: Ottumwa, Ottumwa**  
Charles A. Wilt, W.M.  
A. J. Brown, S.W.  
Floyd E. Brown, J.W.
- 22: Pioneer, Des Moines**  
Cleon C. Babcock, W.M.  
Charles L. Blair, J.W.
- 25: Crescent, Cedar Rapids**  
Kha N. Phan, W.M.  
W. Stevens Elliott, *proxy* for S.W.
- 26: Washington, Washington**  
Howard R. Jones, W.M.
- 29: Keokuk, Keokuk.**  
Charles A. Williams, W.M.
- 37: Davenport, Davenport**  
Laverne W. Ferguson, *proxy* for W.M.
- 42: Jackson, Centerville**  
Michael R. Coulter, *proxy* for S.W.  
Conley J. Glantz, *proxy* for J.W.
- 43: Evening Star, Winterset**  
Thomas Baker, W.M.
- 44: Snow, Le Claire**  
Robert J. Holliday, *proxy* for W.M.  
Realf H. Ottesen, J.W.
- 48: Danville, Danville**  
Gary D. Dockendorff, *proxy* for W.M.
- 49: Metropolitan, Dubuque**  
Jack L. Butler, W.M.  
Alfonso Faison Jr., *proxy* for S.W.  
David C. Stuart, *proxy* for J.W.
- 51: Bellevue, Bellevue**  
Delbert W. Jackson, W.M.
- 52: LaFayette, Montezuma**  
Robert E. Nelson, S.W.  
W. Ross McCulla, *proxy* for J.W.
- 53: Warren, Indianola**  
David R. Brown, W.M.
- 59: Newton, Newton**  
Dennis E. "Toby" Williams, W.M.  
Wade E. Sheeler, *proxy* for S.W.
- 60: Camanche, Camanche**  
Albert R. Mc Manus, *proxy* for W.M.  
Lee A. Hawkins, J.W.
- 63: Chariton, Chariton**  
Tim S. Anderson, *proxy* for W.M.
- 65: Black Hawk, Cedar Falls**  
Jason M. Bumgarner, W.M.  
William C. Robinson, S.W.  
Shannon Graham, *proxy* for J.W.
- 69: West Union, West Union**  
Kent P. Schuchmann, S.W.
- 71: Bluff City, Council Bluffs**  
James E. Cline, S.W.
- 77: Osceola, Osceola**  
Terrell A. Taylor, S.W.
- 79: Mount Olive, Boone**  
Brian L. Ahrens, S.W.
- 80: Adel, Adel**  
Jerry F. Monroe, *proxy* for W.M.
- 81: Benton City, Shellsburg**  
Larry E. Shears, *proxy* for W.M.
- 83: Hartford, Hartford**  
Lester C. Fleming, *proxy* for W.M.
- 87: Independence, Independence**  
James R. Arnold, *proxy* for W.M.  
William D. Dunn, S.W.  
William L. Jones, J.W.
- 93: Lyons, Clinton**  
Bruce S. Kamer, *proxy* for S.W.  
Lee A. Hawkins, J.W.
- 95: Mount Calvary, West Liberty**  
Maynard J. Smith, *proxy* for W.M.  
James J. Conrey, *proxy* for S.W.
- 99: Nevada, Nevada**  
Terry L. Burk, W.M.
- 103: Landmark, Sioux City**  
Jon D. Wagoner, *proxy* for W.M.  
Jeffrey D. Heimensen, *proxy* for S.W.  
Guy H. Posey, *proxy* for J.W.
- 105: Waterloo, Waterloo**  
Timothy P. Swope, S.W.  
William R. Woener, J.W.
- 107: Columbus City, Columbus City**  
Thomas J. Van Auken, W.M.  
Duncan A. Bell, *proxy* for S.W.
- 108: Marshall, Marshalltown**  
Kenneth A. Brickman, W.M.  
Arthur G. Crandon, *proxy* for S.W.
- 110: Capital, Des Moines**  
Cecil H. Brewton Jr., W.M.  
Kay D. Greany, S.W.  
John J. Reilly, *proxy* for J.W.
- 112: Mount Vernon, Mount Vernon**  
James W. Evans, W.M.  
Kenneth A. Hurrence, S.W.  
John M. Klaus, *proxy* for J.W.
- 115: Star, Madrid**  
Fred L. Erickson, S.W.  
Rodney E. Halverson, *proxy* for J.W.
- 116: Tyrrell, Waverly**  
Marc M. DeBower, W.M.  
Michael Schmitz, S.W.
- 118: Hiram of Tyre, Tama**  
Theodore I. Hall, *proxy* for W.M.  
Eugene A. Anderson, *proxy* for S.W.

- 121: Panora, Panora**  
Franklyn M. Coulter, *proxy* for J.W.
- 125: Mosaic, Dubuque**  
Thomas A. McKeon, W.M.  
D. Keith Robertson, *proxy* for S.W.
- 128: Pleasant, Pleasantville**  
Dennis W. DeJoode, *proxy* for W.M.
- 131: Equity, Janesville**  
Bradley C. Renner, W.M.  
Darol A. DeSotel, S.W.  
Jeffrey C. Struck, J.W.
- 140: Nodaway, Clarinda**  
Charles E. Mayer, *proxy* for W.M.  
Wendell D. Leonard, *proxy* for S.W.  
John D. Pierce, *proxy* for J.W.
- 141: St. Charles-Cornerstone, Marble Rock**  
Ralph J. Hitchcock, *proxy* for W.M.
- 145: Benevolence, Mason City**  
Ronald W. Guthrie W.M.  
James E. Havig, S.W.
- 156: Taylor, Bedford**  
Edwin L. Hensley, W.M.  
Kenneth DeVoe, S.W.
- 160: Clermont, Clermont**  
William E. Ashby, *proxy* for W.M.
- 164: Saint Clair, Fairfax**  
Roger W. Gaston, W.M.
- 165: Manchester, Manchester**  
James H. Willey, W.M.
- 168: Farmers, Kinross**  
David B. Jackson, *proxy* for W.M.
- 174: Poweshiek, Malcom**  
Terry E. Osborn, *proxy* for W.M.
- 179: Faith, Mount Ayr**  
Gary E. Roudybush, S.W.
- 181: Great Lights, Decorah**  
Jon D. Sommermeyer, W.M.  
Eric J. Sommermeyer, *proxy* for S.W.
- 182: Webb, Sigourney**  
David B. Jackson, *proxy* for W.M.
- 189: Emblem, Pleasanton**  
Ronald Lillie, *proxy* for W.M.
- 193: Clay, Lewisburg**  
Ronald Lillie, W.M.  
John W. Rippey, S.W.  
Avery A. Bennett, J.W.
- 205: Prudence, Algona**  
Arthur W. Pixler, *proxy* for S.W.  
Jerrold R. Anderson, *proxy* for J.W.
- 208: Trinity, Davenport**  
Leonard Grutzmacher, W.M.  
Jeffery L. Halsey, *proxy* for S.W.  
Donald E. Courter, *proxy* for J.W.
- 212: Unity, Woodburn**  
Dennis D. Loghry, *proxy* for S.W.
- 218: Preston, Prairie City**  
Marvin D. Kendall, W.M.
- 221: Fraternal, Davenport**  
Curtis H. Bacorn, W.M.  
Richard W. Skeppstedt, *proxy* for S.W.  
David G. Klein, J.W.
- 222: Siloam, Jesup**  
Christopher L. Triplitt, W.M.  
Leslie M. Reinertson, S.W.
- 226: Progress, Mediapolis**  
Willard M. Loper, *proxy* for S.W.
- 232: Valley, Missouri Valley**  
C. Ray Pike, *proxy* for W.M.
- 249: Arcadia, Ames**  
Steven R. Schroder, W.M.  
James D. Musal, J.W.
- 255: Emulation, Clinton**  
Albert R. McManus, W.M.
- 263: Mount Hermon, Cedar Rapids**  
Chad L. Little, W.M.  
W. Holt Maness Jr., S.W.  
Andrew R. Johnstone, J.W.
- 264: Signet, Carroll**  
Terry L. Augustus, *proxy* for W.M.
- 266: Northern Light, Northwood**  
V. David Lawyer, *proxy* for W.M.
- 269: Empire, Ottumwa**  
John W. Stocker, *proxy* for W.M.  
Gary C. Edmonson, *proxy* for S.W.  
Robert M. Maas, J.W.
- 273: Hermon, Grinnell**  
Matthew W. Peake, S.W.  
Kirby Ziesmer, J.W.
- 290: Canopy, Oxford**  
Michael C. Ryan, W.M.  
Bruce Dolder, J.W.
- 292: Columbia, Colo**  
Carroll L. Stokesbary, W.M.  
Richard J. Wilson, J.W.
- 297: Mount Nebo, Avoca**  
Neil R. Paulsen, W.M.
- 307: Speculative, Cherokee**  
Robert A. "Bud" Winterton, *proxy* for W.M.
- 308: Operative, Polk City**  
Darrell G. Fremont, W.M.  
Lane H. Shaver, S.W.
- 312: Evening Shade, Spencer**  
Darrin K. Merrill, W.M.  
Travis J. Stouffer, S.W.  
Steven M. Waller, *proxy* for J.W.
- 318: Malta, Burlington**

- James M. Dixon, W.M.  
John J. Bonar, J.W.
- 319: Bethel, Garner**  
Gregory W. Blank, W.M.  
William A. Peake, *proxy* for J.W.
- 321: Parian, Harlan**  
Dennis R. Heflin, W.M.
- 325: Cyrene, Clarion**  
Chad A. Chapman, W.M.  
Von T. Ketelson, *proxy* for S.W.
- 329: Twilight, Spirit Lake**  
Kenneth Eckerman, W.M.  
Stacy D. Newgard, S.W.
- 332: Enterprise, Sioux Rapids**  
Allen L. Sorenson, *proxy* for W.M.  
John L. Mills, S.W.
- 334: Emerald, Grundy Center**  
Jerry L. Cassidy, *proxy* for W.M.  
Don A. Buchman, *proxy* for J.W.
- 335: Ark, Oakland**  
Craig C. Hummel, *proxy* for W.M.
- 342: Exodus, Exira**  
David G. Best, *proxy* for W.M.
- 364: Fidelitas, Fairfax**  
Joseph M. Buresh, *proxy* for S.W.
- 369: Haggai, Glidden**  
William R. Crawford, *proxy* for J.W.
- 370: Home, Des Moines**  
William E. Polson III, W.M.  
Dominic Filippelli Jr., S.W.  
Terry L. Orr, J.W.
- 381: Wapsinoc, West Branch**  
Robert A. Kline, S.W.
- 386: Crusade, Greenfield**  
Jack E. Brown, *proxy* for W.M.
- 393: Ascalon, Dysart**  
Paul H. Wieck, *proxy* for W.M.
- 394: Coin, Reinbeck**  
Frank L. Wyatt, W.M.  
David A. Roberts, S.W.
- 407: King David, Altoona**  
Craig A. Long, *proxy* for W.M.  
Jeremy C. Long, S.W.  
A. Everett Mauch, *proxy* for J.W.
- 408: Pomegranate, Alta**  
Randy L. Crampton, W.M.
- 409: Milan, Indianola**  
David M. Dryer, *proxy* for W.M.
- 413: Celestial, Douds**  
Robert C. Pedrick, W.M.  
Thad Crane, J.W.
- 419: Onyx, Sanborn**  
Eric A. Rozeboom, *proxy* for W.M.
- Jeffrey E. Filkins, J.W.
- 447: North Star, Estherville**  
Dallas D. Brown, *proxy* for W.M.
- 448: Faithful, Runnells**  
Dennis W. DeJooode, *proxy* for W.M.
- 478: Twin Lakes, Rockwell City**  
G. Leslie Johnson, *proxy* for W.M.  
Gordon D. Erritt, *proxy* for S.W.
- 480: New Hope, Eldon**  
Alfred K. Stansberry, W.M.
- 492: Grove, Marne**  
Alan L. Cranston, *proxy* for W.M.
- 502: Attica, Sloan**  
Larry L. Hunt, W.M.  
Royce G. McGuire, *proxy* for S.W.
- 504: Prosperity, Cincinnati**  
William F. Bostwick, *proxy* for W.M.
- 505: Astor, Albia**  
Tim S. Anderson, *proxy* for S.W.
- 508: Tyrian, Sioux City**  
Charles D. Yates, W.M.
- 509: West Gate, Windsor Heights**  
Terrell A. Taylor, W.M.
- 519: Grace, Laurens**  
Fred Blake Perkins, W.M.
- 520: Unit, Baxter**  
Jerry L. Wahl, *proxy* for W.M.  
Max E. Butler, *proxy* for S.W.
- 522: Crest City, Creston**  
Rick N. McCampbell, *proxy* for W.M.
- 523: Mecca, Coggon**  
Tim S. Anderson, *proxy* for W.M.
- 532: Trial, Merville**  
Wendell B. Borland, *proxy* for W.M.
- 537: Floyd, Orange City**  
Thomas M. Jeneary, W.M.
- 548: Trojan, Marion**  
Charles R. Kutin, W.M.  
Darryl L. Brown, *proxy* for J.W.
- 551: Julien, Farley**  
Donald E. Giesemann, *proxy* for W.M.
- 577: Gnemeth, West Des Moines**  
William L. Farlow, W.M.  
Don C. Brown, S.W.  
Richard L. Anderson, J.W.
- 592: Auburn-Union Park, Des Moines**  
Roland F. Kouski, W.M.  
Kyle A. Gordan, *proxy* for S.W.
- 595: Golden Leaf, Manilla**  
Patrick C. Miller, W.M.
- 609: Mirza, Pilot Mound**  
Kevin T. Christians, W.M.

- 615: Morningside, Sioux City**  
F. Gordon Berry, *proxy* for W.M.  
John B. Priestley, S.W.  
Matthew Plummer, J.W.
- 624: Martin, Waterloo**  
James Heimbeck, W.M.  
Charles R. Burrell, S.W.  
William W. Castle, J.W.
- 626: Roosevelt, Davenport**  
Robert M. Litwiller, J.W.
- 628: Welfare, Norwalk**  
Jerry L. Luedtke, W.M.  
Gary D. Low, *proxy* for S.W.
- 630: East Gate, Des Moines**  
Daniel Flaherty, W.M.  
Larry Dillon, S.W.  
Gene R. Hatfield, *proxy* for J.W.
- 631: Cobia, Council Bluffs**  
Ronald S. Payne, W.M.  
Charles Coulter, S.W.  
Wade A. Ridout, J.W.
- 632: Acanthus, Des Moines**  
James R. Ford, W.M.  
Michael Taylor, J.W.
- 633: Moingona, Windsor Heights**  
Thomas E. H. Gruis, *proxy* for W.M.
- 636: Logic, Ankeny**  
David W. Ashby, W.M.  
James A. Farrell, *proxy* for J.W.
- 638: Paul Revere, Lucas**  
Rick E. Ruble, *proxy* for S.W.
- 639: Mizpah, Cedar Rapids**  
Dan E. Beason, *proxy* for W.M.  
Justin Beeh, S.W.
- 643: Triangle, Sioux City**  
Jeffrey L. Fulton, *proxy* for W.M.  
Richard E. Towns, *proxy* for S.W.
- 649: Harding, Mason City**  
Steven C. Lames, *proxy* for W.M.
- 650: Patriot, Burlington**  
James A. Nagel, *proxy* for W.M.
- 654: Waveland Park, Windsor Heights**  
Cullin M. Herwig, S.W.
- 657: South Gate, Des Moines**  
Jason R. Henness, W.M.  
Richard M. Robertson, *proxy* for S.W.
- 660: Daylight, Des Moines**  
Eldon F. Walton, *proxy* for J.W.
- 662: North Riverside, Sioux City**  
Gary M. Herbst, W.M.  
John Stewart, S.W.
- 664: Hamilton, Bettendorf**  
Realf H. Ottesen, W.M.  
David J. Eymann, S.W.  
Brad W. Bodoh, J.W.
- 668: Clarksville, Coralville**  
Ben H. Ploof, *proxy* for W.M.
- 672: Early Morning, Bettendorf**  
Johan A. Muller, W.M.  
Donald H. Crow, S.W.  
Paul H. Jones, J.W.
- 673: Tri-State Morning, Dubuque**  
Michael G. Mudrey Jr., W.M.  
David C. Stuart, *proxy* for S.W.  
Eugene H. Chappell, *proxy* for J.W.
- 675: Brubaker, Davenport**  
Dennis M. Zahrt, W.M.  
Robert J. Holliday, *proxy* for S.W.  
Lynn A. Broughton, *proxy* for J.W.
- 676: Kingston, Cedar Rapids**  
Donald E. Mosier, W.M.
- 677: Crossroads, DeWitt**  
Richard L. Bowersox, W.M.  
Lynn A. Broughton, *proxy* for S.W.  
David Madden, J.W.
- 678: Specialis Procer, Des Moines**  
Kevin T. Christians, W.M.  
Wade E. Sheeler, *proxy* for J.W.

## RESOLUTION OF THANKS

Michael W. Fletcher, Deputy Grand Master, presented a Resolution of Thanks. On his motion, it was –

ADOPTED.

To the Grand Lodge of Iowa:

Most Worshipful Grand Master, it is an honor and privilege to enter this Resolution of Thanks to the 168<sup>th</sup> Annual Communication of the Grand Lodge of Iowa on your behalf.

**Be it resolved:** That the officers of the Grand Lodge of Iowa for 2011 - 2012 offer today our sincere appreciation and gratitude to the Grand Master and all Iowa Masons.

To the Most Worshipful Grand Master Jerry L. Levay and his lovely wife Sue, we thank you both for your total dedication to Iowa Masonry.

To the Grand Master for his dedication to his program of "Masonry and Military", we thank you. There is no group more deserving of our thanks and gratitude than our military members and their families, past and present.

To the Masons of Waterloo and surrounding area, thank you, for your service and help in making this a successful Grand Lodge Communication.

To the various Grand Lodge Committees and Boards, who members make Iowa Masonry as accomplished as it truly is.

To all of the brothers that helped and participated in all Cornerstone Laying Ceremonies, Third Degrees, Dedications, Rededications, and the Constitution of two new Lodges this year, we could not have done it without you and it was a pleasure to serve you.

To the Board of Custodians for all their tireless dedication in doing their best to ensure our Masonic Ritual is performed at its best across the state.

To our Ladies and Families, for their love and support, for their dedication and devotion to all Iowa Mason's, thank you. Thank you ladies, for uniting us into one big happy family. Thank you so much, we would have lost without you.

Thank you to all of our distinguished guests and dignitaries for your presence and participation in this 168<sup>th</sup> Annual Communication. To all of our guest speakers, you have truly made this a memorable event for all of us.

To all the brothers that took the time to attend and participate in the labors of this 168<sup>th</sup> Annual Communication, thank you. Your voice and votes shape the future of Iowa Masonry. It has been a true pleasure for all of us, your Grand Lodge Officers, to serve and represent you.

To the Brethren who have been elected and appointed to serve as Grand Lodge Officers for the ensuing year, good luck. We all wish you a very rewarding and successful year. We know that you all will do your best to carry on the great traditions of Iowa Masonry. We wish you well in your labors.

Most of all, we thank the Grand Architect of the Universe. You kept us safe in our travels, you lifted spirits when needed, you blessed Iowa Masonry and we are all thankful for your unwavering guidance.

Be it resolved that the Most Worshipful Grand Master of Masons in Iowa, Jerry L. Levay, and the 2011-12 Grand Lodge Officers extend our thanks to one and all, named and unnamed for their support and dedication to Iowa Masonry.

Fraternally submitted,  
 MICHAEL W. FLETCHER  
 Deputy Grand Master

### **COMPLETION OF THE INSTALLATION OF OFFICERS**

Jerrold R. Anderson, P.G.M., completed the Installation of the 2012-13 Grand Lodge Officers, and Robert H. Erickson, P.G.M., as Installing Marshal proclaimed the following 2012-13 Elective and Appointive Grand Lodge Officers duly installed.

#### **Elective**

Most Worshipful Bryce B. Hildreth (636 & 110 Des Moines)  
 Grand Master .....4811 NE Delaware Ave, Ankeny 50021-7424  
 Right Worshipful William R. Yungclas (249)  
 Senior Grand Warden.....1801 20<sup>th</sup> St K35, Ames 50010-5165  
 Right Worshipful Realf H. Ottesen (672 & 664 Bettendorf & 44 LeClaire)  
 Junior Grand Warden .....11 Lighthouse Ln, Hampton, IL 61256-9666  
 Right Worshipful Robert E. Breckenridge II (269 & 16)  
 Grand Treasurer ..... 3101 N Court Rd, Ottumwa 52501-6202  
 Right Worshipful William R. Crawford (369 Glidden & 677 DeWitt)  
 Grand Secretary ..... P.O. Box 279, Cedar Rapids 52406-0279

#### **Appointive**

Right Worshipful Loren C. Stein (318, 650 & 1)  
 Deputy Grand Master ..... 3228 Ridgeview Dr, Burlington 52601-2440  
 Right Worshipful Franklyn G. Coulter (121 Panora)  
 Grand Chaplain ..... 27641 Beaumont Ave, Linden 50146-8126  
 Worshipful Tim S. Anderson (4 Iowa City, 325 Clarion, 505 Albia, 676, 63 Chariton, 523  
 Coggon & 168 Kinross)  
 Deputy Grand Secretary ..... P.O. Box 279, Cedar Rapids 52406-0279  
 Worshipful George J. Harrison (643, 329 Spirit Lake & 5 S. Sioux City, NE)  
 Grand Marshal.....4162 Sherwood Terr, Sioux City 51106-4046  
 Worshipful Rick N. McCampbell (522)  
 Senior Grand Deacon..... 1307 Timber Lake Ave, Creston 50801-8193  
 Worshipful Donald R. Sardeson (407 Altoona & 508 Sioux City)  
 Junior Grand Deacon .....810 SE Innsbruck Dr, Ankeny 50021-3621  
 Worshipful Jeffrey D. Heimensen (103 Sioux City & 329 Spirit Lake)  
 Senior Grand Steward .....514 Florida Ave SW, Orange City 51041-1650  
 Worshipful Tom C. Bowersox (6 Marion, 290 Oxford & 681)  
 Junior Grand Steward..... 3105 38<sup>th</sup> Ave SW, Cedar Rapids 52404-6462  
 Worshipful Jerry F. Monroe (80 Adel)  
 Grand Tyler ..... PO Box 184, DeSoto 50069-0184  
 Worshipful Michael R. Langford (4 Iowa City, 668 Coralville & 680 North Liberty)  
 Grand Musician ..... 706 S 9<sup>th</sup> Ave, Washington 52353-1542

### **PRESENTATIONS OF PAST GRAND LODGE OFFICERS' JEWELS**

Past Grand Master's to Jerry L. Levay by Jack L. Butler, P.G.M.  
 Past Senior Grand Warden's to Jon D. Wagoner by Donald E. Mosier,  
 P.G.M.  
 Past Junior Grand Warden's to Richard L. Martin by Charles L.  
 Brinkerhoff, P.G.M.

Past Grand Treasurer's to Shane A. Harshbarger by Donald E. Mayer, P.G.M.

Past Grand Master's Card to Jerry L. Levay by Craig L. Davis, P.G.M.

### **ADDRESS TO GRAND LODGE**

Right Worshipful Edward H. Fowler Jr., Past Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of Pennsylvania and Provincial Grand Master of the Royal Order of Scotland, addressed Grand Lodge.

### **ADDRESS TO GRAND LODGE**

Brother James H. Windsor III addressed Grand Lodge.

### **ADDRESS TO GRAND LODGE**

Grand Secretary William R. Crawford addressed Grand Lodge and announced his plans to retire in 2014.

### **PRESENTATION TO GRAND MASTER**

State Master Councilor James Cox presented Grand Master Jerry L. Levay with the DeMolay pin.

### **ADDRESS TO GRAND LODGE**

Craig L. Davis, P.G.M., addressed Grand Lodge announcing the formation of Legacy Lodge in the West Des Moines area, and presented Grand Master Hildreth with the required documents.

### **GRAND MASTER MAKES COMMITTEE APPOINTMENTS**

Grand Master Bryce B. Hildreth made the necessary board and committee appointments. Following is a list of Board Members and Committeemen.

### **TRUSTEES AND CUSTODIANS OF THE WORK**

#### **TRUSTEES OF GRAND LODGE (APPOINTED FOR SIX-YEAR TERM)**

Craig L. Davis (657 Des Moines), P.G.M., Chairman

Term expires 2017.....2015 Center St, West Des Moines 50265-2228

Bill V. Northup (230 Ollie)

Term expires 2013.....14991 Woodcrest Dr, Clive 50325-7844

Raymond E. Clause (532), P.G.M.

Term expires 2015.....PO Box 273, Merville 51039-0273

*Paul H. Wieck (263 Cedar Rapids & 393), P.G.M., Emeritus. PO Box 250, Dysart 52224-0250*

#### **TRUSTEES OF GRAND CHARITY FUNDS (APPOINTED FOR FIVE-YEAR TERM)**

Terry E. Osborne (174 Malcom), P.J.G.W., Chairman

Term expires 2013.....1631 Kent Church Rd., Brooklyn 52211-8525

Realf H. Ottesen (672 Bettendorf, 664 Bettendorf & 44 Le Claire), Junior Grand Warden,

Term expires 2014.....11 Lighthouse Ln, Hampton, IL 61256-9666

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Theodore C. Wiley (8), Vice Chairman  
 Term expires 2015..... 2589 Lexington Ave, Mount Pleasant 52641-8056  
 Damian N. Hurmence (112 Mount Vernon), Treasurer  
 Term expires 2016.....2504 Orchard Dr, Cedar Falls 50613-5844  
 Eldon F. Walton (522 Creston & 660 Des Moines), Secretary  
 Term expires 2017.....3001 Denny Ct, West Des Moines 50266-2009  
 Noel W. Willis (4), P.G.T., Emeritus  
 .....15827 W Falcon Ridge Dr., Sun City West, AZ 85375-6691  
 Marsha Miller, Secretary to the Board .....563-359-9171  
 ..... 2500 Grant St., P.O. Box 70, Bettendorf 52722-0002

**TRUSTEES OF HERMAN L. ROWLEY MEMORIAL TRUST  
 (APPOINTED FOR FIVE-YEAR TERM)**

Michael W. Fletcher (43 & 80 Adel), Chairman  
 Term expires 2013.....309 E. Green St., Winterset 50273-1528  
 John C. Powell (299)  
 Term expires 2014..... PO Box 487, Perry 50220-0487  
 William R. Yungclas (249), Senior Grand Warden, Chaplain  
 Term expires 2015.....1801 20<sup>th</sup> St K35 Ames 50010-5165  
 Kyle A. Gordon (592 Des Moines)  
 Term expires 2016.....10478 NW 102<sup>nd</sup> Ct, Granger 50109-9795  
 Lowell Wagoner (80, 299 Perry & 407 Altoona), P.G.M.  
 Term expires 2017.....23440 315th Ct., Adel 50003-8504  
 Robert K. Gubser (299 Perry), Emeritus..... 5423 Chimra Rd, Panora 50216-8602  
 John C. Summerson (299), P.G.T., Emeritus ..... 2511 Parkview Pl., Perry 50220-2558  
 Jerrold R. Anderson, P.G.M. (205), Emeritus .....421 S. Sample, Algona 50511-2933  
 Donald W. Gurney (394 & 229 Attica), P.G.M., Emeritus  
 .....402 Spruce St., Reinbeck 50669-1447  
 Larry G. Blaker (299) Emeritus..... 366 332<sup>nd</sup> Pl, Perry 50220-7527  
 LuCinda L. Friess, Secretary to the Board ..... 515-465-5316  
 .....3000 East Willis, P.O. Box 578, Perry 50220-0578

**TRUSTEES OF MASONIC CHARITABLE EDUCATIONAL CORPORATION  
 (APPOINTED FOR SIX-YEAR TERM)**

Paul Wofford (329 Spirit Lake), Chairman  
 Term expires 2014.....1516 Nichols Ave, Okoboji 51355-5018  
 Edison Sharp Jr. (174), P.J.G.W.  
 Term expires 2016.....PO Box 116, Malcom 50157-0116  
 Guy H. Posey (103 & 329 Spirit Lake)  
 Term expires 2018.....2800 Summit St, Sioux City 51104-3743  
 Raymond E. Clause (532), P.G.M., Emeritus ..... P.O. Box 273, Moville 51039-0273  
 Duane S. Munson (174 Malcom), P.G.T., Emeritus  
 .....7410 Normandy Dr NE, Cedar Rapids 52402-6914

**TRUSTEES OF IOWA MASONIC SCHOLARSHIP ENDOWMENT FUND  
 (APPOINTED FOR SIX-YEAR TERM)**

Arthur W. Pixler (205 Algona & 299 Perry), Chairman  
 Term expires 2016.....P.O. Box 52, Fenton 50539-0052  
 Gerald F. Bergman (16 & 74 Eddyville)  
 Term expires 2014.....162 N Ransom St, Ottumwa 52501-4608  
 Peter W. Taggart (110 Des Moines)  
 Term expires 2018.....3204 Jordan Grove, West Des Moines 50265-6455  
 James H. Windsor III (110 & 654 Windsor Heights), Emeritus .....  
 .....4004 Grand Ave., Apt. 602, Des Moines 50312-2741

**DIRECTORS OF IOWA MASONIC LIBRARY AND MUSEUMS BUILDING  
 ENDOWMENT FUND (APPOINTED FOR SIX-YEAR TERM)**

Donald E. Mosier (676, 678 Des Moines & 681), P.G.M., Chairman



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Term expires 2014 .....4541 Coventry Lane NE, Cedar Rapids 52402-7028  
 Thomas P. Youngblut (87 Independence & 222), P.G.T., Secretary  
 Term expires 2016 ..... P.O. Box 144, Jesup 50648-0144  
 Eric J. Sommermeyer (181 Decorah & 18 MN)  
 Term expires 2018 ..... 1275 Larrabee Ave, Tripoli 50676-9501

**CUSTODIANS OF THE WORK (ELECTED FOR SIX-YEAR TERM)**

Arthur G. Crandon (108 Marshalltown), P.J.G.W., Chairman  
 Term expires 2015 ..... 3093 Yates Ave., Gilman 50106-9332  
 Loren C. Stein, (318, 650 & 1), Deputy Grand Master, Secretary  
 Term expires 2013 ..... 3228 Ridgeview Dr., Burlington 52601-2440  
 Wendell D. Leonard (140), P.S.G.W.  
 Term expires 2017 ..... PO Box 6, Clarinda 51632-0006  
*F. Walter Buffon (412 Griswold), P.S.G.W., Emeritus* ..... PO Box 27, Elliott 51532-0027  
*Alfred L. Jensen (59 & 329 Spirit Lake), P.G.M., Emeritus*  
 ..... 600 E 4th St. N, Newton 50208-3123  
*Dennis M. Zahrt (675 Davenport), P.G.M., Emeritus*  
 ..... 2920 Maplecrest Rd., Bettendorf 52722-3334

**STANDING COMMITTEES****CREDENTIALS (APPOINTED FOR THREE-YEAR TERM)**

Justin R. Dodge (249), Chairman  
 Term expires 2013 ..... 1204 Stafford Ave, Ames 50010-5732  
 Chad E. Clapper (679 & 680 North Liberty)  
 Term expires 2013 ..... 22120 Hickory Ave, Clear Lake 50428-9132  
 Douglas E. Walker (532)  
 Term expires 2014 ..... PO Box 168, Merville 51039-0168  
 David G. Best (342 Exira)  
 Term expires 2014 ..... 201 Lincoln St, Brayton 50042-9786  
 Roy L. Schulze (164 Fairfax)  
 Term expires 2015 ..... PO Box 399, Walford 52351-0399  
 Baruti Kmt-Sisouvang (15)  
 Term expires 2015 ..... 1000 N 4<sup>th</sup> St Mr 212, Fairfield 52557-0001

**LODGE SERVICE (APPOINTED FOR ONE-YEAR TERM)**

Tim S. Anderson (4 Iowa City, 63 Chariton, 168 Kinross, 325 Clarion, 505 Albia, 523 Coggon & 676), D.G.S./L.S.C. Executive Director ..... PO Box 279, Cedar Rapids 52406-0279  
 Daniel L. Beyer (654 Windsor Heights) ..... 1392 93<sup>rd</sup> St, West Des Moines 50266-5014  
 Wendell B. Borland (532) ..... 815 Meadows Dr, Merville 51039-7543  
 A. J. Brown (16 Ottumwa & 680 North Liberty) ..... 501 W Chester St, Bloomfield 52537-1921  
 James W. Burr (263 Cedar Rapids & 4) ..... 109 Glenn Dr., Iowa City 52245-4807  
 James E. Cline Jr. (71 & 631) ..... 19942 Beverly Manor, Council Bluffs 51503-5496  
 Danny L. Connell (664 Bettendorf, 44 LeClaire & 675)  
 ..... 2939 Dubuque St #3N, Davenport 52803-1149  
 John M. Klaus (112, 141 Charles City, 678 Des Moines & 681 Cedar Rapids), P.G.T.  
 ..... 509 2nd St. NW, Mount Vernon 52314-1206  
 Martin C. Lonsdale (386 & 680 North Liberty) ..... 108 SW 4<sup>th</sup> St, Greenfield 50849-1304  
 Kevin A. Nelson (105) ..... 918 Bertch Ave, Waterloo 50702-3110  
 Stacy D. Newgard (519 Laurens & 329 Spirit Lake) ..... 1902 13<sup>th</sup> St, Milford 51351-1386  
 Loren J. Pierce (140 Clarinda) ..... 1687 170<sup>th</sup> St, Essex 51638-4537  
 Gregory R. Spooner (370 Pleasant Hill) ..... 431 31<sup>st</sup> St, Altoona 50009-5407  
 Dennis E. "Toby" Williams (633 Windsor Heights, 59 Newton & 218 Prairie City)  
 ..... 232 E Front St, Colfax 50054-1015  
 Robert A. "Bud" Winterton (307 & 408 Alta) ..... 812 W Cedar St, Cherokee 51012-1535  
*Thomas P. Youngblut (87 Independence & 222), P.G.T., Emeritus*  
 ..... P.O. Box 144, Jesup 50648-0144  
*Jack L. Butler (49, 3, 520 Baxter & 66 WI), P.G.M., Emeritus* .....

..... 2910 Olde Country Ln, Dubuque 52001-1068  
 Craig C. Hummel (335 & 430 Carson), P.G.M., Emeritus ... PO Box 579, Oakland 51560-0579  
 Craig L. Davis (657), P.G.M., Emeritus.....2015 Center St, West Des Moines 50265-2228

**DIVISION AND REFERENCE (APPOINTED FOR ONE-YEAR TERM)**

Eric A. Rozeboom (419), P.S.G.W., Chairman .....6173 310<sup>th</sup> St, Sanborn 51248-7533  
 Wade E. Sheeler (59 & 678 Des Moines), P.S.G.W. .... 1204 E 13<sup>th</sup> St S, Newton 50208-5012  
 Terry E. Osborne (174 Malcom), P.J.G.W. .... 1631 Kent Church Rd, Brooklyn 52211-8525

**APPEALS AND GRIEVANCES (APPOINTED FOR ONE-YEAR TERM)**

David M. Dryer (53 & 409), Chairman .....1521 W. Boston Ave., Indianola 50125-2120  
 Alan L. Cranston (492) ..... PO Box 83, Marne 51552-0083  
 W. Charles Smithson (632 Des Moines).....  
 ..... 2801 EP True Pkwy Unit 202, West Des Moines 50265-5688

**MASONIC JURISPRUDENCE (BY CODE)**

Donald E. Mosier (676, 678 Des Moines & 681), P.G.M., Chairman.....  
 .....4541 Coventry Ln NE, Cedar Rapids 52402-7028  
 Paul H. Wieck (393 & 263 Cedar Rapids), P.G.M., Vice Chairman.....  
 ..... PO Box 250, Dysart 52224-0259  
 Robert H. Erickson (370 Pleasant Hill & 633), P.G.M., Secretary  
 ..... 4423 Caulder Ave, Des Moines 50321-1821

And all Past Grand Masters of this Grand Lodge who reside within  
 its jurisdiction and are in good standing.

**FRATERNAL REVIEW (APPOINTED FOR ONE-YEAR TERM)**

Timothy J. Whipple (577 West Des Moines & 678).3509 SW 35<sup>th</sup> St, Des Moines 50321-1833

**FINANCE (APPOINTED FOR THREE-YEAR TERM)**

Carl N. Horne (502 Sloan), Chairman  
 Term expires 2013.....14704 Ruggles St, Omaha, NE 68116-1417  
 Lane H. Shaver (115 & 308 Polk City)  
 Term expires 2014..... 803 S Kennedy Ave, Madrid 50156-1739  
 William K. Paisley (125 Dubuque)  
 Term expires 2015.....16222 California St, Omaha, NE 68118-2508

**GRAND LODGE RECOGNITION (APPOINTED FOR ONE-YEAR TERM)**

Jason A. Wolcott (4 Iowa City, 11 & 681 Cedar Rapids) .....321 E 4th St, Tipton 52772-1812

**PUBLIC RELATIONS (APPOINTED FOR THREE-YEAR TERM)**

Lane H. Shaver (112 & 308 Polk City), Chairman  
 Term expires 2013..... 803 S Kennedy Ave, Madrid 50156-1739  
 Von T. Ketelsen (325 Clarion & 168 Kinross)  
 Term expires 2014..... 3125 16<sup>th</sup> Ave N #2, Fort Dodge 50501-8042  
 Thomas D. Cox (577)  
 Term expires 2015..... 4802 Plumwood Dr, West Des Moines 50265-5220

**PUBLIC SCHOOL SUPPORT (APPOINTED FOR THREE-YEAR TERM)**

Scott A. Enyart (218 Prairie City), Chairman  
 Term expires 2015..... 773 185<sup>th</sup> Pl, Pella 50219-7572  
 Brian D. Pappaducas (632 Des Moines)  
 Term expires 2013..... 710 SE 5<sup>th</sup> Ct, Ankeny 50021-6408  
 Jeffrey S. Weaver (100)  
 Term expires 2014.....600 Argyle Ct, Clinton 52732-5557

**VISITORS (APPOINTED FOR ONE-YEAR TERM)**

W. Charles Smithson (632 Des Moines).....  
 ..... 2801 EP True Pkwy Unit 202, West Des Moines 50265-5688  
 Brian D. Pappaducas (632 Des Moines)..... 710 SE 5<sup>th</sup> Ct, Ankeny 50021-6408

**SCHOLARSHIP SELECTION (APPOINTED FOR FOUR-YEAR TERM)**

|                                                                          |                                                    |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------|
| Kenneth A. Hurmence (179 Mount Ayr & 112 Mount Vernon), P.G.T., Chairman |                                                    |
| Term expires 2015.....                                                   | PO Box 244, Clarksville 50619-0244                 |
| Gary T. Warwick (271), P.G.T. ....                                       |                                                    |
| Term expires 2013.....                                                   | 1013 E 10 <sup>th</sup> St, Atlantic 50022-2109    |
| Robert J. Holliday (44 Le Claire, 664 Bettendorf & 675), P.J.G.W.        |                                                    |
| Term expires 2013.....                                                   | 2325 Elm St, Davenport 52803-2302                  |
| A. Lyle Miller (595)                                                     |                                                    |
| Term expires 2014.....                                                   | 3325 310th St., Manilla 51454-7523                 |
| James W. Evans (112)                                                     |                                                    |
| Term expires 2015.....                                                   | 313 2nd Ave. SW, Mount Vernon 52314-1621           |
| Terry L. Augustus (264 Carroll)                                          |                                                    |
| Term expires 2016.....                                                   | PO Box 411, Glidden 51443-0411                     |
| Alex C. Glan (448)                                                       |                                                    |
| Term expires 2016.....                                                   | 11866 SE 56 <sup>th</sup> Ave, Runnells 50237-1261 |
| Duane S. Munson (174 Malcom), P.G.T., Emeritus                           |                                                    |
| .....                                                                    | 7410 Normandy Dr. NE, Cedar Rapids 52402-6914      |

**MASONIC CHARITABLE EDUCATIONAL CORPORATION  
SCHOLARSHIP SELECTION (APPOINTED FOR FIVE-YEAR TERM)**

|                                                                    |                                          |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------|
| Kenneth M. Anderson, (624 Waterloo), P.J.G.W., Chairman            |                                          |
| Term expires 2013.....                                             | 6321 Viking Rd., Cedar Falls 50613-9533  |
| Carl N. Horne (502 Sloan)                                          |                                          |
| Term expires 2014.....                                             | 14704 Ruggles St, Omaha, NE 68116-1417   |
| Dallas D. Brown (329 & 427 Estherville)                            |                                          |
| Term expires 2015.....                                             | 2714 Keokuk Ave., Spirit Lake 51360-1134 |
| Gregory L. Andersen (117)                                          |                                          |
| Term expires 2016.....                                             | 1910 11th St., Eldora 50627-2034         |
| Robert J. Holliday (44 Le Claire, 664 Bettendorf & 675), P.J.G.W., |                                          |
| Term expires 2017.....                                             | 2325 Elm St., Davenport 52803-2302       |

**COMMITTEE ON MASONIC YOUTH (APPOINTED FOR FIVE-YEAR TERM)**

|                                                                    |                                              |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------|
| Joseph J. Podzimek II (364 Fairfax), Chairman                      |                                              |
| Term expires 2016.....                                             | 135 Josephine Ln NW, Cedar Rapids 52405-4412 |
| Matthew A. Buckley (664 Bettendorf)                                |                                              |
| Term expires 2013.....                                             | 1024 N Stark St., Davenport 52804-4247       |
| William K. Paisley (125 Dubuque)                                   |                                              |
| Term expires 2014.....                                             | 16222 California St., Omaha, NE 68118-2508   |
| Kyle D. Martin (6)                                                 |                                              |
| Term expires 2015.....                                             | 299 6 <sup>th</sup> Ave, Marion 52302-3204   |
| Tom C. Bowersox (6 Marion, 290 Oxford & 681), Junior Grand Steward |                                              |
| Term expires 2017.....                                             | 3105 38th Ave. SW, Cedar Rapids 52404-6462   |

**TECHNOLOGY COMMITTEE (APPOINTED FOR FIVE-YEAR TERM)**

|                                                                                                                                    |                                                  |
|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------|
| Darrell G. Fremont (115 & 308 Polk City), Chairman                                                                                 |                                                  |
| Term expires 2016.....                                                                                                             | 14170 NW 128 <sup>th</sup> St, Madrid 50156-8018 |
| Kevin R. Smith (4 & 633 Des Moines)                                                                                                |                                                  |
| Term expires 2013.....                                                                                                             | 186 Broadmoor Ln, Iowa City 52245-9313           |
| Daniel J. Priestley (643 & 103)                                                                                                    |                                                  |
| Term expires 2014.....                                                                                                             | 2626 S Olive St, Sioux City 51106-3839           |
| Chad L. Little (263)                                                                                                               |                                                  |
| Term expires 2015.....                                                                                                             | 1712 Pikes Peak Cr NE, Cedar Rapids 52406-0279   |
| Kurt M. Hoffman (678 Des Moines)                                                                                                   |                                                  |
| Term expires 2017.....                                                                                                             | 3108 Pine Cir, Urbandale 50322-4467              |
| William R. Crawford (369 Glidden & 677 DeWitt)                                                                                     |                                                  |
| Grand Secretary .....                                                                                                              | P.O. Box 279, Cedar Rapids 52406-0279            |
| Tim S. Anderson (4 Iowa City, 325 Clarion, 505 Albia, 676, 63 Chariton, 523 Coggon & 168<br>Kinross), Deputy Grand Secretary ..... | P.O. Box 279, Cedar Rapids 52406-0279            |

**LONG-RANGE STRATEGIC PLANNING COMMITTEE  
(APPOINTED FOR FIVE-YEAR TERM)**

|                                                                                                                                              |                                            |
|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------|
| Jeremy N. Davis (200 Olin & 249), Chairman                                                                                                   |                                            |
| Term expires 2013.....                                                                                                                       | 711 Beech Ave, Ames 50014-7009             |
| Robert E. Breckenridge II (269 & 69), Grand Treasurer                                                                                        |                                            |
| Term expires 2014.....                                                                                                                       | 3101 N Court Rd, Ottumwa 52501-6202        |
| E. Jay Coon (509 Windsor Heights)                                                                                                            |                                            |
| Term expires 2015.....                                                                                                                       | 10990 NW Towner Dr, Grimes 50111-8717      |
| Jeffrey D. Heimensen (103 Sioux City & 329 Spirit Lake), Senior Grand Steward                                                                |                                            |
| Term expires 2016.....                                                                                                                       | 514 Florida Ave SW, Orange City 51041-1650 |
| Brent L. Zirkel (13)                                                                                                                         |                                            |
| Term expires 2017.....                                                                                                                       | 2332 Avenue F, Fort Madison 52627-2323     |
| William R. Crawford (369 Glidden & 677 DeWitt), <i>ex officio</i>                                                                            |                                            |
| Grand Secretary.....                                                                                                                         | P.O. Box 279, Cedar Rapids 52406-0279      |
| Tim S. Anderson (4 Iowa City, 325 Clarion, 505 Albia, 676, 63 Chariton, 523 Coggon & 168 Kinross), Deputy Grand Secretary, <i>ex officio</i> |                                            |
| .....                                                                                                                                        | P.O. Box 279, Cedar Rapids 52406-0279      |

**AD HOC COMMITTEES**

**WRITING GRAND LODGE HISTORY**

|                                                                                                                                |                                                       |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------|
| David B. Jackson (168 & 182 Sigourney) ...                                                                                     | 2695 Keokuk Iowa Rd, North English 52316-8567         |
| Alan H. Ackerman (168).....                                                                                                    | 13172 280 <sup>th</sup> Ave, South English 52335-8573 |
| Tim S. Anderson (4 Iowa City, 325 Clarion, 505 Albia, 676, 63 Chariton, 523 Coggon & 168 Kinross), Deputy Grand Secretary..... | P.O. Box 279, Cedar Rapids 52406-0279                 |

**MASONIC ACADEMY COMMITTEE**

|                                                                                 |                                                    |
|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------|
| George J. Harrison (643, 329 Spirit Lake & 5 NE), Grand Marshal, Chairman       |                                                    |
| .....                                                                           | 4162 Sherwood Terr, Sioux City 51106-4046          |
| John M. Klaus (112, 141 Marble Rock, 678 Des Moines & 681 Cedar Rapids), P.G.T. |                                                    |
| .....                                                                           | 509 2 <sup>nd</sup> St NW, Mount Vernon 52314-1206 |
| Jeffrey D. Heimensen (103 Sioux City & 329 Spirit Lake), Senior Grand Steward   |                                                    |
| .....                                                                           | 514 Florida Ave SW, Orange City 51041-1650         |
| Jay Cole Simser (249 & 678 Des Moines).....                                     | 1309 Glendale Ave, Ames 50010-5525                 |

**MINUTES OF THE 168<sup>th</sup> ANNUAL COMMUNICATION**

A motion was made by Rick N. McCampbell that the reading of the minutes be waived and that they be approved as printed in the "Proceedings." The motion was ADOPTED.

### CLOSING CEREMONY

The Grand Lodge Session was closed in Ample Form at 11:35 A.M. with Grand Master Bryce B. Hildreth presiding. Grand Chaplain Franklyn G. Coulter gave the Benediction.

*“O Great Architect of the Universe, Creator and Guardian of mankind, we ask thy favor and blessing. We have pledged ourselves to do a certain work for our organization and for thee. In the days ahead, we may lack wisdom to do this work for thy glory. We pray for the enlightenment to perform in a trustworthy way, and we ask for patience and fortitude as we go about our several tasks.*

*And now, may the blessings of heaven rest upon us and all regular Masons. May Brotherly Love prevail and every moral and social virtue cement us. Amen.”*



*Bryce B. Hildreth*

Grand Master

*William R. Crawford*

Grand Secretary

## In Memoriam

*Inscribed to the Memory of 915 of Our Own Brothers*

## Meditation

We can shed tears that he has gone, or we can smile that  
he lived.

We can close our eyes and pray that he will come back,  
or we can open our eyes and see all the good he has left us.

Our hearts can be empty because we cannot see him,  
or our hearts can be full with the love that we've shared.

We can turn our backs on tomorrow and live yesterday,  
or we can be happy for tomorrow because of yesterday.

We can remember him and only that he has gone,  
or we can cherish his memory or let it live on.

We can cry and close our minds, be empty and turn our  
backs,

or we can do what he would have wanted:  
smile, open our eyes, love, and go on

– Author Unknown

**In Loving Remembrance of  
Our Past Grand Officers  
Who Have Died**

**Donald E. Worster**

Senior Grand Steward, 2002-03

Died October 9, 2011

**Lyle L. Andrews**

Grand Marshal, 1980-81

Died November 12, 2011

**Norman E. Hammond**

Grand Tyler, 1982-83

Died January 10, 2012

**Russell G. Haley**

Senior Grand Steward, 1987-88

Died March 23, 2012

**Keith L. Muntz**

Grand Master, 1981-82

Died March 24, 2012

**Edward E. Edgerton**

Junior Grand Steward, 2007-08

Died April 13, 2012

**Archie J. Mackay**

Senior Grand Warden, 1985-86

Died April 16, 2012

**Donald H. Iles**

Grand Chaplain, 1978-79

Died April 30, 2012

**Delbert L. Koenig**

Junior Grand Deacon, 1981-82

Died July 16, 2012

**Herbert L. Espensen**

Junior Grand Warden, 1964-65

Died August 19, 2012

**LIST OF DEATHS**

Iowa Masonry bid farewell to the following brothers whose death occurred or was reported during 2011. Brothers, shown with date of death, are listed under the lodge of which they were a member.

**1 – DES MOINES**

Allen, Thomas James, 09/10/2011  
Cave, Robert Harrington, 11/09/2011  
Hardy, Willis Ray, 09/04/2011  
Hess, John H, 04/26/2010  
Ivey, William Alden, 10/03/2009  
Straw, Ronald W, 07/19/2011  
Va Leu, Leland Leroy, 02/26/2011  
Wilson, James R, 12/14/2010

**2 – IOWA**

Cockshoot, Dennis Eugene, 06/19/2011  
Gregg, Oscar Neil, 09/16/2011  
Paul, Leonard Leroy, 01/27/2011  
Potter, Robert Jene, 04/13/2011  
Zimmerman, Gerry Philip, 11/27/2011

**4 – IOWA CITY**

Badre, Albert Y, 10/30/2010  
Bennett, Chester Granville, 05/11/2011  
Chapman, Marvin Sidney, 04/06/2011  
Morris, Woodrow Wilbert, 08/19/2011  
Pate, Robert Thomas, 10/03/2011

**5 – WAPELLO**

Weber, Howard E, 10/18/2011

**6 – MARION**

Frye, Eugene Olin, 11/17/2011  
Meeeks, Russell Allen, 01/08/2011  
Skow, Delbert Earl, 12/20/2011

**8 – MOUNT PLEASANT**

Huffaker, James Martin, 04/08/2011  
Wiele, Mark L, 01/28/2011

**10 – KEOSAUQUA**

Huff, Elmer Leroy, 09/24/2011  
Satterly, Robert Marlin, 04/30/2010  
Swailles, Harold Jacob, 05/10/2011

**11 – CEDAR**

Von Muenster, Everett H, 01/08/2011

**13 – CLAYPOOLE**

Atterbury, S. Earl, 08/12/2011  
Duncan, Douglas Lawrence, 12/17/2011  
Lowery Jr., Frank Onel, 07/29/2011

**15 – CLINTON**

Bucher, Clarence Hazen, 12/21/2011  
Phillips, Robert Warren, 09/16/2010

**16 – OTTUMWA**

Blackwell, Vern Dunlavy, 10/28/2011  
Bond, Milford Ralph, 03/02/2011  
Burkhalter, Paul Dillon, 07/29/2011  
Mc Clure, Darrell Eugene, 02/17/2011  
Meadows, Bruce Edward, 03/12/2011  
Schlegel, William Henry, 11/20/2011

**18 – TRI-LUMINAR**

Belzer, Walter Thomas, 02/07/2006  
Gasperi, Raymond James, 12/14/2011  
Geier, Mark John, 02/24/2011  
Guthrie, Kenneth Wayne, 11/08/2011  
Milam, Daniel Wayne, 09/16/2011  
Morris, Eugene Howard, 03/15/2011  
Nuckolls, Melvin Noble, 12/01/2011  
Shipman, Don H, 12/20/2011  
White, Floyd, 08/24/2011

**21 – OLIVE BRANCH**

Smith Jr., Charles Horace, 04/14/2011  
Stam, Sam E, 12/07/2011

**22 – PIONEER**

Draper, Richard Duane, 08/19/2011  
Ferren, Frank, 01/25/2011  
Kerr, Lary Robert, 06/11/2011

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Bane, Kenneth Elton, 04/14/2011  
Gold, Gilbert Glen, 03/18/2011  
Hopping, Wayne, 12/19/2011  
Kay, Wilbur Keith, 12/04/2011  
Robinson, Vernon Dewan, 07/01/2011  
Stroebele, Everett P, 08/18/2011
- 336 – MAHASKA**  
Phillips, Bayard Joe, 04/23/2011
- 340 – HESPERIA**  
Bauch Jr., John Stuart, 12/21/2011  
Kutin, Victor Vincent, 01/09/2011  
Naylor, Robert Wilbert, 11/10/2011  
Stark, Donald Edwin, 12/14/2008
- 347 – ABIFF**  
Barry, Donald A, 01/02/2011
- 364 – FIDELITAS**  
Arntzen, Howard Roger, 03/04/2011  
Calvert, Ronald Martin, 02/23/2011  
Haight, Jerry Keith, 05/11/2011  
Heaton Jr., Robert Claire, 02/20/2011
- 368 – MARBLE**  
Davis, Donald Leon, 02/14/2011  
Speed, Forrest, 02/13/2011
- 369 – HAGGAI**  
Bender, Gerald Dean, 03/24/2010  
Junker, Jerome Paul, 11/27/2011
- 370 – HOME**  
Benson, Robert Eugene, 05/14/2011  
Boal, Paul Laverne, 11/13/2011  
Griffin, Ralph Edwin, 02/21/2011  
Hopper, Larry Thomas, 01/05/2011  
Izbicki, Carl Edward, 03/16/2011  
Koch, Frederick, 07/11/2011  
Mc Cuen Jr., Lloyd Ernest, 11/22/2011  
Miller, Milton Morris, 09/15/1997  
Moreland, Danny Lee, 12/14/2011  
Orloff, Sylvan J, 11/02/2008  
Orser, Larry Dean, 01/27/2011  
Quade, William Stewart, 06/24/2011  
Shepherd Jr., John B, 10/04/2011  
Thorson Jr., Thomas, 05/14/2011  
Welch, James Alexander, 03/18/2011
- 374 – HEBRON**  
Graf, Donald E, 11/06/2011  
Ingels, James Gerhard, 11/13/2011  
Kjar, Niels Jensen, 05/27/2011  
Mullin, R. Bruce, 05/09/2010  
Sanborn, John Whitehead, 01/31/2011
- 380 – OBEEDIENCE**  
Mehlmann, Leroy, 04/26/2011
- 381 – WAPSINONOC**  
Cook, David Gillespie, 01/14/2011  
Jacobs, Shirley Clifton, 12/07/2010  
Pedersen, Raymond D, 04/06/2011
- 386 – CRUSADE**  
Brown, Donald Dean, 04/02/2011  
Scott, Daryl M, 06/27/2011  
Spooner, James Vernon, 06/27/2011
- 391 – STELLAPOLIS**  
Roller, Jay Dee, 01/07/2011
- 392 – VERITAS**  
Krasne, Lloyd Edward, 10/02/2011  
Manatt, Charles Taylor, 07/22/2011  
Raub, George Wesley, 10/27/2011

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- 393 – ASCALON**  
Sawyer, Warren V, 12/23/2011  
Starr, William Robert, 02/16/2011
- 394 – COIN**  
Hansen, George David, 05/15/2011  
Royer, Jack Deuele, 06/30/2011
- 398 – WHEELER**  
Baird, William James, 11/09/2011  
Currie, Raymond Arthur, 06/30/2011  
Ehler, Harry Gerald, 02/12/2011  
Swanson, Richard C, 03/07/2011  
Miller, Richard Orland, 02/23/2010
- 405 – EMMANUEL**  
Scotton, Byron Ward, 01/28/2011
- 406 – BORDER**  
Bahnsen, Marlo M, 03/17/2011  
Hindt, Charles Prescott, 11/05/2011
- 407 – KING DAVID**  
Friest, Roger Thomas, 02/27/2011  
Garland, Raymond Gene, 10/22/2011  
Klaver, Marion Duane, 08/14/2011  
Nielsen, Carl Vendelboe, 04/01/2011  
Patten, Bart H, 02/23/2011  
Schaefer, Glen Ellis, 09/30/2011
- 408 – POMEGRANATE**  
Anderson, Richard E, 05/25/2011  
Clough, Roy Wilton, 06/05/2011  
Huddleston Jr., Henry W, 01/14/2011  
Minard, Wayne Neal, 02/27/2011  
Pace, Floyd Arthur, 09/12/2011  
Parrott, Clair Neville, 01/06/2011
- 409 – MILAN**  
Vincent, James Quentin, 03/23/2011
- 412 – CASS**  
Burnham Jr., Fred Raymond, 10/01/2011
- 413 – CELESTIAL**  
Ford, Roy Harold, 11/05/2011  
Hall, Richard Lee, 06/03/2011  
Housholder, Roy Earl, 02/28/2011
- 419 – ONYX**  
Baxter, Robert G, 10/10/2011  
Hansen, Kermit P, 10/04/2009
- 420 – CHRYSOLITE**  
Brace Sr., Howard E, 02/10/2011  
Culver, Gerald Gene, 12/10/2006  
Finken, Wallace Glenn, 08/16/2011  
Fuller, Robert Jesse, 07/20/2011  
Hummel, Phillip K, 09/02/2011  
Schmillen, Steven Ray, 11/22/2010
- 422 – DIAMOND**  
Kruger, Wayne W, 11/04/2011
- 430 – CORAL**  
Batten, Galen Edward, 10/27/2011  
Crisler, Donald J, 10/26/2011  
Tripp, Harold Ellison, 11/03/2011
- 434 – FREEDOM**  
Dirks, Walter Eilert, 07/01/2011  
Schoen, William E, 09/17/2011
- 435 – ZEALOUS**  
Becker, Richard Delbert, 12/04/2009  
Ireland, Stuart, 12/26/2011  
Randolph, Kenneth H, 09/06/2011
- 438 – TOPAZ**  
Clark, Clarence Clifford, 12/31/2011  
Overholtzer, James C, 08/01/2011
- 440 – STELLA**  
Douglas, Donald Gene, 07/14/2011
- 447 – NORTH STAR**  
Bruce, Ernest Eugene, 07/20/2011  
Cecil, J. James, 03/23/2010  
Dallmann, Duane Harold, 07/18/2008  
Griffee, Lloyd Harold, 11/30/2011  
Haisman Jr., Joseph August, 10/24/2011  
Haworth, Carl O, 11/17/2011
- Hibben, Marvin Delbert, 11/03/2011
- 454 – PEACEFUL**  
Bacon Jr., Giles, 03/11/2011  
Hemming, Robert Weston, 05/06/2011
- 464 – BOWER**  
Nelson, Donald Edgar, 05/28/2011
- 470 – COSMOS**  
Keck, Donald Gene, 03/04/2011  
Spaulding, Jack Edward, 03/27/2011
- 478 – TWIN LAKES**  
Babbitt, Glenn Charles, 07/17/2011  
Reideler, Robert Julius, 11/09/2010  
Reynolds, Gale C, 07/01/2011  
Schoop, Donald Jean, 04/29/2011  
Walters, Gerald Birch, 01/29/2011
- 480 – NEW HOPE**  
Strother, Dale Hall, 01/11/2011
- 482 – GLOAMING**  
Dingle, Kenneth R, 10/25/2011  
Glover, Allen Kenneth, 06/09/2011  
Stewart, Roger Duane, 11/04/2011  
Waimor, Orville Benner, 09/21/2009
- 487 – HIGHLAND**  
Cole, Robert Lee, 12/18/2011  
Mc Millin, Lester D, 09/15/2011
- 498 – VULCAN**  
Barber, Robert Dean, 04/01/2011  
Reid, John Arthur, 06/28/2011
- 502 – ATTICA**  
Hobbs, Dennis Keith, 10/05/2011  
Macklin, Elmer Thomas, 07/31/2011  
Morse, Richard Allen, 08/31/2011  
Steinhoff, Wayne Charles, 09/05/2011
- 504 – PROSPERITY**  
Besse, William Glen, 05/16/2011  
Condra, Daniel J, 02/02/2011  
Stuart, H David, 12/05/2011  
Wright, James Roscoe, 07/25/2011
- 505 – ASTOR**  
Clark, William D, 03/08/2011  
Davis, Gary Wayne, 02/04/2011
- 506 – ROSE**  
Wiley, W. James, 08/08/2011
- 507 – SYLVAN**  
Ferris, Gerald Christopher, 07/15/2011  
Norelius, William Quinn, 03/27/2011
- 508 – TYRIAN**  
Hall, Linn Alvin, 09/19/2011  
Jones, Feldman Frederick, 12/30/2011  
Myron, Donald Dean, 07/26/2011  
Pilgrim, Donald Dean, 10/25/2011  
Sheffield, Wayne Charles, 05/02/2011
- 509 – WEST GATE-ADELPHIC**  
Beavers, Robert E, 11/10/2011  
Bell, Robert Spencely, 03/28/2011  
Darnell, Wilbur Clyde, 12/07/2010  
Dixon, Frederick Severin, 03/19/2011  
Lemon, Clark Herbert, 03/29/2011  
Smart, Charles Dale, 03/03/2011  
Thompson, Floyd Thomas, 11/05/2011
- 519 – GRACE**  
Halverson, Reed Waldron, 08/24/2011  
Kerns, Gerald Allen, 10/08/2011
- 520 – UNIT**  
Martin, Michael Lee, 12/18/2011
- 521 – LITTLE SIOUX**  
Haenfler, Albert Harm, 10/28/2011
- 522 – CREST CITY**  
Amos, Harold Malcom, 10/05/2011  
Anderson, Thomas H, 04/17/2011  
Buxton, Leo Burdette, 11/20/2011  
Collings, Frederick Clem, 05/25/2011  
Hoskinson Jr., Allen Jackson, 02/01/2011  
Ricketts, Raymond, 02/07/2011  
Waller, Clyde Ross, 05/27/2011

- 523 – MECCA**  
Skallerup, Harvey Leonard, 02/21/2011
- 532 – TRIAL**  
Jones, Curtis Ward, 04/22/2011
- 535 – ABNER**  
Roudybush, William Burl, 03/24/2011  
Werbach, Charles Reid, 11/26/2011
- 537 – FLOYD**  
Breese, Wayland C, 02/25/2011
- 538 – VIONA**  
Basler, Gary Michael, 09/18/2011  
Lippolt, Carl Frederick, 01/24/2011
- 548 – TROJAN**  
Hagerman, Robert Casswell, 05/12/2011  
Hilmer, Ralph Arthur, 09/13/2011  
Howe, Gerald Everett, 10/04/2011  
Hucker, James John, 02/08/2011  
Mc Millen, Eldon Douglas, 02/11/2011
- 549 – FELLOWSHIP**  
Weeber, Woodrow Isaac, 03/01/2011
- 550 – CERULEAN**  
Thompson, Walter Everett, 02/03/2011
- 555 – CIRCLE**  
Reed, Wallace Edward, 07/01/2011  
Shires, Kenneth Harold, 11/13/2011
- 561 – FULL MOON**  
Gray, Basil Dale, 10/22/2011  
Patterson, Max B, 07/07/2011  
Yeager, Gordon Dale, 10/12/2011
- 562 – WESTON**  
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- 576 – KOHINOOR**  
Foval, Eugene B, 01/15/2011  
Kammin, Dewayne, 07/28/2011  
Peterson, Philip R, 11/23/2011  
Shelton, Gerald Rue, 11/26/2011
- 577 – GNEMETH**  
Beavers, Robert E, 11/10/2011  
Clendenen, Howard Elmer, 04/03/2011  
Coy, Ronald Leonard, 01/21/2011  
Forsythe, Raymond William, 04/30/2011  
From, Paul, 12/18/2011  
Niles, George Edgar, 12/24/2011  
Rabern, Kenneth Eugene, 06/04/2011
- 584 – INTEGRITY**  
Visser, Ted Carl, 10/21/2011
- 590 – IROQUOIS**  
Baker, Willis Dean, 10/12/2011  
Loutzenhiser, Robert Drexel, 05/14/2011
- 592 – AUBURN-UNION PARK**  
Backstrom, David Arthur, 08/10/2011  
Belknap, Raymond Arnold, 02/08/2011  
Benson, Robert Eugene, 05/14/2011  
Bergman, Edwin Arthur, 05/30/2011  
Bower, Dale W, 06/23/2011  
Corey, Ted Robert, 07/24/2011  
Freeborn, Harold Edwin, 11/14/2011  
Grange, Jesse L, 02/04/2011  
Hagethorn, Howard, 03/23/2011  
Moseley, Lynn Douglas, 09/20/2011  
Nelson, Luther Phillip, 10/20/2011  
Nicholson, Bernard Franklin, 01/04/2011  
Pardee, Harry Gross, 04/28/2011  
Peterson, Clair Junior, 05/13/2011  
Riley, John Louis, 04/08/2011  
Roush, Jack C, 10/17/2011  
Scott, Donald Ray, 06/28/2011  
Small, Willard James, 12/11/2011  
Twining Jr., George Isaac, 07/23/2011  
Van Patten, George Nicholas, 09/17/2011  
Walker, Leslie Dufrance, 05/31/2011  
Way, Gene Arthur, 08/29/2011
- 593 – HOLMAN**  
Kaesser, Delbert L, 03/19/2011
- 594 – SOLOMON**  
Hamlett, Tim, 11/09/2011  
Sanders, Charles Steven, 11/21/2011
- 595 – GOLDEN LEAF**  
Rasmussen, Leo Jacob, 02/04/2011
- 597 – NEKODA**  
Morris, Dick Eugene, 02/27/2011
- 611 – BEN HUR**  
Baker, George Clayton, 02/10/2011  
Phelps, Charles Richard, 08/16/2011  
Weaver, Charles Eugene, 01/18/2011
- 615 – MORNINGSIDE**  
Behlers, Merlin Martin, 12/17/2011  
Burriss Jr., Merle Hershall, 07/12/2011  
Cornwell, Gordon Lyle, 12/05/2010  
Gilles, Robert Leonard, 10/05/2011  
Jessen, Robert John, 11/21/2011  
Keck, Donald Gene, 03/04/2011  
Martin, Eric Lee, 10/25/2011  
Mc Larty, Orville Eugene, 02/03/2011  
Nichols, Marvin Wayne, 04/17/2004  
Olson, John Robert, 06/04/2011  
Pierce Jr., Louis Franklin, 04/12/2011  
Schirm, Brian C, 04/03/2011  
Scholtes, James Peter, 05/20/2011  
Thacker Jr., Albert E, 07/27/2011  
Zook, Jon Kenneth, 10/05/2011
- 616 – FREMONT**  
Chapman Sr., Paul Lawrence, 02/25/2011  
Crist, Clifford Melvin, 08/31/2011  
Lawrence, Stanley Hugh, 06/12/2011  
Peterman, Terry Donald, 03/24/2011  
Rix, Robert L, 05/02/2011
- 618 – GEORGE WASHINGTON**  
Atterbury, S. Earl, 08/12/2011  
St Clair, Orville Stanley, 08/31/2011  
Tull, Richard Ray, 10/19/2011
- 624 – MARTIN**  
Albertson, Thomas Edwin, 01/06/2011  
Jackson, Argall L, 12/13/2011  
Johnson, Herbert N, 11/08/2011  
Kanosky, Herbert Bernard, 03/09/2011  
Main, Richard Eugene, 12/16/2011  
Mc Calley, John Albert, 06/09/2011  
Niedert, Edward L, 10/11/2011  
Peterson, Edmond Robert, 09/22/2011  
Smith, D. Berkeley, 08/10/2011  
Susong Sr., David Albert, 07/15/2011
- 626 – ROOSEVELT**  
Falconer, Floyd P, 06/06/2011  
Fosdyck, Lawrence Alan, 04/07/2011  
Greenwood, Gail M, 02/06/2011  
Karr, Richard Thomas, 09/06/2011  
Kennefick, John Vincent, 05/02/2011  
Riedesel, William George, 07/12/2011  
Sirota, Roger, 09/14/2011  
Taylor, John Leonard, 06/30/2009  
Thomas, Robert Eugene, 10/06/2011
- 628 – WELFARE**  
Lane, Kenneth Leroy, 05/20/2011  
Mc Clanahan, Loye E, 05/02/2010
- 630 – EAST GATE**  
Adams, Russell William, 01/21/2011  
Ballard, Lafe Laverne, 06/12/2011  
Mc Donald Jr., James, 03/03/2011  
Tannatt, Kermit A, 09/09/2011  
Taube, Frank Elson, 05/16/2011  
Traviss, R. Meyer, 01/09/2011  
Vermeulen, Wendell James, 08/23/2011  
Ware, Gerald Melvin, 09/26/2011  
Winegar, Harry Albert, 02/21/2011
- 631 – COBIA**  
Blodgett, David Watson, 12/10/2011  
Krabbe, Wade Harvey, 12/02/2011  
Lewis, Donald Quinn, 03/06/2011  
Madsen, Roger Edmund, 09/09/2009

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- 632 – ACANTHUS**  
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Anderson, Eugene Alvin, 01/29/2009  
Anderson, Roger Charles, 02/23/2011  
Benson, Donald Darrell, 05/08/2011  
Berard, David Houghton, 10/17/2011  
Canfield, Wesley Jay, 06/13/2011  
Carr Jr., Charles Ernwood, 10/15/2011  
Cartwright, Loren Walter, 12/15/2011  
Conkling, Frank Leroy, 03/07/2011  
Dimech, George, 05/26/2011  
Gardner, John, 04/19/2011  
Hart, Newell Kirby, 02/23/2011  
Hartley, Archibald Macdonald, 11/07/2011  
Hay, David Earl, 03/27/2010  
Hayes, Kenneth Wayne, 11/04/2011  
Iles, Charles Waddell, 12/25/2011  
Kellar Jr., Robert Dean, 08/16/2011  
Niles, George Edgar, 12/24/2011  
Page, Edwin C, 05/06/2011  
Sherwood, Robert Thomas, 05/07/2011  
Stewart, Addison Christopher, 01/22/2011  
Stone, Arnold Joseph, 06/08/2011  
Townsend, Raymond Theodore, 04/02/2011
- 633 – MOINGONA**  
Krist, Donald Eugene, 01/13/2011  
Lake, James Wayne, 12/01/2011  
Slinker Jr., Philip Dean, 02/14/2011  
Van Deusen Sr., Burton Erick, 07/15/2011
- 634 – WORKMAN**  
Proenneke, Keith Glen, 01/12/2011
- 636 – LOGIC**  
Marvin, William James, 05/13/2011
- 638 – PAUL REVERE**  
Allen, L. Keith, 09/11/2011  
Clyde, Terry Ray, 08/21/2011
- 639 – MIZPAH**  
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Edwards, Clarence Frank, 01/02/2011  
Lorimer, Harold L., 12/03/2011  
Moore, Lyle Claude, 04/20/2011  
Redmon, L. Dean, 02/11/2011  
Thoren, Ralph L., 10/19/2011
- 643 – TRIANGLE**  
Bonnell, Melvin Dale, 11/25/2011  
Hanneman, Donald George, 12/07/2011  
June, Marlo Stanley, 02/20/2011  
Pock, Richard Cole, 12/22/2010  
Stolen Jr., Vernon D., 11/08/2011  
Strunk, Harold Wayne, 01/17/2011
- 644 – COUNCIL**  
Fleming, James Lee, 02/07/2011  
Hoover, Jerry Lee, 04/17/2011  
White, Floyd, 08/24/2011
- 646 – HONOR**  
Christensen, Robert Lee, 08/17/2011  
Ericksen, Edward B., 01/14/2011
- 649 – HARDING**
- Geiler, Carlton Vae, 12/03/2011  
Kantaris, James George, 02/24/2011  
Shepherd Jr., Ralph S., 09/14/2011
- 650 – PATRIOT**  
Allen, Thomas James, 09/10/2011
- 654 – WAVELAND PARK**  
Bishop, Willard Leroy, 04/20/2011  
Brown, Robert Bentley, 07/25/2011  
Cochran, Clayton Levi, 10/15/2011  
Davis, Robert D., 05/14/2011  
Evans Jr., Harold Sulser 01/06/2011  
Hanson, Neil Henry, 02/02/2011  
Jones Jr., Edward Hamlin 02/24/2011  
Kaiser, Craig William, 05/09/2011  
Kinney, Thomas Russell, 02/11/2011  
Marquett, Mel Arthur, 01/10/2011  
Merritt, Ray M., 05/13/2011  
Mitchell, Dean Wade, 12/12/2011  
Rice, Bobby Edward, 12/23/2011
- 657 – SOUTH GATE**  
Alber, Arthur Dale, 02/10/2011  
De Witt, Dean Lyle, 01/02/2011  
Horrigan, Daniel William, 09/27/2011  
Morris, Raymond Paul, 07/09/2011  
Smith, William Eugene, 04/02/2011  
Struve, Roger Dean, 06/14/2011  
Wamberg, James S., 12/11/2011  
Wilson, Burton Byrle, 07/28/2011
- 660 – DAYLIGHT**  
Benson, Franklin Dean, 08/25/2011
- 662 – NORTH RIVERSIDE**  
Cleveland, Willis Martin, 06/18/2011  
Franklin, Laurel Laveren, 02/13/2011  
Hanneman, Donald George, 12/07/2011  
Meyers, Joe I., 05/26/2011
- 664 – HAMILTON**  
Grauer, William S., 06/24/2011  
Kuska, Donald Eugene, 04/07/2011  
Madsen, Arne Dyrlov, 08/18/2011  
Melchert, Rudolph, 11/03/2011  
Norris, Ivan Norval, 02/12/2011  
Perrin, Donald Lloyd, 07/09/2011  
Reeves, Leo Howard, 06/12/2011  
Rynor, William Franklin, 07/02/2011  
Taylor, John Leland, 01/28/2011  
Van Theemsche, Charles Edward, 11/06/2011  
Winterlin, Laverne Charles, 02/25/2009
- 668 – CLARKSVILLE**  
Gardner, Wayne, 01/28/2011  
Smalley, Merrill Dean, 05/10/2011
- 672 – EARLY MORNING**  
Melchert, Rudolph, 11/03/2011
- 675 – BRUBAKER**  
Page, John Leroy, 01/16/2011
- 676 – KINGSTON**  
Penn, Russell Howard, 07/30/2011  
Petersen, Leo S., 03/01/2011
- 677 – CROSSROADS**  
Klemme, Jerome Aaron, 05/09/2011

**APPENDIX A**  
**STATISTICS**  
**of the**  
**GRAND LODGE OF IOWA**  
**and**  
**SUBORDINATE IOWA LODGES**  
  
**2011**



## LODGES ARRANGED BY TOWN

### KEY TO STATED MEETING NIGHT:

1, 2, 3, 4, means the number of the particular week in the month; M, Tu, W, Th, F, S, refers to the day of the week.  
Example -- 3 Tu would mean the third Tuesday of the month.

#### --- A ---

Adel (6) ..... 1 Tu ..... 80  
Adel ..... 2 M ..... 356  
Agency ..... 1 Tu ..... 21  
Albia ..... 2 M ..... 505  
Albion (3) ..... 1 W ..... 268  
Algona ..... 2 Th ..... 205  
Alta ..... 2 M ..... 408  
Altoona ..... 2 W ..... 407  
Ames ..... 1 Th ..... 249  
Anamosa ..... 2 Th ..... 46  
Anita ..... 2 Tu ..... 380  
Ankeny ..... 1 Tu ..... 636  
Anthon ..... 1 Th ..... 550  
Arthur ..... 2 Th ..... 398  
Arthur ..... 2 Tu ..... 611  
Atlantic (3, 5) ..... 1 M ..... 271  
Attica ..... 3 W ..... 229  
Audubon ..... 1 M ..... 392  
Avoca (5) ..... 1 M ..... 297

#### --- B ---

Batavia ..... 2 F ..... 198  
Baxter ..... 2 Tu ..... 520  
Bedford ..... 2 Th ..... 156  
Belle Plaine ..... 2 W ..... 175  
Bellevue ..... 3 M ..... 51  
Bettendorf ..... 1 Tu ..... 664  
Bettendorf ..... 2 S ..... 672  
Blanchard ..... 1 Th ..... 405  
Boone (6) ..... 1 Tu ..... 79  
Brighton ..... 1 Th ..... 613  
Bristol (3) ..... 1 Tu ..... 498  
Burlington (6) ..... 1 M ..... 1  
Burlington ..... 2 Tu ..... 318  
Burlington (20) ..... 4 Th ..... 650  
Bussey ..... 1 W ..... 584

#### --- C ---

Camanche ..... 2 W ..... 60  
Carroll ..... 1 Th ..... 264  
Carson ..... 1 Th ..... 430  
Casey ..... 1 Th ..... 283  
Cedar Falls ..... 2 M ..... 65  
Cedar Rapids (5) ... 1 M ..... 25  
Cedar Rapids (4) ... 1 Th ..... 263  
Cedar Rapids (21, 3) 1 W ..... 639  
Cedar Rapids ..... 2 Tu ..... 665  
Cedar Rapids (3) ... 4 Tu ..... 676  
Centerville ..... 1 Th ..... 42  
Central City ..... 1 W ..... 284  
Chariton (14) ..... 1 Th ..... 63  
Cherokee (3) ..... 2 W ..... 307  
Cincinnati ..... 2 Tu ..... 504  
Clarinda ..... 2 Th ..... 140  
Clarion ..... 2 Tu ..... 325  
Clear Lake ..... 3 Th ..... 679  
Clermont ..... 3 Th ..... 160  
Clinton ..... 1 W ..... 93  
Clinton ..... 2 M ..... 100  
Clinton ..... 1 Tu ..... 255  
Coggon ..... 2 M ..... 523  
Colesburg ..... 2 Th ..... 67  
Colo ..... 1 Th ..... 292

Columbus City ..... 3 Th ..... 107  
Coralville ..... 1 M ..... 668  
Corning ..... 2 M ..... 275  
Corydon (3) ..... 2 W ..... 91  
Council Bluffs (8) ... 2 W ..... 71  
Council Bluffs ..... 2 M ..... 259  
Council Bluffs ..... 2 Tu ..... 631  
Creston ..... 2 M ..... 522

#### --- D ---

Danville ..... 2 Tu ..... 48  
Davenport (5) ..... 1 M ..... 37  
Davenport ..... 1 Tu ..... 208  
Davenport (9) ..... 1 Th ..... 221  
Davenport (4) ..... 1 Th ..... 626  
Davenport ..... 3 M ..... 675  
Decorah ..... 2 M ..... 181  
Denison ..... 1 Tu ..... 507  
Des Moines ..... 2 W ..... 22  
Des Moines ..... 2 Tu ..... 110  
Des Moines ..... 3 Tu ..... 592  
Des Moines ..... 2 W ..... 630  
Des Moines ..... 2 M ..... 632  
Des Moines ..... 1 Th ..... 657  
Des Moines (9) ..... 1 Th ..... 660  
Des Moines (25) ..... 4 F ..... 678  
DeWitt (20) ..... 4 Th ..... 677  
Dike (16) ..... 4 M ..... 646  
Donnellson ..... 1 Tu ..... 618  
Douds ..... 2 M ..... 413  
Dubuque (19) ..... 3 Th ..... 3  
Dubuque ..... 1 Th ..... 49  
Dubuque ..... 2 Tu ..... 125  
Dubuque ..... 2 F ..... 673  
Dysart ..... 1 M ..... 393

#### --- E ---

Eagle Grove ..... 2 Th ..... 464  
Eddyville ..... 2 Tu ..... 74  
Eldon (22) ..... 2 M ..... 480  
Eldora (8) ..... 3 W ..... 117  
Elkader ..... 3 M ..... 72  
Emerson (9) ..... 1 Th ..... 378  
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Glenwood ..... 2 Th ..... 58  
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Hartford ..... 1 Th ..... 83  
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 Springville (3) ..... 2 M ..... 139  
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**Footnote for Lodges Arranged by Towns**

- 1 Last Friday except November and December, then third Friday.
- 2 Except January 1 and July 4, then one week later.
- 3 Except July and August.
- 4 Except if legal holidays, then no meeting.
- 5 Except if legal holiday, then second Monday.
- 6 Except if legal holiday, then following Tuesday.
- 7 Except if legal holiday, then one week after first Monday.
- 8 Except if Grand Lodge or a legal holiday conflicts, then fourth Wednesday.
- 9 Except if legal holiday, then second Thursday.
- 10 First Friday after first Thursday.
- 11 Except if legal holiday, then third Monday.
- 12 Except June and July.
- 13 Except January through March.
- 14 Except New Year's Day, or July 3 or 4, then following Thursday.
- 15 Except if legal holiday, then following Friday.
- 16 Except December.
- 17 Except January.
- 18 Except December, then Second Wednesday.

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- 19 Except September, if Grand Lodge or a legal holiday conflicts, then second Thursday.  
 20 Last Thursday except November then third Thursday. No meeting in December.  
 21 Except if legal holiday, then following Wednesday.  
 22 Except if legal holiday, then day after.  
 23 Except February.  
 24 Except Labor Day, then following Monday.  
 25 Meetings held on the fourth Friday of January, March, May, June, September, and November. The November Stated Meeting will occur on the third Friday of the month.  
 26 Except June, July, and August.

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|------------|----------------|----------------|---------------|---------------------------|----------------------|
| 1          | Des Moines     | Burlington     | Des Moines    | Laverne G. Goos           | James M. Dixon       |
| 2          | Iowa           | Muscatine      | Muscatine     | Frederick R. Kaufman      | Robert R. Richmond   |
| 3          | Dubuque        | Dubuque        | Dubuque       | David H. Patton           | Jack H. Smeltzer     |
| 4          | Iowa City      | Iowa City      | Johnson       | Daniel J. Fuhrmeister     | Kevin R. Smith       |
| 5          | Wapello        | Wapello        | Louisa        | Adam D. Parsons           | John H. Gipple       |
| 6          | Marion         | Marion         | Linn          | Steven R. Nelsen          | Dale G. Roberge II   |
| 8          | Mount Pleasant | Mount Pleasant | Henry         | Kenneth K. Huffaker       | David L. Loving      |
| 10         | Keosauqua      | Keosauqua      | Van Buren     | Roger W. Gaston           | Ken M. Hornbaker     |
| 11         | Cedar          | Tipton         | Cedar         | Gregory A. Royer          | Larry A. Martens     |
| 13         | Claypoole      | Fort Madison   | Lee           |                           | Lane L. Zirkel       |
| 15         | Clinton        | Fairfield      | Jefferson     | Walter E. Hill            | Eugene L. Copeland   |
| 16         | Ottumwa        | Ottumwa        | Wapello       | Charles A. Wilt           | Frank V. Wilson      |
| 21         | Olive Branch   | Agency         | Wapello       | Charles L. "Chod" Cremer  | Michael D. Mc Millin |
| 22         | Pioneer        | Des Moines     | Polk          | Cleon C. Babcock          | Dennis D. Waddill    |
| 24         | Golden Rule    | Rochester      | Cedar         | Edward B. "Ted" Glenney   | Paul F. Hain, Jr.    |
| 25         | Crescent       | Cedar Rapids   | Linn          | Kha N. Phan               | W. Stevens Elliott   |
| 26         | Washington     | Washington     | Washington    | Howard R. Jones           | W. Harry Rader       |
| 28         | New London     | New London     | Henry         | Sidney R. Schmidt         | Gary D. Dockendorf   |
| 29         | Keokuk         | Keokuk         | Lee           | Charles A. Williams       | Charles F. Anschutz  |
| 36         | Helion         | Maquoketa      | Jackson       | Jerry D. Barnes           | Michael F. Percy     |
| 37         | Davenport      | Davenport      | Scott         | Lawrence L. Boeckmann     | James A. Goetsch     |
| 38         | Richland       | Richland       | Keokuk        | Caryl D. Cavnar, Jr.      | Melvin R. Maeder     |
| 42         | Jackson        | Centerville    | Appanoose     | Rick L. Butler            | Michael R. Coulter   |
| 43         | Evening Star   | Winterset      | Madison       | Thomas D. Baker           | Kenneth K. Collins   |
| 44         | Snow           | Le Claire      | Scott         | Vincent L. Ramsey, Jr.    | Lynn A. Broughton    |
| 46         | Anamosa        | Anamosa        | Jones         | Phillip S. Andrews        | Garret W. Cass       |
| 48         | Danville       | Danville       | Des Moines    | John R. Dockendorff IV    | Gary D. Dockendorff  |
| 49         | Metropolitan   | Dubuque        | Dubuque       | Jack L. Butler            | H. Samuel Phipps     |
| 51         | Bellevue       | Bellevue       | Jackson       | Delbert W. Jackson        | John M. Pitlo, Jr.   |
| 52         | Lafayette      | Montezuma      | Poweshiek     | John L. Fleming           | Richard V. Bowers    |
| 53         | Warren         | Indianola      | Warren        | David R. Brown            | Kim C. Abild         |
| 55         | Pella          | Pella          | Marion        | Elbert H. Van Gorp        | Dennis Langstraat    |
| 58         | Glenwood       | Glenwood       | Mills         | Leo D Mc Lain             | Neil W. Mc Pherron   |
| 59         | Newton         | Newton         | Jasper        | Dennis E. "Toby" Williams | Wade E. Sheeler      |
| 60         | Camanche       | Camanche       | Clinton       | Michael McDanel           | Albert R. McManus    |
| 61         | Oriental       | Knoxville      | Marion        | James W. Nichols          | Calvert L. Ball      |
| 62         | Vinton         | Vinton         | Benton        | Robert A. Moen            | Edwon G. Yedlik      |
| 63         | Chariton       | Chariton       | Lucas         | Jason W. Fenton           | Jack W. Szerensce    |
| 65         | Black Hawk     | Cedar Falls    | Black Hawk    | Jason M. Bumgarner        | Morden H. Mc Fadden  |
| 67         | Constellation  | Colesburg      | Delaware      | Duwane Phelps             | Frederick O. Phelps  |
| 69         | West Union     | West Union     | Fayette       | Luke A. Reicks            | James W. Boelman     |
| 71         | Bluff City     | Council Bluffs | Pottawattamie | Matthew A. Leet           | Forrest C. Peck      |

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| 72         | Elkader                 | Elkader        | Clayton       | Allen D. Mitchell     | Jay P. Moser                 |
| 74         | Eddyville               | Eddyville      | Wapello       | John R. Johnson       | Gerald F. (Gary) Bergman     |
| 77         | Osceola                 | Osceola        | Clarke        | Steven P. McKnight    | Ronald G. Harper             |
| 79         | Mount Olive             | Boone          | Boone         | David K. Aves         | David K. Christensen         |
| 80         | Adel                    | Adel           | Dallas        | Kendall B. DePue      | Robert R. Anderson           |
| 81         | Benton City             | Shellsburg     | Benton        | Jason R. Huber        | Larry E. Shears              |
| 83         | Hartford                | Hartford       | Warren        | Jarron P. McCaughery  | Nathan Lamb                  |
| 87         | Independence            | Independence   | Buchanan      | Seth S. Lorenz        | Edwin E. Armstead            |
| 91         | Corydon                 | Corydon        | Wayne         | Michael J. McGraw     | Matthew D. Clayton           |
| 93         | Lyons                   | Clinton        | Clinton       | Jeffrey M. Brown      | H. C. "Chris" Eichmeier, Jr. |
| 95         | Mount Calvary           | West Liberty   | Muscatine     | Leon A. Larson        | Maynard J. Smith             |
| 96         | Richmond                | Kalona         | Washington    | Steven D. Yotty       | Keith Davisson               |
| 99         | Nevada                  | Nevada         | Story         | Terry L. Burk         | Loren Heckathorne            |
| 100        | Western Star            | Clinton        | Clinton       | Aaron J. Mohr         | Rodney M. Alexander          |
| 102        | Osage                   | Osage          | Mitchell      | David A. Wetherell    | James R. Moody               |
| 103        | Landmark                | Sioux City     | Woodbury      | Kenneth G. Tendal     | John P. Riedesel             |
| 105        | Waterloo                | Waterloo       | Black Hawk    | Anthony Decker        | Andrew E. Schaffer           |
| 107        | Columbus City           | Columbus City  | Louisa        | Thomas J. Van Auken   | Howard D. Coil               |
| 108        | Marshall                | Marshalltown   | Marshall      | Kenneth A. Brickman   | Arthur G. Crandon            |
| 110        | Capital                 | Des Moines     | Polk          | Cecil H. Brewton, Jr. | Melvin L. Bancroft           |
| 111        | Ashlar                  | Fort Dodge     | Webster       | Dwight D. Trampel     | Daniel D. Brown              |
| 112        | Mount Vernon            | Mount Vernon   | Linn          | James W. Evans        | Clyde A. Perlenfein          |
| 115        | Star                    | Madrid         | Boone         | Steven A. Neff        | Kurtis L. Kruse              |
| 116        | Tyrrell                 | Waverly        | Bremer        | Marc M. DeBower       | Virgil B. Sell               |
| 117        | Montague                | Eldora         | Hardin        | Matthew L. Mesch      | Charles L. Edgerton          |
| 118        | Hiram of Tyre           | Tama           | Tama          | Dennis I. Mallory     | Eugene A. Anderson           |
| 120        | Adoniram                | Wayland        | Henry         | Darrell L. Smith      | Laverne P. Messer            |
| 121        | Panora                  | Panora         | Guthrie       | Timothy J. McClure    | Richard C. Ellis             |
| 123        | Orange                  | Guthrie Center | Guthrie       | Michael R. Thomas     | Robert L. Larson             |
| 125        | Mosaic                  | Dubuque        | Dubuque       | Thomas A. McKeon      | D. Keith Robertson           |
| 128        | Pleasant                | Pleasantville  | Marion        | Jason A. McVay        | Dennis W. De Joode           |
| 131        | Equity                  | Janesville     | Bremer        | Bradley C. Renner     | Gary W. Shaulis              |
| 136        | Joppa                   | Montrose       | Lee           |                       | Larry G. Peterson            |
| 139        | Springville             | Springville    | Linn          | Fred R. Hahn          | John A. Larison              |
| 140        | Nodaway                 | Clarinda       | Page          | Richard L. Humphrey   | Loren J. Pierce              |
| 141        | St. Charles-Cornerstone | Marble Rock    | Floyd         | Douglas E. King       | Ralph J. Hitchcock           |
| 145        | Benevolence             | Mason City     | Cerro Gordo   | Ronald W. Guthrie     | Robert L. Smith              |
| 147        | Prairie LaPorte         | Guttenberg     | Clayton       | David M. Brown, Jr.   | Dennis L. Hanna              |
| 153        | Nishnabotany            | Sidney         | Fremont       | Paul W. Beeler, Jr.   | Larry E. Gaylord             |
| 156        | Taylor                  | Bedford        | Taylor        | Edwin L. Hensley      | Gary D. Scroggie             |
| 159        | Morning Star            | Jefferson      | Greene        | John F. Schoening     | Douglas L. Tucker            |
| 160        | Clermont                | Clermont       | Fayette       | Everett F. Rowland    | William E. Ashby             |
| 162        | Red Oak                 | Red Oak        | Montgomery    | Darren M. Lassen      | Robert D. Samuelson          |
| 164        | Saint Clair             | Fairfax        | Linn          | Roy L. Schulze        | Louis W. Blackburn           |
| 165        | Manchester              | Manchester     | Delaware      | James H. Willey       | William D. Wallace           |
| 167        | Wilton                  | Wilton         | Muscatine     | Bruce G. LaCrosse     | Derwood G. Keith             |
| 168        | Farmers                 | Kinross        | Keokuk        | Brant Andreassen      | David B. Jackson             |
| 173        | Burns                   | Monticello     | Jones         | Robert R. Ganfield    | Randy L. Achenbach           |
| 174        | Poweshiek               | Malcom         | Poweshiek     | Edison Sharp, Jr.     | Robert L. Willett            |
| 175        | Hope                    | Belle Plaine   | Benton        | Roger L. Ochs         | Rodney A. Emerson            |
| 176        | Acacia                  | Webster City   | Hamilton      | Phillip Larson        | Keith A. Thomason            |
| 178        | Occidental              | Sac City       | Sac           | Steven J. Irwin       | Dale E. Duncan               |
| 179        | Faith                   | Mount Ayr      | Ringgold      | James I. Hullinger    | John A. (Jack) Cook          |

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| 181        | Great Lights     | Decorah         | Winneshiek    | Jon D. Sommermeyer      | Timothy J. Felton     |
| 182        | Webb             | Sigourney       | Keokuk        | Jim Campbell            | James L. Deitrich     |
| 189        | Emblem           | Davis City      | Decatur       | Larry D. Moffett        | Lawrence Opfer        |
| 191        | Anchor           | Hampton         | Franklin      | David Heyden            | Eric J. Wagner        |
| 192        | Mason's Home     | Iowa Falls      | Hardin        | Dennis L. Lutz, Jr.     | Franklin B. Ites      |
| 193        | Clay             | Lewisburg       | Wayne         | Ronald Lillie           | Dale M. Rickert       |
| 195        | Eastern Star     | Humboldt        | Humboldt      | Bradley G. Hart         | Norman B. Caldwell    |
| 198        | Kilwinning       | Batavia         | Jefferson     | John E. Brewington      | Russell H. Gottman    |
| 200        | Ancient Landmark | Olin            | Jones         | Randy L. Stolte         | Steve S. Klatt        |
| 204        | Brotherly Love   | Postville       | Allamakee     | W. H. "Bill" Armentrout | David J. Hartley      |
| 205        | Prudence         | Algona          | Kossuth       | Michael A. Nerison      | Robert R. Kent        |
| 208        | Trinity          | Davenport       | Scott         | Leonard Grutzmacher     | Donald K. Braafhart   |
| 212        | Unity            | Woodburn        | Clarke        | Clint D. Loghry         | Billie E. Chase       |
| 218        | Preston          | Prairie City    | Jasper        | Marvin D. Kendall       | Carl J. Van Der Kamp  |
| 221        | Fraternal        | Davenport       | Scott         | Curtis H. Brown         | Richard W. Skeppstedt |
| 222        | Siloam           | Jesup           | Buchanan      | Christopher L. Triplitt | Thomas P. Youngblut   |
| 223        | Vesper           | Onawa           | Monona        | Brett M. Niles          | Leland G. Hathaway    |
| 226        | Progress         | Mediapolis      | Des Moines    | Justin Loper            | Ralph P. Mercer       |
| 228        | Fidelity         | Humeston        | Wayne         | Marvin P. "Bill" Slagg  | Stephen L. Paugh      |
| 229        | Gavel            | Attica          | Marion        | James D. Force          | Oren E. Shobe         |
| 230        | Justice          | Ollie           | Keokuk        | B. H. "Bill" Northup    | Steve E. Connelly     |
| 232        | Valley           | Missouri Valley | Harrison      | Rodney L. Ortner        | C. Ray Pike           |
| 235        | Good Faith       | Winfield        | Henry         | Alan R. Buffington      | Michael E. Huston     |
| 249        | Arcadia          | Ames            | Story         | Steven R. Schroder      | John Core             |
| 252        | Antiquity        | Moravia         | Appanoose     | Monte M. McCoy          | Harold R. Rowley      |
| 255        | Emulation        | Clinton         | Clinton       | Albert R. McManus       | Rodney M. Alexander   |
| 259        | Excelsior        | Council Bluffs  | Pottawattamie | Daniel G. Boucher       | Robert E. Stender     |
| 263        | Mount Hermon     | Cedar Rapids    | Linn          | Chad L. Little          | Andrew D. Livin       |
| 264        | Signet           | Carroll         | Carroll       | Jason W. Bush           | Terry L. Augustus     |
| 266        | Northern Light   | Northwood       | Worth         | Michael D. Godfrey      | George D. Lindflott   |
| 268        | Damascus         | Albion          | Marshall      | Michael A. May, Jr.     | Tim Kelley            |
| 269        | Empire           | Ottumwa         | Wapello       | Curtis Richardson       | Charles A. Wilt       |
| 271        | Pymosa           | Atlantic        | Cass          | David J. York           | Randall L. Dill       |
| 273        | Hermon           | Grinnell        | Poweshiek     | Richard W. Gibson       | Ralph Eyberg          |
| 275        | Instruction      | Corning         | Adams         | Andy Lundquist          | Randall D. Olive      |
| 283        | Purity           | Casey           | Guthrie       | William L. Umbaugh      | Robert L. Larson      |
| 284        | Level            | Central City    | Linn          | Craig A. Trachta        | Leroy J. Soukup       |
| 285        | Plumb            | Siam            | Taylor        | Ronald E. Davison       | Michael F. Vardaman   |
| 290        | Canopy           | Oxford          | Johnson       | Michael C. Ryan         | Justin R. Wade        |
| 292        | Columbia         | Colo            | Story         | Carroll L. Stokesbury   | Donald L. Wilson      |
| 294        | Rock-Sirius      | Nora Springs    | Floyd         | William R. Davis        | Gerald R. Garl        |
| 297        | Mount Nebo       | Avoca           | Pottawattamie | Neil R. Paulsen         | Philip M. Hobus       |
| 299        | Otley            | Perry           | Dallas        | Richard E. Lowe         | D. David Pratt        |
| 301        | Neophyte         | New Virginia    | Warren        | Justin W. Strange       | Jerry L. Dunkin       |
| 303        | Rhodes           | Ogden           | Boone         | David K. Tolsdorf       | Gary D. Paulsen       |
| 307        | Speculative      | Cherokee        | Cherokee      | Kenneth L. Slater       | Phillip W. Kindwall   |
| 308        | Operative        | Polk City       | Polk          | Darrell G. Fremont      | James L. Trotter      |
| 312        | Evening Shade    | Spencer         | Clay          | Darrin K. Merrill       | Sam A. Harper         |
| 315        | Model            | Saint Charles   | Madison       | Travis J. Maxwell       | Timothy S. Palmer     |
| 317        | Sincerity        | Moulton         | Appanoose     | Arthur L. Graham        | Gordon S. Horn        |
| 318        | Malta            | Burlington      | Des Moines    | James M. Dixon          | Jacob R. Woodsmall    |
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| 325        | Cyrene       | Clarion         | Wright        | Chad A. Chapman       | Robert W. Brinton        |
| 329        | Twilight     | Spirit Lake     | Dickinson     | Kenneth Eckerman      | Paul M. Plumb            |
| 332        | Enterprise   | Sioux Rapids    | Buena Vista   | Ronald G. White       | Allen L. Sorenson        |
| 334        | Emerald      | Grundy Center   | Grundy        | David A. Robinson     | Jerry L. Cassidy         |
| 335        | Ark          | Oakland         | Pottawattamie |                       | James W. Johnson         |
| 336        | Mahaska      | New Sharon      | Mahaska       | Larry A. Wheeler      | Keith L. Miller          |
| 340        | Hesperia     | Traer           | Tama          | Robert S. "Sam" Young | Jay W. Owens             |
| 342        | Exodus       | Exira           | Audubon       | Bruce C. Hoegh        | David G. Best            |
| 347        | Abiff        | Sutherland      | O'Brien       | Kenneth B. Orthmann   | Edward D. Johannsen      |
| 356        | Delta        | Dallas Center   | Dallas        | Cary J. Lane, Jr.     | Steve Phillips           |
| 364        | Fidelitas    | Fairfax         | Linn          | Steven F. Borders     | Mike Davisson            |
| 369        | Haggai       | Glidden         | Carroll       | Robert A. Linde       | Rodney A. Conner         |
| 370        | Home         | Des Moines      | Polk          | William E. Polson III | Robert H. "Bud" Erickson |
| 374        | Hebron       | Oelwein         | Fayette       | Gordon J. Huffman     | William C. Stocks        |
| 378        | Humanity     | Emerson         | Mills         | Michael J. Crouse     | Charles W. Moyers        |
| 380        | Obedience    | Anita           | Cass          | David W. Passehl      | James C. Dory            |
| 381        | Wapsinonoc   | West Branch     | Cedar         | Jonathan English      | Alan R. Bohanan          |
| 386        | Crusade      | Greenfield      | Adair         | John J. Bruns         | Larry J. Vandewater      |
| 391        | Stellapolis  | Williamsburg    | Iowa          | Russell J. Smolik     | Grover M. Davis          |
| 392        | Veritas      | Audubon         | Audubon       |                       | Kenneth L. Burns         |
| 393        | Ascalon      | Dysart          | Tama          | Marvin W. Brecher     | Scott C. Wandschneider   |
| 394        | Coin         | Reinbeck        | Grundy        | Frank L. Wyatt        | Wayne E. Hasek           |
| 398        | Wheeler      | Arthur          | Sac           | Jeffrey K. McDonough  | V. William Carlson       |
| 399        | Earnest      | Emmetsburg      | Palo Alto     | Richard I. Henrich    | Keith L. Bare            |
| 405        | Emmanuel     | Blanchard       | Page          | Edward A. Hascall     | Donald E. Ripley         |
| 406        | Border       | Rock Rapids     | Lyon          | Daniel P. Christensen | Lawrence D. Lupkes       |
| 407        | King David   | Altoona         | Polk          | Troy I. Jennings      | Donald R. Sardeson       |
| 408        | Pomegranate  | Alta            | Buena Vista   | Randy L. Crampton     | Neil E. Patten           |
| 409        | Milan        | Indianola       | Warren        | Paul E. Lawrence      | Bill E. Shields          |
| 412        | Cass         | Griswold        | Cass          | Lawrence S. Jones     | Kim A. Kemp              |
| 413        | Celestial    | Douds           | Van Buren     | Robert C. Pedrick     | James A. Pedrick         |
| 419        | Onyx         | Sanborn         | O'Brien       | J. Byron Foster       | James W. Morfitt         |
| 420        | Chrysolite   | Logan           | Harrison      | Richard D. Dilley     | Dennis L. Crum           |
| 422        | Diamond      | Vail            | Crawford      | Marlin G. Aschinger   | Royce A. Noelck          |
| 430        | Coral        | Carson          | Pottawattamie |                       | Joseph S. Riddle         |
| 434        | Freedom      | LeMars          | Plymouth      | Daniel A. Landsness   | Jason J. Moore           |
| 435        | Zealous      | Oxford Junction | Jones         | Howard Hunt Jr.       | Rex McCreight            |
| 436        | Olivet       | Gladbrook       | Tama          | David L. Buskohl      | Barry R. Reese           |
| 438        | Topaz        | Kellerton       | Ringgold      | Monte Akers           | Terry Barnes             |
| 440        | Stella       | Fort Madison    | Lee           | Raymond H. Holt       |                          |
| 444        | Sardius      | Irwin           | Shelby        | Norman R. Campbell    | Donald D. Ferry          |
| 447        | North Star   | Estherville     | Emmet         | Loran W. Miles        | Phillip C. Johnson       |
| 448        | Faithful     | Runnells        | Polk          | Benjamin L. Altes     | Lester C. Fleming        |
| 450        | Manual       | Manning         | Carroll       | Steven A. Wiese       | Ronald H. Frahm          |
| 454        | Peaceful     | Woodward        | Dallas        | Lucas L. Gillmore     | Paul C. Thompson         |
| 464        | Bower        | Eagle Grove     | Wright        | Jeffrey J. Neighbors  | Adam W. Clemens          |
| 470        | Cosmos       | Kingsley        | Plymouth      | Kerry E. Thomas       | Ronald R. Carlson        |
| 471        | Alpine       | Holstein        | Ida           | Michael L. Pickett    | James J. Clausen         |
| 478        | Twin Lakes   | Rockwell City   | Calhoun       | James O. Kangley      | Dennis R. Mc Kenney      |
| 480        | New Hope     | Eldon           | Wapello       | Alfred K. Stansberry  | James J. "Joe" Goudy     |
| 482        | Gloaming     | Milford         | Dickinson     | Robert A. Glover      | Norman D. Winter         |
| 487        | Highland     | Ruthven         | Palo Alto     | Darrel E. Reid        | Peter D. Hansen          |
| 492        | Grove        | Marne           | Cass          | Russell K. Hansen     | Alan L. Cranston         |

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| 498        | Vulcan             | Bristow         | Butler        | Scott W. Miller          | Joseph M. Barber        |
| 502        | Attica             | Sloan           | Woodbury      | Larry L. Hunt            | Royce G. Mc Guire       |
| 504        | Prosperity         | Cincinnati      | Appanoose     |                          | William F. Bostwick     |
| 505        | Astor              | Albia           | Monroe        | Jeremiah J. Reinhart     | Raymond C. Reeves       |
| 506        | Rose               | Gowrie          | Webster       | Steven R. Lane           | Rodney L. Meyer         |
| 507        | Sylvan             | Denison         | Crawford      | Edwin R. Schau           | Kenneth L. Davis        |
| 508        | Tyrian             | Sioux City      | Woodbury      | Charles D. Yates         | Mark R. Wahlberg        |
| 509        | West Gate-Adelphic | Windsor Heights | Polk          | Terrell A. Taylor        | Clifford W. Neufeld     |
| 519        | Grace              | Laurens         | Pocahontas    | Fred Blake Perkins       | Kevin H. Dubbert        |
| 520        | Unit               | Baxter          | Jasper        | Eric B. Leonard          | Jerry J. Wahl           |
| 521        | Little Sioux       | Washta          | Cherokee      | Nels W. Johnson          | Gerald D. Brown         |
| 522        | Crest City         | Creston         | Union         | James E. Norman          | Floyd W. Nesbit         |
| 523        | Mecca              | Coggon          | Linn          | Vaughn E. Mc Clelland    | David A. Moeller        |
| 527        | Silver Lake        | Lake Park       | Dickinson     | Benjamin Clark           | Wilfred L. Byers        |
| 532        | Trial              | Moville         | Woodbury      | Kelly E. Walker          | Raymond E. Clause       |
| 535        | Abner              | Lone Tree       | Johnson       | Ronald D. Krueger        | Lester I. Bell          |
| 537        | Floyd              | Orange City     | Sioux         | Thomas M. Jeneary        | Dave Vander Wel         |
| 538        | Viona              | Renwick         | Humboldt      | Bernard A. Nelson        | Jeff S. Fankhauser      |
| 541        | Belmont            | Hillsboro       | Henry         | Bruce A. Whitaker        | William D. Whitaker     |
| 548        | Trojan             | Marion          | Linn          | Charles R. Kutin         | James E. Henderson      |
| 549        | Fellowship         | Sharon Center   | Johnson       | Phillip E. Winborn       | Larry D. Culver         |
| 550        | Cerulean           | Anthon          | Woodbury      | Lyle O. Schram           | Marvin C. Hanson        |
| 551        | Julien             | Farley          | Dubuque       | Charles E. Hawkins       | Donald E. Giesemann     |
| 555        | Circle             | Prescott        | Adams         | William L. Preston       | Byron C. Brown          |
| 561        | Full Moon          | Melbourne       | Marshall      | Anthony L. Oxley         | James F. White          |
| 562        | Weston             | Whiting         | Monona        | Jeffery C. Fiscus        | Larry A. Waugh          |
| 569        | Amber              | Quick           | Pottawattamie | Donald D. Casson II      | Emmett E. Dofner, Jr.   |
| 576        | Kohinoor           | Story City      | Story         | Marcus J. Soderstrum     | William J. Tjernagel    |
| 577        | Gnemeth            | West Des Moines | Polk          | William L. Farlow        | Guy A. Johnson          |
| 584        | Integrity          | Bussey          | Marion        | Kelly Pinegar            | Woodrow Spaur, Jr.      |
| 588        | Walnut             | Mystic          | Appanoose     | David Vinzant            | Arthur V. Bates         |
| 590        | Iroquois           | Nodaway         | Adams         | Relp E. Neill            | Randall D. Olive        |
| 592        | Auburn-Union Park  | Des Moines      | Polk          | Roland F. Kouski, Jr.    | Douglas S. Redhead      |
| 593        | Holman             | Rowley          | Buchanan      | Richard P. Wiese         | Gary L. Humes           |
| 594        | Solomon            | Lamont          | Buchanan      | N. William Porter        | Ray E. Rardin           |
| 595        | Golden Leaf        | Manilla         | Crawford      | Patrick C. Miller        | A. Lyle Miller          |
| 597        | Nekoda             | Lohrville       | Calhoun       | Arthur D. "Butch" Parker | Larry A. Irwin          |
| 607        | Rutland            | Pierson         | Woodbury      | Merlyn Hansen            | John D. (Jack) Burright |
| 609        | Mirza              | Pilot Mound     | Boone         | Kevin T. Christians      | Daniel M. Baker         |
| 611        | Ben Hur            | Arthur          | Ida           | James R. Wellendorf      | Jeffrey L. Stevenson    |
| 613        | Naaman             | Brighton        | Washington    | Franklin E. Neff         | Russell L. Payne        |
| 615        | Morningside        | Sioux City      | Woodbury      | Damon K. Lohry           | F. Gordon Berry         |
| 616        | Fremont            | Stanwood        | Cedar         | David J. Detwiler        | Wendell H. Wanek        |
| 618        | George Washington  | Donnellson      | Lee           | Alvin Krebill            | William L. Dahms        |
| 624        | Martin             | Waterloo        | Black Hawk    | James Heimback           | Jons C. Olsson          |
| 626        | Roosevelt          | Davenport       | Scott         | Daniel R. Levsen         | Wayne M. Hean           |
| 628        | Welfare            | Norwalk         | Warren        | Jerry L. Luedtke         | Mark D. Low             |
| 630        | East Gate          | Des Moines      | Polk          | Daniel Flaherty          | Steven R. Green         |
| 631        | Cobia              | Council Bluffs  | Pottawattamie | Ronald S. Payne          | John M. Hauser          |
| 632        | Acanthus           | Des Moines      | Polk          | James T. Ford            | Benjamin J. Mayer       |
| 633        | Moingona           | Windsor Heights | Polk          | Charles W. Jackman       | Thomas E. H. Gruis      |
| 634        | Workman            | Stockport       | Van Buren     | Richard D. Brombaugh     | George F. Askew         |
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| 638        | Paul Revere       | Lucas           | Lucas         | James J. Stroud       | Daniel G. Morrett     |
| 639        | Mizpah            | Cedar Rapids    | Linn          | Joel B. Grier         | Donald L. Speer       |
| 643        | Triangle          | Sioux City      | Woodbury      | Daniel J. Priestley   | Jeffrey L. Fulton     |
| 644        | Tri-Council       | Oskaloosa       | Mahaska       | Morgan C. Vanderwilt  | Charles S. Morgan     |
| 645        | Tarkio            | Stanton         | Montgomery    | Randolph Lewellen     | David L. Dunn         |
| 646        | Honor             | Dike            | Grundy        | Thomas C. Rich        | John L. Mc Carter     |
| 649        | Harding           | Mason City      | Cerro Gordo   | David S. Morehouse    | Steven C. Lames       |
| 650        | Patriot           | Burlington      | Des Moines    | Danny L. Sweezer      | Jacob R. Woodsmall    |
| 654        | Waveland Park     | Windsor Heights | Polk          | Michael A. Thompson   | Douglas L. Stephenson |
| 657        | South Gate        | Des Moines      | Polk          | Jason R. Henness      | Michael R. Jensen     |
| 660        | Daylight          | Des Moines      | Polk          | Hollie F. Smith       | Eldon F. Walton       |
| 662        | North Riverside   | Sioux City      | Woodbury      | Gary M. Herbst        | Sheldon J. Menin      |
| 664        | Hamilton          | Bettendorf      | Scott         | Realff H. Ottesen     | John J. Ortega        |
| 665        | Bruce             | Cedar Rapids    | Linn          |                       | Richard E. Eidemiller |
| 668        | Clarksville       | Coralville      | Johnson       | Keith A. Jones        | Robert L. Woodburn    |
| 672        | Early Morning     | Bettendorf      | Scott         | Johan A. Muller       | Realff H. Ottesen     |
| 673        | Tri-State Morning | Dubuque         | Dubuque       | Michael G. Mudrey Jr. | David C. Stuart       |
| 675        | Brubaker          | Davenport       | Scott         | Dennis M. Zahrt       | Robert J. Holliday    |
| 676        | Kingston          | Cedar Rapids    | Linn          | Donald E. Mosier      | Tim S. Anderson       |
| 677        | Crossroads        | De Witt         | Clinton       | Richard L. Bowersox   | Lynn A. Broughton     |
| 678        | Specialis Procer  | Des Moines      | Polk          | Kevin T. Christians   | Matthew A. Noble      |
| 679        | Traveler          | Clear Lake      | Cerro Gordo   | James A. Murphy       | Chad E. Clapper       |



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|-----------|------------------|-----------|--------|--------|-------------------|------------------|----------|----------------|------|----------|--------------|----------|-------|----------------|--------|--------|----------------|
| 1         | 86               | 12        | 12     | 12     | 0                 | 0                | 2        | 14             | 8    | 1        | 0            | 8        | 0     | 17             | 14     | 69     | 83             |
| 2         | 140              | 0         | 0      | 0      | 0                 | 0                | 0        | 0              | 5    | 0        | 1            | 1        | 0     | 7              | 4      | 129    | 133            |
| 3         | 50               | 8         | 8      | 5      | 0                 | 0                | 0        | 5              | 0    | 1        | 0            | 1        | 0     | 2              | 8      | 45     | 53             |
| 4         | 131              | 11        | 9      | 8      | 1                 | 4                | 11       | 24             | 5    | 1        | 1            | 18       | 0     | 25             | 25     | 105    | 130            |
| 5         | 63               | 0         | 0      | 0      | 0                 | 0                | 0        | 0              | 1    | 0        | 0            | 1        | 0     | 2              | 3      | 58     | 61             |
| 6         | 136              | 4         | 6      | 9      | 0                 | 1                | 1        | 11             | 3    | 3        | 1            | 4        | 0     | 11             | 13     | 123    | 136            |
| 8         | 77               | 2         | 2      | 2      | 1                 | 0                | 0        | 3              | 2    | 1        | 0            | 1        | 0     | 4              | 2      | 74     | 76             |
| 10        | 66               | 0         | 0      | 0      | 0                 | 0                | 0        | 0              | 3    | 0        | 0            | 0        | 0     | 3              | 5      | 58     | 63             |
| 11        | 57               | 1         | 1      | 1      | 0                 | 0                | 0        | 1              | 1    | 0        | 0            | 4        | 0     | 5              | 4      | 49     | 53             |
| 13        | 56               | 9         | 9      | 9      | 0                 | 0                | 0        | 9              | 3    | 0        | 0            | 1        | 0     | 4              | 5      | 56     | 61             |
| 15        | 98               | 4         | 4      | 3      | 0                 | 0                | 0        | 3              | 2    | 0        | 0            | 5        | 0     | 7              | 5      | 89     | 94             |
| 16        | 181              | 4         | 3      | 3      | 0                 | 0                | 2        | 5              | 6    | 2        | 0            | 7        | 0     | 15             | 17     | 154    | 171            |
| 18        | 67               | 0         | 0      | 0      | 0                 | 0                | 0        | 0              | 9    | 0        | 0            | 3        | 0     | 12             | 7      | 48     | 55             |
| 21        | 50               | 5         | 4      | 4      | 0                 | 0                | 0        | 4              | 2    | 1        | 0            | 1        | 0     | 4              | 2      | 48     | 50             |
| 22        | 118              | 2         | 2      | 2      | 0                 | 1                | 0        | 3              | 13   | 0        | 0            | 0        | 0     | 13             | 9      | 99     | 108            |
| 24        | 42               | 1         | 1      | 1      | 0                 | 0                | 0        | 1              | 0    | 0        | 0            | 0        | 0     | 0              | 10     | 33     | 43             |
| 25        | 186              | 2         | 2      | 1      | 2                 | 2                | 0        | 5              | 6    | 0        | 0            | 10       | 1     | 17             | 13     | 161    | 174            |
| 26        | 140              | 1         | 1      | 1      | 22                | 0                | 0        | 23             | 8    | 1        | 0            | 5        | 0     | 14             | 6      | 143    | 149            |
| 28        | 55               | 1         | 1      | 1      | 0                 | 0                | 1        | 2              | 2    | 0        | 0            | 0        | 0     | 2              | 3      | 52     | 55             |
| 29        | 99               | 2         | 2      | 2      | 0                 | 0                | 0        | 2              | 4    | 0        | 0            | 4        | 0     | 8              | 5      | 88     | 93             |
| 36        | 72               | 2         | 2      | 2      | 0                 | 0                | 0        | 2              | 1    | 0        | 0            | 0        | 0     | 1              | 1      | 72     | 73             |
| 37        | 168              | 0         | 0      | 0      | 0                 | 0                | 4        | 4              | 8    | 2        | 0            | 10       | 0     | 20             | 12     | 140    | 152            |
| 38        | 24               | 0         | 0      | 0      | 0                 | 0                | 0        | 0              | 0    | 0        | 0            | 0        | 0     | 0              | 0      | 24     | 24             |
| 42        | 86               | 1         | 0      | 0      | 0                 | 1                | 0        | 1              | 3    | 0        | 0            | 1        | 0     | 4              | 10     | 73     | 83             |
| 43        | 94               | 0         | 0      | 1      | 0                 | 0                | 2        | 3              | 4    | 1        | 0            | 3        | 2     | 10             | 3      | 84     | 87             |
| 44        | 97               | 1         | 3      | 4      | 0                 | 2                | 2        | 8              | 4    | 0        | 0            | 16       | 0     | 20             | 21     | 64     | 85             |
| 46        | 59               | 2         | 2      | 2      | 0                 | 0                | 0        | 2              | 3    | 0        | 0            | 0        | 0     | 3              | 5      | 53     | 58             |
| 48        | 31               | 0         | 1      | 1      | 0                 | 0                | 0        | 1              | 1    | 1        | 0            | 0        | 0     | 2              | 4      | 26     | 30             |
| 49        | 98               | 1         | 4      | 4      | 0                 | 1                | 0        | 5              | 2    | 0        | 0            | 0        | 0     | 2              | 18     | 83     | 101            |
| 51        | 86               | 0         | 0      | 0      | 0                 | 0                | 0        | 0              | 5    | 0        | 0            | 0        | 0     | 5              | 8      | 73     | 81             |
| 52        | 59               | 2         | 2      | 2      | 0                 | 0                | 0        | 2              | 2    | 0        | 0            | 0        | 0     | 2              | 7      | 52     | 59             |

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| 53        | 108              | 4         | 4      | 4      | 1                 | 0                | 1        | 6              | 5    | 0        | 0            | 3        | 0     | 8              | 5      | 101    | 106            |
| 55        | 58               | 1         | 1      | 1      | 0                 | 0                | 2        | 3              | 0    | 0        | 1            | 7        | 0     | 8              | 7      | 46     | 53             |
| 58        | 42               | 0         | 0      | 0      | 0                 | 0                | 0        | 0              | 7    | 0        | 0            | 1        | 0     | 8              | 1      | 33     | 34             |
| 59        | 199              | 0         | 0      | 0      | 1                 | 0                | 0        | 1              | 10   | 0        | 0            | 0        | 0     | 10             | 19     | 171    | 190            |
| 60        | 105              | 3         | 3      | 3      | 0                 | 0                | 1        | 4              | 3    | 0        | 0            | 0        | 0     | 3              | 12     | 94     | 106            |
| 61        | 92               | 4         | 4      | 5      | 0                 | 2                | 1        | 8              | 5    | 0        | 1            | 4        | 0     | 10             | 8      | 82     | 90             |
| 62        | 57               | 2         | 2      | 2      | 0                 | 0                | 0        | 2              | 3    | 0        | 0            | 4        | 0     | 7              | 3      | 49     | 52             |
| 63        | 100              | 1         | 0      | 0      | 0                 | 0                | 1        | 1              | 9    | 0        | 0            | 6        | 0     | 15             | 6      | 80     | 86             |
| 65        | 239              | 1         | 1      | 1      | 1                 | 0                | 2        | 4              | 6    | 2        | 0            | 25       | 0     | 33             | 11     | 199    | 210            |
| 67        | 56               | 0         | 0      | 0      | 0                 | 0                | 0        | 0              | 1    | 0        | 0            | 0        | 0     | 1              | 1      | 54     | 55             |
| 69        | 123              | 2         | 2      | 1      | 1                 | 0                | 1        | 3              | 4    | 0        | 0            | 3        | 0     | 7              | 7      | 112    | 119            |
| 71        | 116              | 5         | 5      | 6      | 0                 | 0                | 0        | 6              | 3    | 1        | 0            | 3        | 0     | 7              | 10     | 105    | 115            |
| 72        | 76               | 2         | 2      | 2      | 0                 | 0                | 1        | 3              | 0    | 0        | 0            | 1        | 0     | 1              | 4      | 74     | 78             |
| 74        | 42               | 2         | 2      | 1      | 0                 | 0                | 0        | 1              | 3    | 0        | 0            | 8        | 0     | 11             | 9      | 23     | 32             |
| 77        | 97               | 3         | 4      | 4      | 7                 | 0                | 0        | 11             | 6    | 0        | 0            | 5        | 0     | 11             | 4      | 93     | 97             |
| 79        | 128              | 0         | 0      | 0      | 0                 | 0                | 0        | 0              | 9    | 0        | 0            | 0        | 0     | 9              | 12     | 107    | 119            |
| 80        | 90               | 2         | 2      | 2      | 0                 | 1                | 0        | 3              | 2    | 2        | 0            | 1        | 0     | 5              | 11     | 77     | 88             |
| 81        | 74               | 0         | 1      | 1      | 1                 | 1                | 0        | 3              | 4    | 0        | 0            | 0        | 0     | 4              | 7      | 66     | 73             |
| 83        | 47               | 1         | 0      | 0      | 40                | 0                | 0        | 40             | 3    | 0        | 1            | 1        | 0     | 5              | 6      | 76     | 82             |
| 87        | 72               | 0         | 0      | 0      | 0                 | 0                | 0        | 0              | 5    | 0        | 0            | 0        | 0     | 5              | 8      | 59     | 67             |
| 91        | 72               | 1         | 1      | 1      | 0                 | 0                | 0        | 1              | 3    | 0        | 0            | 0        | 0     | 3              | 1      | 69     | 70             |
| 93        | 103              | 2         | 2      | 2      | 1                 | 0                | 1        | 4              | 1    | 0        | 0            | 2        | 0     | 3              | 8      | 96     | 104            |
| 95        | 45               | 0         | 1      | 1      | 0                 | 1                | 2        | 4              | 1    | 1        | 0            | 1        | 0     | 3              | 2      | 44     | 46             |
| 96        | 17               | 0         | 0      | 0      | 0                 | 0                | 0        | 0              | 0    | 1        | 0            | 0        | 0     | 1              | 1      | 15     | 16             |
| 99        | 138              | 0         | 0      | 1      | 14                | 0                | 0        | 15             | 6    | 1        | 0            | 3        | 0     | 10             | 8      | 135    | 143            |
| 100       | 114              | 0         | 0      | 0      | 0                 | 0                | 0        | 0              | 1    | 0        | 0            | 2        | 0     | 3              | 5      | 106    | 111            |
| 102       | 49               | 0         | 0      | 0      | 0                 | 0                | 0        | 0              | 1    | 0        | 0            | 0        | 0     | 1              | 2      | 46     | 48             |
| 103       | 269              | 6         | 6      | 6      | 1                 | 0                | 4        | 11             | 11   | 0        | 0            | 18       | 0     | 29             | 18     | 233    | 251            |
| 105       | 154              | 3         | 3      | 4      | 0                 | 0                | 8        | 12             | 9    | 3        | 0            | 14       | 0     | 26             | 9      | 131    | 140            |
| 107       | 209              | 19        | 18     | 19     | 0                 | 0                | 3        | 22             | 5    | 0        | 0            | 7        | 0     | 12             | 4      | 215    | 219            |
| 108       | 143              | 7         | 6      | 6      | 0                 | 2                | 4        | 12             | 8    | 2        | 1            | 3        | 0     | 14             | 12     | 129    | 141            |

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| 110       | 130              | 4         | 3      | 4      | 0                 | 0                | 1        | 5              | 8    | 0        | 0            | 9        | 0     | 17             | 15     | 103    | 118            |
| 111       | 74               | 3         | 2      | 3      | 0                 | 0                | 1        | 4              | 5    | 1        | 0            | 2        | 0     | 8              | 2      | 68     | 70             |
| 112       | 63               | 1         | 1      | 2      | 0                 | 0                | 0        | 2              | 2    | 1        | 0            | 4        | 1     | 8              | 8      | 49     | 57             |
| 115       | 76               | 4         | 4      | 5      | 0                 | 0                | 2        | 7              | 3    | 1        | 0            | 1        | 0     | 5              | 8      | 70     | 78             |
| 116       | 104              | 1         | 1      | 1      | 0                 | 0                | 0        | 1              | 7    | 1        | 0            | 6        | 0     | 14             | 5      | 86     | 91             |
| 117       | 83               | 1         | 1      | 1      | 0                 | 0                | 1        | 2              | 4    | 0        | 1            | 1        | 0     | 6              | 5      | 74     | 79             |
| 118       | 61               | 5         | 3      | 3      | 0                 | 0                | 0        | 3              | 4    | 0        | 0            | 1        | 0     | 5              | 4      | 55     | 59             |
| 120       | 15               | 0         | 0      | 0      | 0                 | 0                | 0        | 0              | 2    | 0        | 0            | 0        | 0     | 2              | 3      | 10     | 13             |
| 121       | 95               | 5         | 4      | 4      | 1                 | 0                | 0        | 5              | 3    | 0        | 0            | 1        | 0     | 4              | 12     | 84     | 96             |
| 123       | 43               | 0         | 0      | 0      | 0                 | 0                | 0        | 0              | 2    | 0        | 0            | 0        | 0     | 2              | 4      | 37     | 41             |
| 125       | 73               | 0         | 0      | 2      | 0                 | 0                | 0        | 2              | 3    | 0        | 0            | 6        | 1     | 10             | 10     | 55     | 65             |
| 128       | 30               | 1         | 1      | 1      | 0                 | 0                | 1        | 2              | 3    | 0        | 0            | 0        | 0     | 3              | 2      | 27     | 29             |
| 131       | 48               | 3         | 3      | 3      | 0                 | 0                | 0        | 3              | 0    | 1        | 0            | 0        | 0     | 1              | 3      | 47     | 50             |
| 136       | 35               | 1         | 1      | 1      | 0                 | 1                | 0        | 2              | 2    | 0        | 0            | 0        | 0     | 2              | 6      | 29     | 35             |
| 139       | 62               | 4         | 5      | 5      | 0                 | 0                | 2        | 7              | 2    | 1        | 0            | 4        | 0     | 7              | 3      | 59     | 62             |
| 140       | 115              | 1         | 1      | 1      | 0                 | 0                | 3        | 4              | 3    | 1        | 0            | 7        | 0     | 11             | 7      | 101    | 108            |
| 141       | 41               | 4         | 4      | 4      | 0                 | 0                | 0        | 4              | 2    | 0        | 0            | 0        | 0     | 2              | 5      | 38     | 43             |
| 145       | 101              | 1         | 1      | 1      | 0                 | 1                | 1        | 3              | 7    | 0        | 0            | 0        | 0     | 7              | 5      | 92     | 97             |
| 147       | 33               | 0         | 0      | 0      | 0                 | 0                | 0        | 0              | 1    | 0        | 0            | 0        | 0     | 1              | 2      | 30     | 32             |
| 149       | 22               | 0         | 0      | 0      | 0                 | 0                | 0        | 0              | 0    | 22       | 0            | 0        | 0     | 22             | 0      | 0      | 0              |
| 153       | 132              | 0         | 0      | 0      | 1                 | 0                | 4        | 5              | 10   | 0        | 0            | 2        | 0     | 12             | 1      | 124    | 125            |
| 156       | 83               | 3         | 4      | 5      | 0                 | 1                | 0        | 6              | 2    | 0        | 0            | 3        | 0     | 5              | 3      | 81     | 84             |
| 159       | 68               | 0         | 0      | 0      | 1                 | 0                | 1        | 2              | 2    | 0        | 0            | 2        | 0     | 4              | 4      | 62     | 66             |
| 160       | 27               | 3         | 1      | 1      | 0                 | 0                | 0        | 1              | 1    | 1        | 0            | 2        | 0     | 4              | 1      | 23     | 24             |
| 162       | 41               | 1         | 1      | 1      | 0                 | 0                | 2        | 3              | 2    | 1        | 0            | 0        | 0     | 3              | 4      | 37     | 41             |
| 164       | 23               | 1         | 2      | 3      | 0                 | 0                | 0        | 3              | 1    | 0        | 0            | 0        | 0     | 1              | 0      | 25     | 25             |
| 165       | 56               | 0         | 0      | 0      | 0                 | 0                | 0        | 0              | 2    | 1        | 0            | 0        | 0     | 3              | 2      | 51     | 53             |
| 167       | 153              | 1         | 1      | 1      | 0                 | 0                | 5        | 6              | 6    | 0        | 0            | 5        | 0     | 11             | 14     | 134    | 148            |
| 168       | 36               | 6         | 5      | 4      | 1                 | 1                | 0        | 6              | 2    | 0        | 0            | 1        | 0     | 3              | 8      | 31     | 39             |
| 173       | 46               | 0         | 0      | 0      | 0                 | 0                | 0        | 0              | 2    | 0        | 0            | 2        | 0     | 4              | 2      | 40     | 42             |
| 174       | 57               | 3         | 5      | 5      | 26                | 0                | 0        | 31             | 1    | 2        | 0            | 1        | 0     | 4              | 6      | 78     | 84             |

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| 175       | 49               | 2         | 2      | 2      | 0                 | 0                | 0        | 2              | 2    | 0        | 0            | 0        | 0     | 2              | 2      | 47     | 49             |
| 176       | 57               | 2         | 2      | 1      | 1                 | 0                | 0        | 2              | 5    | 0        | 0            | 1        | 0     | 6              | 1      | 52     | 53             |
| 178       | 63               | 0         | 0      | 0      | 1                 | 0                | 0        | 1              | 5    | 0        | 0            | 0        | 0     | 5              | 5      | 54     | 59             |
| 179       | 107              | 1         | 1      | 3      | 2                 | 0                | 1        | 6              | 5    | 2        | 0            | 1        | 0     | 8              | 2      | 103    | 105            |
| 181       | 49               | 2         | 3      | 2      | 1                 | 0                | 1        | 4              | 3    | 2        | 0            | 0        | 0     | 5              | 4      | 44     | 48             |
| 182       | 79               | 1         | 1      | 3      | 0                 | 0                | 0        | 3              | 4    | 0        | 0            | 0        | 0     | 4              | 3      | 75     | 78             |
| 189       | 30               | 0         | 0      | 0      | 0                 | 0                | 0        | 0              | 2    | 0        | 0            | 0        | 0     | 2              | 1      | 27     | 28             |
| 191       | 52               | 0         | 0      | 0      | 0                 | 0                | 1        | 1              | 1    | 0        | 2            | 0        | 0     | 3              | 2      | 48     | 50             |
| 192       | 70               | 0         | 0      | 0      | 0                 | 0                | 1        | 1              | 4    | 1        | 0            | 2        | 0     | 7              | 1      | 63     | 64             |
| 193       | 27               | 2         | 1      | 1      | 0                 | 0                | 0        | 1              | 0    | 0        | 0            | 0        | 0     | 0              | 3      | 25     | 28             |
| 195       | 57               | 2         | 4      | 4      | 0                 | 0                | 0        | 4              | 2    | 0        | 0            | 0        | 0     | 2              | 2      | 57     | 59             |
| 197       | 36               | 0         | 0      | 0      | 0                 | 0                | 0        | 0              | 0    | 35       | 0            | 1        | 0     | 36             | 2      | -2     | 0              |
| 198       | 45               | 7         | 7      | 5      | 0                 | 0                | 0        | 5              | 2    | 0        | 0            | 1        | 0     | 3              | 1      | 46     | 47             |
| 200       | 62               | 2         | 1      | 1      | 0                 | 0                | 0        | 1              | 4    | 0        | 0            | 0        | 0     | 4              | 6      | 53     | 59             |
| 204       | 75               | 2         | 2      | 2      | 0                 | 0                | 0        | 2              | 2    | 0        | 0            | 0        | 0     | 2              | 2      | 73     | 75             |
| 205       | 94               | 0         | 0      | 0      | 0                 | 0                | 1        | 1              | 3    | 0        | 0            | 1        | 0     | 4              | 3      | 88     | 91             |
| 208       | 112              | 2         | 1      | 1      | 0                 | 0                | 0        | 1              | 9    | 1        | 0            | 0        | 0     | 10             | 12     | 91     | 103            |
| 212       | 29               | 3         | 3      | 1      | 0                 | 0                | 1        | 2              | 0    | 8        | 0            | 0        | 0     | 8              | 1      | 22     | 23             |
| 218       | 86               | 2         | 2      | 2      | 0                 | 0                | 0        | 2              | 3    | 0        | 0            | 0        | 0     | 3              | 6      | 79     | 85             |
| 221       | 157              | 4         | 4      | 6      | 0                 | 0                | 4        | 10             | 6    | 0        | 1            | 13       | 1     | 21             | 12     | 134    | 146            |
| 222       | 29               | 1         | 1      | 1      | 0                 | 0                | 0        | 1              | 2    | 0        | 0            | 0        | 0     | 2              | 8      | 20     | 28             |
| 223       | 120              | 2         | 3      | 3      | 0                 | 0                | 3        | 6              | 8    | 0        | 0            | 2        | 0     | 10             | 5      | 111    | 116            |
| 226       | 19               | 0         | 0      | 0      | 0                 | 0                | 0        | 0              | 2    | 0        | 0            | 0        | 0     | 2              | 1      | 16     | 17             |
| 228       | 47               | 1         | 1      | 1      | 0                 | 0                | 0        | 1              | 2    | 0        | 0            | 0        | 0     | 2              | 2      | 44     | 46             |
| 229       | 76               | 0         | 0      | 0      | 1                 | 0                | 1        | 2              | 2    | 3        | 0            | 2        | 0     | 7              | 8      | 63     | 71             |
| 230       | 75               | 0         | 0      | 0      | 0                 | 0                | 0        | 0              | 0    | 0        | 0            | 2        | 0     | 2              | 3      | 70     | 73             |
| 232       | 85               | 3         | 2      | 2      | 0                 | 0                | 0        | 2              | 1    | 0        | 0            | 1        | 0     | 2              | 4      | 81     | 85             |
| 235       | 51               | 6         | 4      | 4      | 0                 | 0                | 0        | 4              | 0    | 0        | 0            | 0        | 0     | 0              | 2      | 53     | 55             |
| 249       | 170              | 2         | 3      | 4      | 1                 | 0                | 4        | 9              | 6    | 4        | 0            | 9        | 0     | 19             | 12     | 148    | 160            |
| 252       | 62               | 1         | 1      | 1      | 1                 | 1                | 0        | 3              | 2    | 2        | 0            | 0        | 0     | 4              | 5      | 56     | 61             |
| 254       | 25               | 2         | 2      | 2      | 1                 | 0                | 0        | 3              | 1    | 23       | 2            | 2        | 0     | 28             | 1      | -1     | 0              |

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| 255       | 79               | 1         | 2      | 3      | 0                 | 1                | 0        | 4              | 10   | 0        | 0            | 1        | 0     | 11             | 8      | 64     | 72             |
| 259       | 116              | 0         | 0      | 0      | 0                 | 0                | 0        | 0              | 8    | 0        | 0            | 1        | 0     | 9              | 6      | 101    | 107            |
| 263       | 201              | 5         | 3      | 6      | 0                 | 1                | 8        | 15             | 11   | 4        | 0            | 13       | 0     | 28             | 10     | 178    | 188            |
| 264       | 83               | 3         | 2      | 2      | 57                | 1                | 0        | 60             | 3    | 0        | 0            | 3        | 0     | 6              | 10     | 127    | 137            |
| 266       | 43               | 0         | 0      | 0      | 0                 | 0                | 0        | 0              | 2    | 0        | 0            | 0        | 0     | 2              | 3      | 38     | 41             |
| 268       | 37               | 1         | 1      | 1      | 0                 | 0                | 0        | 1              | 3    | 0        | 0            | 0        | 0     | 3              | 4      | 31     | 35             |
| 269       | 113              | 1         | 1      | 1      | 0                 | 1                | 0        | 2              | 6    | 1        | 0            | 2        | 0     | 9              | 9      | 97     | 106            |
| 271       | 71               | 0         | 0      | 0      | 0                 | 1                | 0        | 1              | 0    | 0        | 0            | 1        | 0     | 1              | 6      | 65     | 71             |
| 273       | 100              | 3         | 2      | 2      | 0                 | 0                | 0        | 2              | 5    | 3        | 0            | 1        | 0     | 9              | 3      | 90     | 93             |
| 275       | 96               | 1         | 1      | 3      | 0                 | 0                | 2        | 5              | 2    | 0        | 0            | 7        | 0     | 9              | 5      | 87     | 92             |
| 283       | 19               | 0         | 0      | 0      | 0                 | 0                | 0        | 0              | 0    | 0        | 0            | 0        | 0     | 0              | 1      | 18     | 19             |
| 284       | 40               | 0         | 0      | 0      | 0                 | 0                | 0        | 0              | 1    | 0        | 0            | 0        | 0     | 1              | 3      | 36     | 39             |
| 285       | 40               | 2         | 3      | 3      | 1                 | 0                | 0        | 4              | 2    | 2        | 0            | 0        | 0     | 4              | 2      | 38     | 40             |
| 290       | 56               | 2         | 2      | 2      | 0                 | 0                | 0        | 2              | 1    | 0        | 0            | 0        | 1     | 2              | 2      | 54     | 56             |
| 292       | 25               | 0         | 0      | 0      | 0                 | 0                | 0        | 0              | 0    | 0        | 0            | 0        | 0     | 0              | 3      | 22     | 25             |
| 294       | 40               | 1         | 1      | 0      | 0                 | 0                | 0        | 0              | 1    | 0        | 0            | 1        | 0     | 2              | 5      | 33     | 38             |
| 297       | 61               | 8         | 8      | 8      | 0                 | 0                | 0        | 8              | 1    | 0        | 0            | 0        | 0     | 1              | 2      | 66     | 68             |
| 299       | 149              | 0         | 0      | 0      | 1                 | 0                | 0        | 1              | 8    | 5        | 0            | 6        | 0     | 19             | 6      | 125    | 131            |
| 301       | 31               | 0         | 0      | 0      | 0                 | 0                | 0        | 0              | 1    | 0        | 0            | 0        | 0     | 1              | 1      | 29     | 30             |
| 303       | 41               | 0         | 0      | 0      | 0                 | 0                | 1        | 1              | 2    | 1        | 0            | 0        | 0     | 3              | 3      | 36     | 39             |
| 307       | 93               | 1         | 0      | 0      | 0                 | 0                | 0        | 0              | 3    | 0        | 0            | 0        | 0     | 3              | 9      | 81     | 90             |
| 308       | 75               | 1         | 2      | 2      | 0                 | 1                | 3        | 6              | 3    | 1        | 0            | 8        | 0     | 12             | 18     | 51     | 69             |
| 312       | 209              | 7         | 7      | 7      | 0                 | 0                | 0        | 7              | 7    | 2        | 1            | 2        | 0     | 12             | 3      | 201    | 204            |
| 315       | 71               | 3         | 2      | 3      | 0                 | 0                | 1        | 4              | 2    | 0        | 0            | 1        | 0     | 3              | 1      | 71     | 72             |
| 317       | 20               | 0         | 0      | 0      | 0                 | 0                | 0        | 0              | 1    | 0        | 0            | 0        | 0     | 1              | 0      | 19     | 19             |
| 318       | 51               | 0         | 0      | 0      | 0                 | 2                | 0        | 2              | 2    | 0        | 0            | 0        | 0     | 2              | 11     | 40     | 51             |
| 319       | 44               | 1         | 1      | 1      | 0                 | 0                | 0        | 1              | 0    | 1        | 0            | 0        | 0     | 1              | 11     | 33     | 44             |
| 321       | 75               | 6         | 4      | 2      | 0                 | 0                | 0        | 2              | 1    | 0        | 0            | 0        | 0     | 1              | 2      | 74     | 76             |
| 325       | 86               | 2         | 2      | 2      | 0                 | 0                | 0        | 2              | 2    | 1        | 0            | 1        | 0     | 4              | 5      | 79     | 84             |
| 329       | 120              | 4         | 4      | 4      | 1                 | 2                | 1        | 8              | 4    | 0        | 1            | 3        | 0     | 8              | 22     | 98     | 120            |
| 331       | 51               | 0         | 0      | 0      | 0                 | 0                | 0        | 0              | 1    | 50       | 0            | 0        | 0     | 51             | 4      | -4     | 0              |

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| 332       | 31               | 0         | 0      | 0      | 0                 | 0                | 0        | 0              | 2    | 0        | 0            | 0        | 0     | 2              | 2      | 27     | 29             |
| 334       | 42               | 6         | 5      | 5      | 1                 | 0                | 0        | 6              | 2    | 0        | 0            | 1        | 0     | 3              | 3      | 42     | 45             |
| 335       | 50               | 1         | 0      | 0      | 0                 | 0                | 1        | 1              | 6    | 1        | 2            | 2        | 0     | 11             | 2      | 38     | 40             |
| 336       | 12               | 0         | 0      | 0      | 0                 | 0                | 0        | 0              | 1    | 0        | 0            | 0        | 0     | 1              | 0      | 11     | 11             |
| 340       | 52               | 0         | 0      | 0      | 0                 | 0                | 0        | 0              | 4    | 0        | 0            | 0        | 0     | 4              | 4      | 44     | 48             |
| 342       | 41               | 1         | 1      | 1      | 0                 | 0                | 0        | 1              | 0    | 0        | 0            | 0        | 0     | 0              | 0      | 42     | 42             |
| 347       | 34               | 0         | 0      | 0      | 0                 | 0                | 0        | 0              | 1    | 0        | 0            | 2        | 0     | 3              | 1      | 30     | 31             |
| 356       | 59               | 0         | 0      | 0      | 0                 | 0                | 0        | 0              | 4    | 0        | 0            | 3        | 0     | 7              | 3      | 49     | 52             |
| 364       | 64               | 3         | 1      | 3      | 0                 | 0                | 0        | 3              | 4    | 0        | 0            | 3        | 0     | 7              | 3      | 57     | 60             |
| 368       | 46               | 0         | 0      | 0      | 0                 | 0                | 0        | 0              | 2    | 40       | 4            | 0        | 0     | 46             | 2      | -2     | 0              |
| 369       | 49               | 0         | 0      | 0      | 0                 | 0                | 0        | 0              | 2    | 0        | 0            | 0        | 0     | 2              | 2      | 45     | 47             |
| 370       | 282              | 14        | 13     | 13     | 3                 | 1                | 5        | 22             | 15   | 2        | 0            | 15       | 0     | 32             | 19     | 253    | 272            |
| 374       | 148              | 1         | 1      | 1      | 0                 | 0                | 1        | 2              | 5    | 2        | 0            | 6        | 0     | 13             | 7      | 130    | 137            |
| 378       | 48               | 1         | 1      | 1      | 0                 | 0                | 0        | 1              | 0    | 1        | 0            | 1        | 0     | 2              | 4      | 43     | 47             |
| 380       | 38               | 0         | 0      | 0      | 0                 | 0                | 0        | 0              | 1    | 0        | 1            | 0        | 0     | 2              | 1      | 35     | 36             |
| 381       | 40               | 4         | 4      | 4      | 0                 | 0                | 2        | 6              | 3    | 0        | 0            | 0        | 0     | 3              | 2      | 41     | 43             |
| 386       | 79               | 4         | 5      | 4      | 0                 | 0                | 0        | 4              | 3    | 1        | 0            | 1        | 0     | 5              | 2      | 76     | 78             |
| 391       | 29               | 2         | 2      | 2      | 1                 | 0                | 0        | 3              | 1    | 0        | 0            | 0        | 0     | 1              | 1      | 30     | 31             |
| 392       | 57               | 0         | 0      | 0      | 0                 | 0                | 0        | 0              | 4    | 0        | 0            | 0        | 0     | 4              | 2      | 51     | 53             |
| 393       | 72               | 0         | 0      | 1      | 0                 | 0                | 0        | 1              | 2    | 3        | 0            | 1        | 0     | 6              | 3      | 64     | 67             |
| 394       | 86               | 0         | 0      | 0      | 0                 | 0                | 0        | 0              | 2    | 0        | 1            | 2        | 0     | 5              | 3      | 78     | 81             |
| 398       | 69               | 0         | 0      | 0      | 0                 | 0                | 0        | 0              | 4    | 1        | 0            | 2        | 0     | 7              | 7      | 55     | 62             |
| 399       | 23               | 0         | 0      | 0      | 0                 | 0                | 0        | 0              | 0    | 0        | 0            | 0        | 0     | 0              | 1      | 22     | 23             |
| 405       | 25               | 0         | 0      | 0      | 0                 | 0                | 0        | 0              | 1    | 0        | 0            | 0        | 0     | 1              | 3      | 21     | 24             |
| 406       | 37               | 0         | 0      | 0      | 0                 | 0                | 0        | 0              | 2    | 0        | 0            | 6        | 0     | 8              | 1      | 28     | 29             |
| 407       | 202              | 19        | 18     | 19     | 2                 | 0                | 8        | 29             | 6    | 5        | 0            | 20       | 0     | 31             | 14     | 186    | 200            |
| 408       | 136              | 2         | 0      | 0      | 0                 | 0                | 1        | 1              | 6    | 1        | 0            | 3        | 0     | 10             | 9      | 118    | 127            |
| 409       | 34               | 0         | 0      | 0      | 0                 | 0                | 0        | 0              | 1    | 0        | 0            | 0        | 0     | 1              | 3      | 30     | 33             |
| 412       | 73               | 2         | 3      | 3      | 0                 | 0                | 0        | 3              | 1    | 0        | 0            | 0        | 0     | 1              | 5      | 70     | 75             |
| 413       | 62               | 0         | 1      | 1      | 0                 | 2                | 0        | 3              | 3    | 0        | 0            | 1        | 0     | 4              | 6      | 55     | 61             |
| 419       | 84               | 2         | 2      | 2      | 49                | 2                | 2        | 55             | 2    | 0        | 1            | 1        | 0     | 4              | 1      | 134    | 135            |

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| 420       | 79               | 0         | 0      | 0      | 0                 | 0                | 0        | 0              | 6    | 0        | 0            | 0        | 0     | 6              | 4      | 69     | 73             |
| 422       | 24               | 0         | 0      | 0      | 0                 | 0                | 1        | 1              | 1    | 24       | 0            | 0        | 0     | 25             | 0      | 0      | 0              |
| 430       | 76               | 2         | 2      | 2      | 0                 | 1                | 0        | 3              | 3    | 1        | 0            | 0        | 0     | 4              | 5      | 70     | 75             |
| 434       | 36               | 6         | 6      | 6      | 0                 | 1                | 0        | 7              | 2    | 0        | 0            | 6        | 0     | 8              | 7      | 28     | 35             |
| 435       | 71               | 0         | 0      | 1      | 0                 | 0                | 0        | 1              | 3    | 0        | 0            | 0        | 0     | 3              | 2      | 67     | 69             |
| 436       | 39               | 0         | 0      | 0      | 0                 | 0                | 0        | 0              | 0    | 0        | 0            | 1        | 0     | 1              | 1      | 37     | 38             |
| 438       | 38               | 0         | 1      | 1      | 0                 | 0                | 0        | 1              | 2    | 0        | 0            | 0        | 0     | 2              | 1      | 36     | 37             |
| 440       | 48               | 1         | 2      | 3      | 1                 | 0                | 0        | 4              | 1    | 1        | 0            | 0        | 0     | 2              | 9      | 41     | 50             |
| 444       | 20               | 0         | 0      | 0      | 0                 | 0                | 0        | 0              | 0    | 0        | 0            | 0        | 0     | 0              | 1      | 19     | 20             |
| 447       | 71               | 2         | 2      | 2      | 0                 | 0                | 1        | 3              | 7    | 0        | 0            | 5        | 0     | 12             | 4      | 58     | 62             |
| 448       | 30               | 0         | 0      | 0      | 0                 | 0                | 1        | 1              | 0    | 1        | 0            | 1        | 0     | 2              | 3      | 26     | 29             |
| 450       | 21               | 0         | 0      | 0      | 0                 | 0                | 0        | 0              | 0    | 0        | 0            | 0        | 0     | 0              | 2      | 19     | 21             |
| 454       | 31               | 0         | 0      | 0      | 0                 | 0                | 0        | 0              | 2    | 0        | 0            | 0        | 0     | 2              | 3      | 26     | 29             |
| 455       | 14               | 0         | 0      | 0      | 0                 | 0                | 0        | 0              | 0    | 14       | 0            | 0        | 0     | 14             | 1      | -1     | 0              |
| 464       | 64               | 2         | 2      | 2      | 0                 | 0                | 4        | 6              | 1    | 0        | 0            | 7        | 0     | 8              | 3      | 59     | 62             |
| 470       | 36               | 0         | 0      | 0      | 0                 | 0                | 0        | 0              | 2    | 0        | 0            | 0        | 0     | 2              | 3      | 31     | 34             |
| 471       | 47               | 0         | 0      | 0      | 0                 | 0                | 0        | 0              | 0    | 1        | 0            | 0        | 0     | 1              | 2      | 44     | 46             |
| 478       | 44               | 3         | 3      | 3      | 0                 | 0                | 0        | 3              | 5    | 0        | 0            | 0        | 0     | 5              | 2      | 40     | 42             |
| 480       | 30               | 3         | 2      | 1      | 0                 | 0                | 0        | 1              | 1    | 1        | 0            | 0        | 0     | 2              | 2      | 27     | 29             |
| 482       | 45               | 0         | 0      | 0      | 0                 | 0                | 0        | 0              | 4    | 0        | 0            | 0        | 0     | 4              | 2      | 39     | 41             |
| 487       | 34               | 2         | 1      | 1      | 0                 | 0                | 0        | 1              | 2    | 0        | 0            | 0        | 0     | 2              | 1      | 32     | 33             |
| 492       | 58               | 4         | 4      | 4      | 0                 | 0                | 1        | 5              | 0    | 0        | 0            | 0        | 0     | 0              | 8      | 55     | 63             |
| 498       | 46               | 0         | 0      | 0      | 0                 | 1                | 1        | 2              | 2    | 0        | 1            | 4        | 0     | 7              | 4      | 37     | 41             |
| 502       | 83               | 0         | 0      | 0      | 0                 | 0                | 0        | 0              | 4    | 1        | 0            | 0        | 0     | 5              | 7      | 71     | 78             |
| 504       | 14               | 0         | 0      | 0      | 0                 | 0                | 0        | 0              | 4    | 0        | 0            | 0        | 0     | 4              | 2      | 8      | 10             |
| 505       | 65               | 1         | 1      | 1      | 0                 | 0                | 3        | 4              | 2    | 0        | 0            | 5        | 0     | 7              | 2      | 60     | 62             |
| 506       | 54               | 1         | 1      | 0      | 0                 | 0                | 0        | 0              | 1    | 0        | 0            | 0        | 0     | 1              | 1      | 52     | 53             |
| 507       | 39               | 0         | 0      | 0      | 0                 | 0                | 0        | 0              | 2    | 0        | 0            | 2        | 0     | 4              | 2      | 33     | 35             |
| 508       | 185              | 3         | 3      | 3      | 0                 | 0                | 4        | 7              | 5    | 1        | 0            | 14       | 0     | 20             | 15     | 157    | 172            |
| 509       | 184              | 8         | 6      | 5      | 1                 | 4                | 6        | 16             | 7    | 0        | 0            | 3        | 0     | 10             | 22     | 168    | 190            |
| 519       | 114              | 0         | 1      | 1      | 0                 | 0                | 1        | 2              | 2    | 1        | 0            | 3        | 0     | 6              | 3      | 107    | 110            |

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|-----------|------------------|-----------|--------|--------|-------------------|------------------|----------|----------------|------|----------|--------------|----------|-------|----------------|--------|--------|----------------|
| 520       | 38               | 2         | 2      | 1      | 0                 | 0                | 1        | 2              | 1    | 1        | 1            | 0        | 0     | 3              | 6      | 31     | 37             |
| 521       | 13               | 0         | 0      | 0      | 0                 | 0                | 0        | 0              | 1    | 0        | 0            | 0        | 0     | 1              | 2      | 10     | 12             |
| 522       | 97               | 6         | 5      | 6      | 1                 | 0                | 4        | 11             | 7    | 1        | 0            | 7        | 0     | 15             | 4      | 89     | 93             |
| 523       | 43               | 0         | 0      | 0      | 0                 | 0                | 0        | 0              | 1    | 0        | 0            | 11       | 0     | 12             | 3      | 28     | 31             |
| 527       | 30               | 0         | 1      | 1      | 0                 | 0                | 1        | 2              | 0    | 0        | 0            | 0        | 0     | 0              | 1      | 31     | 32             |
| 532       | 79               | 4         | 4      | 4      | 0                 | 0                | 0        | 4              | 1    | 0        | 0            | 0        | 0     | 1              | 2      | 80     | 82             |
| 535       | 39               | 0         | 0      | 0      | 0                 | 0                | 0        | 0              | 2    | 0        | 0            | 4        | 0     | 6              | 2      | 31     | 33             |
| 537       | 49               | 1         | 1      | 1      | 1                 | 0                | 1        | 3              | 1    | 1        | 1            | 2        | 0     | 5              | 3      | 44     | 47             |
| 538       | 52               | 1         | 2      | 3      | 1                 | 0                | 0        | 4              | 2    | 2        | 1            | 0        | 0     | 5              | 2      | 49     | 51             |
| 541       | 12               | 0         | 0      | 0      | 0                 | 0                | 0        | 0              | 0    | 0        | 0            | 0        | 0     | 0              | 1      | 11     | 12             |
| 548       | 104              | 2         | 2      | 4      | 0                 | 1                | 2        | 7              | 5    | 0        | 0            | 1        | 0     | 6              | 11     | 94     | 105            |
| 549       | 43               | 0         | 0      | 0      | 0                 | 0                | 0        | 0              | 1    | 0        | 0            | 0        | 0     | 1              | 2      | 40     | 42             |
| 550       | 28               | 0         | 0      | 0      | 0                 | 0                | 0        | 0              | 1    | 0        | 0            | 0        | 0     | 1              | 2      | 25     | 27             |
| 551       | 18               | 0         | 0      | 0      | 0                 | 0                | 0        | 0              | 0    | 0        | 0            | 0        | 0     | 0              | 8      | 10     | 18             |
| 555       | 46               | 1         | 2      | 1      | 1                 | 0                | 2        | 4              | 2    | 0        | 0            | 2        | 0     | 4              | 3      | 43     | 46             |
| 561       | 56               | 1         | 1      | 1      | 0                 | 0                | 1        | 2              | 3    | 0        | 0            | 0        | 0     | 3              | 3      | 52     | 55             |
| 562       | 49               | 0         | 0      | 0      | 0                 | 0                | 1        | 1              | 1    | 0        | 0            | 10       | 0     | 11             | 7      | 32     | 39             |
| 569       | 66               | 4         | 3      | 3      | 1                 | 0                | 1        | 5              | 0    | 0        | 0            | 0        | 0     | 0              | 3      | 68     | 71             |
| 576       | 40               | 0         | 0      | 0      | 0                 | 0                | 0        | 0              | 4    | 1        | 0            | 0        | 0     | 5              | 1      | 34     | 35             |
| 577       | 260              | 15        | 13     | 11     | 1                 | 0                | 3        | 15             | 7    | 0        | 1            | 7        | 0     | 15             | 15     | 245    | 260            |
| 584       | 81               | 1         | 1      | 1      | 0                 | 0                | 3        | 4              | 1    | 1        | 0            | 12       | 0     | 14             | 3      | 68     | 71             |
| 588       | 31               | 0         | 0      | 0      | 0                 | 0                | 0        | 0              | 0    | 0        | 0            | 1        | 0     | 1              | 2      | 28     | 30             |
| 590       | 24               | 0         | 0      | 0      | 0                 | 0                | 0        | 0              | 2    | 0        | 0            | 0        | 0     | 2              | 5      | 17     | 22             |
| 592       | 290              | 1         | 1      | 1      | 0                 | 0                | 3        | 4              | 22   | 7        | 0            | 0        | 0     | 29             | 14     | 251    | 265            |
| 593       | 15               | 0         | 0      | 0      | 0                 | 0                | 0        | 0              | 1    | 0        | 0            | 0        | 0     | 1              | 1      | 13     | 14             |
| 594       | 24               | 0         | 0      | 0      | 0                 | 0                | 0        | 0              | 2    | 1        | 0            | 0        | 0     | 3              | 1      | 20     | 21             |
| 595       | 39               | 3         | 3      | 3      | 0                 | 0                | 0        | 3              | 1    | 0        | 0            | 0        | 0     | 1              | 2      | 39     | 41             |
| 597       | 48               | 0         | 0      | 0      | 0                 | 0                | 0        | 0              | 1    | 0        | 0            | 0        | 0     | 1              | 4      | 43     | 47             |
| 607       | 22               | 0         | 0      | 0      | 0                 | 0                | 0        | 0              | 0    | 0        | 0            | 0        | 0     | 0              | 2      | 20     | 22             |
| 609       | 61               | 1         | 1      | 1      | 0                 | 1                | 1        | 3              | 0    | 0        | 0            | 1        | 0     | 1              | 6      | 57     | 63             |
| 611       | 43               | 0         | 0      | 0      | 0                 | 0                | 1        | 1              | 3    | 1        | 0            | 1        | 0     | 5              | 1      | 38     | 39             |



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|-----------|------------------|-----------|--------|--------|-------------------|------------------|----------|----------------|------|----------|--------------|----------|-------|----------------|--------|--------|----------------|
| 613       | 18               | 0         | 0      | 0      | 0                 | 0                | 0        | 0              | 0    | 2        | 0            | 0        | 0     | 2              | 5      | 11     | 16             |
| 615       | 295              | 1         | 1      | 1      | 1                 | 0                | 6        | 8              | 15   | 0        | 0            | 12       | 0     | 27             | 19     | 257    | 276            |
| 616       | 73               | 0         | 0      | 0      | 0                 | 0                | 0        | 0              | 5    | 0        | 0            | 0        | 0     | 5              | 1      | 67     | 68             |
| 618       | 32               | 1         | 1      | 1      | 0                 | 0                | 0        | 1              | 3    | 0        | 0            | 0        | 0     | 3              | 4      | 26     | 30             |
| 624       | 98               | 2         | 1      | 4      | 1                 | 0                | 3        | 8              | 10   | 0        | 0            | 2        | 0     | 12             | 6      | 88     | 94             |
| 626       | 127              | 2         | 3      | 3      | 0                 | 1                | 1        | 5              | 9    | 1        | 0            | 18       | 0     | 28             | 10     | 94     | 104            |
| 628       | 71               | 1         | 1      | 1      | 1                 | 0                | 1        | 3              | 2    | 0        | 1            | 0        | 0     | 3              | 3      | 68     | 71             |
| 630       | 317              | 16        | 16     | 15     | 4                 | 0                | 8        | 27             | 9    | 2        | 0            | 13       | 0     | 24             | 8      | 312    | 320            |
| 631       | 123              | 12        | 14     | 9      | 0                 | 4                | 1        | 14             | 6    | 0        | 0            | 10       | 0     | 16             | 6      | 115    | 121            |
| 632       | 437              | 10        | 10     | 10     | 0                 | 2                | 1        | 13             | 23   | 4        | 2            | 9        | 0     | 38             | 46     | 366    | 412            |
| 633       | 93               | 1         | 1      | 1      | 0                 | 0                | 1        | 2              | 4    | 0        | 0            | 3        | 0     | 7              | 11     | 77     | 88             |
| 634       | 26               | 0         | 0      | 0      | 0                 | 0                | 0        | 0              | 1    | 0        | 0            | 0        | 0     | 1              | 1      | 24     | 25             |
| 636       | 71               | 1         | 1      | 1      | 0                 | 0                | 0        | 1              | 1    | 0        | 0            | 2        | 0     | 3              | 5      | 64     | 69             |
| 638       | 70               | 9         | 8      | 7      | 0                 | 0                | 0        | 7              | 2    | 0        | 0            | 2        | 0     | 4              | 5      | 68     | 73             |
| 639       | 110              | 0         | 0      | 0      | 0                 | 0                | 1        | 1              | 6    | 1        | 0            | 6        | 0     | 13             | 4      | 94     | 98             |
| 643       | 154              | 1         | 1      | 1      | 0                 | 0                | 0        | 1              | 6    | 0        | 0            | 3        | 0     | 9              | 16     | 130    | 146            |
| 644       | 100              | 5         | 5      | 4      | 2                 | 3                | 0        | 9              | 3    | 1        | 0            | 5        | 0     | 9              | 10     | 90     | 100            |
| 645       | 17               | 0         | 0      | 0      | 0                 | 0                | 0        | 0              | 0    | 0        | 0            | 0        | 0     | 0              | 1      | 16     | 17             |
| 646       | 44               | 3         | 3      | 3      | 0                 | 0                | 1        | 4              | 2    | 0        | 0            | 0        | 0     | 2              | 0      | 46     | 46             |
| 649       | 104              | 1         | 1      | 1      | 0                 | 0                | 0        | 1              | 3    | 2        | 0            | 0        | 0     | 5              | 14     | 86     | 100            |
| 650       | 56               | 1         | 1      | 1      | 0                 | 0                | 1        | 2              | 1    | 1        | 0            | 4        | 0     | 6              | 8      | 44     | 52             |
| 654       | 187              | 14        | 9      | 9      | 1                 | 1                | 3        | 14             | 13   | 1        | 0            | 3        | 0     | 17             | 13     | 171    | 184            |
| 657       | 203              | 11        | 9      | 7      | 1                 | 0                | 7        | 15             | 8    | 4        | 0            | 26       | 0     | 38             | 12     | 168    | 180            |
| 660       | 85               | 3         | 3      | 3      | 0                 | 0                | 0        | 3              | 1    | 1        | 0            | 3        | 0     | 5              | 13     | 70     | 83             |
| 662       | 146              | 4         | 4      | 4      | 0                 | 0                | 3        | 7              | 4    | 0        | 0            | 11       | 0     | 15             | 5      | 133    | 138            |
| 664       | 115              | 13        | 14     | 14     | 0                 | 3                | 2        | 19             | 11   | 1        | 1            | 7        | 0     | 20             | 27     | 87     | 114            |
| 665       | 60               | 0         | 0      | 0      | 0                 | 0                | 2        | 2              | 0    | 2        | 0            | 4        | 0     | 6              | 4      | 52     | 56             |
| 668       | 64               | 4         | 5      | 5      | 1                 | 2                | 1        | 9              | 2    | 1        | 0            | 2        | 0     | 5              | 8      | 60     | 68             |
| 672       | 47               | 1         | 1      | 1      | 2                 | 4                | 0        | 7              | 1    | 0        | 0            | 3        | 0     | 4              | 23     | 27     | 50             |
| 673       | 22               | 1         | 1      | 0      | 0                 | 0                | 1        | 1              | 0    | 0        | 0            | 3        | 0     | 3              | 13     | 7      | 20             |
| 675       | 85               | 4         | 5      | 6      | 0                 | 0                | 1        | 7              | 1    | 0        | 1            | 5        | 0     | 7              | 19     | 66     | 85             |

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|-----------|------------------|-----------|--------|--------|-------------------|------------------|----------|----------------|------|----------|--------------|----------|-------|----------------|--------|--------|----------------|
| 676       | 50               | 1         | 1      | 0      | 0                 | 0                | 0        | 0              | 2    | 0        | 0            | 0        | 0     | 2              | 7      | 41     | 48             |
| 677       | 28               | 3         | 3      | 3      | 1                 | 1                | 0        | 5              | 1    | 1        | 0            | 0        | 0     | 2              | 11     | 20     | 31             |
| 678       | 25               | 2         | 2      | 2      | 0                 | 1                | 0        | 3              | 0    | 3        | 1            | 0        | 0     | 4              | 20     | 4      | 24             |
| 679       | 23               | 4         | 4      | 4      | 0                 | 2                | 0        | 6              | 0    | 0        | 2            | 0        | 0     | 2              | 23     | 4      | 27             |

## IOWA MEMBERSHIP TREND

For the Past Twenty-One Calendar Years, Ending 2011

| <u>Year</u> | <u>Membership at End of Year</u> | <u>Change</u> |
|-------------|----------------------------------|---------------|
| 2011        | 20,845                           | - 910         |
| 2010        | 21,755                           | - 708         |
| 2009        | 22,463                           | - 702         |
| 2008        | 23,165                           | - 799         |
| 2007        | 23,964                           | - 782         |
| 2006        | 24,746                           | - 844         |
| 2005        | 25,590                           | - 910         |
| 2004        | 26,500                           | - 868         |
| 2003        | 27,367                           | - 740         |
| 2002        | 28,107                           | - 331         |
| 2001        | 28,438                           | - 1,138       |
| 2000        | 29,576                           | - 1,360       |
| 1999        | 30,936                           | - 1,351       |
| 1998        | 32,287                           | - 1,389       |
| 1997        | 33,676                           | - 1,451       |
| 1996        | 35,127                           | - 1,526       |
| 1995        | 36,653                           | - 1,531       |
| 1994        | 38,184                           | - 1,458       |
| 1993        | 39,642                           | - 1,711       |
| 1992        | 41,353                           | - 1,540       |
| 1991        | 42,893                           | - 1,763       |

TOTAL MEMBERSHIP CHANGE SINCE 1991: - 22,048

**MEMBERSHIP DUES & FEES OF IOWA LODGES**

**For Calendar Year Ending 2011**

|                                          |             |                   |
|------------------------------------------|-------------|-------------------|
| Number of members December 31, 2010      |             | 21,760            |
| Raised                                   | 577         |                   |
| Admitted (regular and plural)            | 344         |                   |
| Reinstated                               | 228         |                   |
| Correction of Prior Year's Lodge Reports | <u>(37)</u> |                   |
| Total Additions                          |             | <u>1,112</u>      |
| <br>                                     |             |                   |
| TOTAL MEMBERS DURING YEAR                | 22,872      |                   |
| <br>                                     |             |                   |
| Died                                     | 911         |                   |
| Demitted and Plural Terminations         | 398         |                   |
| Dropped                                  | 711         |                   |
| Withdrawals and Expelled                 | <u>7</u>    |                   |
| Total Deductions                         |             | <u>2,027</u>      |
| <br>                                     |             |                   |
| TOTAL MEMBERS DECEMBER 31, 2011          | 20,845      |                   |
| <br>                                     |             |                   |
| Total Members During Year                |             | 22,872            |
| Died With Unpaid Dues                    | 52          |                   |
| Dropped                                  | 711         |                   |
| Paid Other Lodges                        | 100         |                   |
| 50-Year Masons                           | 5,333       |                   |
| Demitted Prior Years                     | 182         |                   |
| Remissions                               | <u>503</u>  |                   |
| Total Deductions                         |             | <u>6,881</u>      |
| <br>                                     |             |                   |
| Total Dues Paying Members                |             | <u>15,991</u>     |
| <br>                                     |             |                   |
| Net Membership Subject to Dues:          |             |                   |
| Number Subject to \$35.00                | 15,741      |                   |
| Number Subject to \$17.50                | <u>250</u>  |                   |
| TOTAL                                    |             | <u>15,991</u>     |
| <br>                                     |             |                   |
| Per Capita dues 2011:                    |             | \$ 555,310        |
| Initiation Fees                          |             | 8,790             |
| Net Arrearage Paid                       |             | <u>6,534</u>      |
| <br>                                     |             |                   |
| TOTAL GRAND LODGE DUES AND FEES          |             | \$ <u>570,634</u> |

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**MEMBERSHIP STATISTICS FOR THE UNITED STATES**

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| STATE                | MEMBERSHIP<br>2011 | MEMBERSHIP<br>2010 | GAIN/LOSS |
|----------------------|--------------------|--------------------|-----------|
| ALABAMA              | 27,576             | 28,684             | (1,108)   |
| ALASKA               | 1,868              | 1,935              | (67)      |
| ARIZONA              | 8,263              | 8,651              | (388)     |
| ARKANSAS             | 12,005             | 14,429             | (2,424)   |
| CALIFORNIA           | 57,250             | 57,267             | (17)      |
| COLORADO             | 9,320              | 10,356             | (1,036)   |
| CONNECTICUT          | 12,423             | 12,895             | (472)     |
| DELAWARE             | 4,997              | 5,110              | (113)     |
| DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA | 4,424              | 4,341              | 83        |
| FLORIDA              | 44,437             | 45,940             | (1,503)   |
| GEORGIA              | 42,297             | 43,578             | (1,281)   |
| HAWAII               | 1,806              | 1,742              | 64        |
| IDAHO                | 3,832              | 3,962              | (130)     |
| ILLINOIS             | 66,347             | 65,564             | 783       |
| INDIANA              | 62,968             | 65,443             | (2,475)   |
| IOWA                 | 20,844             | 21,695             | (851)     |
| KANSAS               | 22,004             | 23,074             | (1,070)   |
| KENTUCKY             | 45,275             | 46,362             | (1,087)   |
| LOUISIANA            | 20,482             | 21,004             | (522)     |
| MAINE                | 21,033             | 20,294             | 739       |
| MARYLAND             | 15,998             | 16,235             | (237)     |
| MASSACHUSETTS        | 35,333             | 35,944             | (611)     |
| MICHIGAN             | 36,172             | 37,709             | (1,537)   |
| MINNESOTA            | 14,084             | 14,721             | (637)     |
| MISSISSIPPI          | 18,689             | 19,341             | (652)     |
| MISSOURI             | 50,415             | 50,500             | (85)      |
| MONTANA              | 5,773              | 5,990              | (217)     |
| NEBRASKA             | 12,271             | 12,716             | (445)     |
| NEVADA               | 4,168              | 4,225              | (57)      |
| NEW HAMPSHIRE        | 6,681              | 6,898              | (217)     |
| NEW JERSEY           | 23,209             | 24,775             | (1,566)   |
| NEW MEXICO           | 5,590              | 5,553              | 37        |

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| STATE          | MEMBERSHIP<br>2011 | MEMBERSHIP<br>2010 | GAIN/LOSS       |
|----------------|--------------------|--------------------|-----------------|
| NEW YORK       | 44,776             | 45,801             | (1,025)         |
| NORTH CAROLINA | 43,644             | 45,096             | (1,452)         |
| NORTH DAKOTA   | 2,927              | 3,055              | (128)           |
| OHIO           | 101,929            | 106,870            | (4,941)         |
| OKLAHOMA       | 24,068             | 25,739             | (1,671)         |
| OREGON         | 9,203              | 9,541              | (338)           |
| PENNSYLVANIA   | 111,661            | 113,279            | (1,618)         |
| RHODE ISLAND   | 4,161              | 4,213              | (52)            |
| SOUTH CAROLINA | 38,853             | 39,927             | (1,074)         |
| SOUTH DAKOTA   | 5,902              | 6,094              | (192)           |
| TENNESSEE      | 43,015             | 44,691             | (1,676)         |
| TEXAS          | 88,896             | 91,632             | (2,736)         |
| UTAH           | 2,034              | 2,035              | (1)             |
| VERMONT        | 6,299              | 6,444              | (145)           |
| VIRGINIA       | 38,008             | 38,498             | (490)           |
| WASHINGTON     | 16,100             | 15,369             | 731             |
| WEST VIRGINIA  | 21,242             | 21,643             | (401)           |
| WISCONSIN      | 12,165             | 12,694             | (529)           |
| WYOMING        | 3,776              | 3,899              | (123)           |
| <b>TOTALS</b>  | <b>1,336,503</b>   | <b>1,373,453</b>   | <b>(36,950)</b> |
|                |                    |                    |                 |

**U.S. MASONIC MEMBERSHIP TOTALS  
Since 1925**

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|             |                  |             |                  |
|-------------|------------------|-------------|------------------|
| 1925        | 3,157,566        | 1969        | 3,817,846        |
| 1926        | 3,218,375        | 1970        | 3,763,213        |
| 1927        | 3,267,241        | 1971        | 3,718,718        |
| 1928        | 3,295,872        | 1972        | 3,661,507        |
| 1929        | 3,295,125        | 1973        | 3,611,448        |
| 1930        | 3,279,778        | 1974        | 3,561,767        |
| 1931        | 3,216,307        | 1975        | 3,512,628        |
| 1932        | 3,069,645        | 1976        | 3,470,980        |
| 1933        | 2,901,758        | 1977        | 3,418,844        |
| 1934        | 2,760,451        | 1978        | 3,360,409        |
| 1935        | 2,659,218        | 1979        | 3,304,334        |
| 1936        | 2,591,309        | 1980        | 3,251,528        |
| 1937        | 2,549,772        | 1981        | 3,188,115        |
| 1938        | 2,514,595        | 1982        | 3,121,746        |
| 1939        | 2,482,291        | 1983        | 3,060,242        |
| 1940        | 2,457,263        | 1984        | 2,992,389        |
| 1941        | 2,451,301        | 1985        | 2,914,421        |
| 1942        | 2,478,892        | 1986        | 2,839,962        |
| 1943        | 2,561,844        | 1987        | 2,763,828        |
| 1944        | 2,719,607        | 1988        | 2,682,537        |
| 1945        | 2,896,343        | 1989        | 2,608,935        |
| 1946        | 3,097,713        | 1990        | 2,531,643        |
| 1947        | 3,281,371        | 1991        | 2,452,676        |
| 1948        | 3,426,155        | 1992        | 2,371,863        |
| 1949        | 3,545,757        | 1993        | 2,293,949        |
| 1950        | 3,644,634        | 1994        | 2,225,611        |
| 1951        | 3,726,744        | 1995        | 2,153,316        |
| 1952        | 3,808,364        | 1996        | 2,089,578        |
| 1953        | 3,893,530        | 1997        | 2,021,909        |
| 1954        | 3,964,118        | 1998        | 1,967,208        |
| 1955        | 4,009,925        | 1999        | 1,902,588        |
| 1956        | 4,053,323        | 2000        | 1,841,169        |
| 1957        | 4,085,676        | 2001        | 1,774,200        |
| 1958        | 4,099,928        | 2002        | 1,727,505        |
| <b>1959</b> | <b>4,103,161</b> | 2003        | 1,671,255        |
| 1960        | 4,099,219        | 2004        | 1,617,032        |
| 1961        | 4,086,499        | 2005        | 1,569,812        |
| 1962        | 4,063,563        | 2006        | 1,525,131        |
| 1963        | 4,034,020        | 2007        | 1,483,449        |
| 1964        | 4,005,605        | 2008        | 1,444,823        |
| 1965        | 3,987,690        | 2009        | 1,404,059        |
| 1966        | 3,948,193        | 2010        | 1,373,453        |
| 1967        | 3,910,509        | <b>2011</b> | <b>1,336,503</b> |
| 1968        | 3,868,854        |             |                  |

1959 is current membership high point.

2011 is current membership low point.

**APPENDIX B**

**BIOGRAPHICAL SKETCHES**

**OF ELECTIVE GRAND**

**OFFICERS AND**

**DEPUTY GRAND MASTER**



**MOST WORSHIPFUL BRYCE B. HILDRETH  
GRAND MASTER**

Grand Master Hildreth is a lifelong resident of Ankeny. He was born in Des Moines on December 1, 1971 to Billy Joe and Darlene Hildreth. He graduated from Ankeny High School and attended Iowa State University. Iowa FFA honored Brother Bryce with the Iowa Farmer Degree in 1989. He is retired from farming the family's century farm and was instrumental in its sale and development. Brother Bryce is employed by the United States Postal Service as a Rural Carrier. He also is involved in several venture capital and investment enterprises. He serves as a Trustee of the Hildreth Family Charitable Trust and of the Bryce B. Hildreth Trust. He is a member of the Ankeny Church of the Brethren. His life is made more special by his lady Natalie Mercer. When time permits he plays golf and enjoys travel and fine dining.



Brother Bryce has attended Grand Lodge of Iowa communications since 1976, but only as a Mason since 1990, having been raised to the Sublime Degree of a Master Mason on April 7, 1990 in Logic Lodge No. 636 at Ankeny. He is a dual member with Capital Lodge No. 110 at Des Moines. He served as Worshipful Master of Capital Lodge No. 110 in 1995 and Logic Lodge No. 636 in 1996. He is a past president of the South Central MI and DL Club and is a member of the Polk Jasper Study Club. He served for many years as Chairman of the Central Iowa Masons Jerry Marsengill Christmas Day Dinner.

The purple of the fraternity rested on Brother Hildreth's shoulders first in 1993-94 as Grand Tyler, then in 2000-01 as Deputy Grand Master and in 2003-04 as Junior Grand Warden. He has served the Grand Lodge of Iowa on the Lodge Service Committee 1995-2000; as Treasurer of the Masonic Charitable Education Corporation 2007-2011; Chairman of the *ad hoc* Long Range Planning Committee 2011; and on the Division and Reference Committee 2001-02 and as its Chairman 2011-12. He proudly holds District Lecturer Certificate number 3028.

Brother Hildreth is active in many aspects of Masonry. He has served as the leader of all three bodies of the Downtown Des Moines York Rite. He is a dual member with the York Rite Bodies of Ames. He was Grand Chaplain of the Grand Chapter R.A.M. of Iowa 2011-12. He serves as an Inspector and on the Board of Instruction for the Grand Commandery K.T. of Iowa, where he served as Grand Commander in 2009-10. He is the recipient of the Knight Templar Cross of Honor and the Knight Commander of the Temple awards from the Grand Encampment Knights Templar of the U.S.A. where he also serves as Chairman of the Public

Relations Committee and a member of the Editorial Review Board of the Knight Templar Magazine.

The Supreme Council for the Southern Jurisdiction A.A.S.R. honored Brother Hildreth in 2007 with the 33rd Degree. He is a permanent member of the Scottish Rite Southern Jurisdiction Foundation and is honored in the House of the Temple in Washington D.C. His membership is in the Des Moines Valley where he serves as Commander of the Council of Kadosh. He is a Director of the Iowa Scottish Rite Masonic Foundation and a member of the Heritage Society.

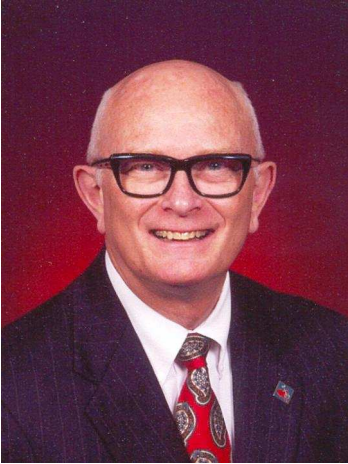
Brother Bryce is a member of Za-Ga-Zig Shrine A.A.O.N.M.S. in Altoona where he serves on the Ritual Staff and is a past President of the Past Masters Club. In 2010-11 he served as Sovereign of St. Bartholomew Conclave Red Cross of Constantine. In 2001 he served as Prior of Charles Clyde Hunt Priory No. 42 KYCH and serves Convent General KYCH as Personal Representative of the Grand Master General for Region 11. In 2004 he served as Governor of Iowa York Rite College No. 37, receiving the Order of the Purple Cross in 2008. He serves as Registrar of Last Supper Tabernacle No XVIII Holy Royal Arch Knight Templar Priests. He is a member of the High Council of Iowa College SRICF. He is a member of Polaris Council No. 449 AMD; Order of the Scarlet Cord; Order of Corks; Grand College of Rites; Knights Preceptor; Green Degrees Council No. 93, Knight Masons; he served in 2010 as Excellent Chief of Great Chief's Council No. 0 of the World, Knight Masons.

Brother Bryce enjoys traveling around the country and world. He frequently travels to Europe and has been invited into several Masonic and non Masonic orders based in Europe. He is a member of Bryn Athyn Quarry Assemblage of The Operatives, and has received the Great Corner Stone Award from the Grand Assemblage of the Operatives in England. He serves as Provincial Grand Tiler, member of the national degree team, and Screening Committee Chairman for Iowa for The Provincial Grand Lodge of the Royal Order of Scotland of the United States of America. He is the Provincial Senior Grand Warden of the Provincial Grand Court of the United States of America for The Masonic Order of Athelstan in England, Wales and its Provinces Overseas. He is a member of Mayflower Conclave order of Pilgrim Preceptors; The August Order of Light and HOM. He has been invited into the Freedom of the City of London and the Order of St. John.

Brother Bryce is a proud senior DeMolay, past president of Iowa DeMolay Preceptory, and has received the DeMolay Legion of Honor. He is a member of National Sojourners. He is a member of Ankeny New Hope Chapter OES.

**RIGHT WORSHIPFUL WILLIAM R. YUNGCLAS  
SENIOR GRAND WARDEN**

Senior Grand Warden William R. "Bill" Yungclas was born on August 23, 1939 in Webster City. He graduated from high school there in 1957. For three years, he served in the Armored Reconnaissance of the U.S. Army before returning to Ames where he received his B.S. in Zoology from Iowa State University in 1965. After graduation, he taught Junior High Science at Nevada for two years. In 1968, he became the Associate Director of Admissions at Iowa State for 30 years until retiring in 1998. He earned a Masters in Counselor Education in 1975 from I.S.U. Since retirement, he has worked part time as Funeral Assistant at the Grandon Funeral and Cremation Care in Ames



He married Barbara Harris, of rural Grinnell, on August 19, 1962 at the Grinnell College Chapel at Grinnell. They have been blessed with a son and a daughter. Living out his faith has been an important part of his life. He is a member of the United Church of Christ in Ames and has served on nearly every local board. For the Central Association and the Iowa Conference, he has served as Vice-Moderator and Moderator. He has served on the boards of Homeland Ministry and the Office of Church Life and Leadership. In addition, he has chaired or co-chaired several capital/fund raising campaigns for the Iowa Conference UCC.

Brother Yungclas has found time to participate in a number of community activities including serving as a volunteer in the Mary Greeley Medical Center Radiation/Oncology Reception; and served on the founding Board of Directors of Our Sacred Space, dba Pilgrim Heights Camp. He was a member of Ames Noon Kiwanis, the Ames/Story County United Way Board of Directors, the Ames/ISU United Ministries in Higher Education Board, and the Des Moines/Drake UMHE Board. He is well-known in Cyclone Country for his support of the women's basketball team, where he was affectionately referred to as "super-fan."

Masonically, he was Raised in Arcadia Lodge No. 249 at Ames on February 17, 1994. He has served in most of the lodge offices except Secretary, and was Master in 2002. He is a member of the Des Moines Consistory and sings in the Double Eagle Chorus. Other Masonic memberships include Research Lodge No. 2, the Royal Order of Scotland, and the South Central MI-DL Club. He has served on the Board of Trustees of the Herman L. Rowley Memorial Trust since 2006, and

represents the Board on the Board of Pension Administrators. In 2003, Brother Yungclas wore the Purple of the Fraternity with distinction as the Grand Chaplain. He proudly holds District Lecturer Certificate No. 3130.

**RIGHT WORSHIPFUL REALFF H. OTTESEN  
JUNIOR GRAND WARDEN**

Junior Grand Warden Realf H. Ottesen is an Iowa native being born in Davenport on July 10, 1941, and later graduated from high school there in 1959. He attended the University of Iowa where he received his B.A. in 1963 and his Juris Doctor Degree in 1965. He returned to Davenport where he practiced law from 1965 to 1998, and was Assistant County



Attorney for Scott County from 1967 to 1998. In 1998, he answered a call and began studying for the ministry at the University of Dubuque Theological Seminary where he graduated with his Master of Divinity Degree in 2000. Following graduation, he served United Methodist Churches ending at Bettendorf before retirement. He recently served as a short term interim at the Geneseo United Methodist Church. He married Ann St. Eninger on June 9, 1963, in Davenport. They have two sons, Reid and Michael.

Masonically, Brother Ottesen was Raised in Philbrook Lodge No. 659 at Davenport on October 13, 1962. The lodge consolidated with Davenport Lodge No. 37 on January 5, 1993. His current lodge memberships are in Early Morning Lodge No. 672 and Hamilton Lodge No. 664 at Bettendorf and Snow Lodge No. 44 at LeClaire. He is Secretary of Early Morning Lodge, Master of Hamilton Lodge, and Junior Warden of Snow Lodge. He is an active member of the Davenport Scottish Rite having served as Master of Kadosh and received his KCCH.

His grandfather, Most Worshipful Brother Realf Ottesen served as Grand Master of Masons in Iowa in 1938, and was a member of Trinity Lodge No. 208 in Davenport. Realf's father, Henry R. Ottesen was also Raised in Trinity Lodge, and was a member of Early Morning Lodge at the time of his death.

He has served on the Board of Trustees of the Grand Charity Fund since 2007. In 2006, Brother Ottesen wore the Purple of the Fraternity with distinction as the Grand Chaplain. He proudly holds District Lecturer Certificate No. 3146.

**RIGHT WORSHIPFUL ROBERT E. BRECKENRIDGE II  
GRAND TREASURER**

Brother Robert E. Breckenridge II was born in Ottumwa on July 20, 1957, and graduated from high school there. He earned a B.A. from the University of Iowa and his Juris Doctor Degree from the University of Nebraska Law School. He returned to Ottumwa where he is sole practitioner of Breckenridge Law P.C. He is also the city attorney for Albia, and attorney for the Ottumwa Housing Authority. He served in the United States Marine Corps Reserve from 1976 to 1982, and again from 1993 to 1998. In between, he was in the Marine Corps where he rose to the rank of Major. He is member of the Methodist Church. He is a Certified Official for the Iowa High School Athletic Association for 15 years, officiating football, basketball, and baseball. He is also certified by the Iowa High School Girls Athletic Union, also for 15 years, to officiate in basketball and softball. On June 2, 1978, he and Christine were married in Des Moines. They have a daughter Ryanne and son Rob. Brother Robert E. Breckenridge III, his son, was raised on February 19, 2002 in Empire Lodge No. 269 at Ottumwa.



Masonically, Brother Breckenridge was Raised in Empire Lodge on December 29, 1977. He is a dual member in Ottumwa Lodge No. 16. He has held most of the lodge offices other than secretary and was Master in 2001 and 2003.

His Masonic affiliations include the Ottumwa York Rite Bodies: Clinton Chapter #9 R.A.M.; Ottumwa Council #31 R. & S.M.; and Malta Commandery #33. He is a member of the Davenport Scottish Rite Valley where he has served as Wise Master, Venerable Master, and Master of Kadosh. He received his KCCH on October 4, 1999, and was Coroneted a 33o in October 2005. He is a member of KAABA Shrine in Davenport. He is active in the Amaranth, a member of Christina Court #3 in Ottumwa, a member of the Supreme Council, and served as Supreme Royal Patron, 2005-2006.

He has served Iowa Masonry on the Lodge Service Committee, Chairman of the Public School Support Committee, and the Finance Committee. In 2008, Brother Breckenridge wore the Purple of the Fraternity as Deputy Grand Master. He proudly holds District Lecturer Certificate No. 3128.

**RIGHT WORSHIPFUL LOREN C. STEIN  
DEPUTY GRAND MASTER**

Deputy Grand Master Loren C. Stein was born on March 4, 1953 in Quincy, Illinois. His family moved to Burlington in 1954 and he graduated from Burlington High School in 1971. He attended the University of Iowa for one year and returned to work in the family owned Chanen Scrap and Steel, Inc. until the business was sold, when he “retired.” His parents, Brother Irvin and Ruth Stein, are active in the Masonic family with Brother Irvin serving as Junior Grand Deacon in 1996.



Brother Stein has been active in his community as a member of the Optimist Club, the United Way, Burlington Steamboat Days, and on various charitable and scholarship trusts.

He is a member of Temple Israel in Burlington.

Brother Stein was Raised in Malta Lodge No. 318 at Burlington on May 1, 1976, has served in all offices except Secretary and is currently Treasurer. He is now a plural member with the other Burlington lodges, Des Moines Lodge No. 1 and Patriot Lodge No. 650. He is also a member of the Davenport Scottish Rite, Kaaba Shrine, and the E. C. Blackmar Chapter O.E.S.

Brother Stein has a long history of working with Masonic Youth, having served on the DeMolay Advisory Board and Burlington Rainbow Assembly. He was honored by the youth groups by receiving the Degree of Chevalier, 1976; Legion of Honor, 1985; and the Grand Cross of Color, 1992.

Brother Stein has served Iowa Masonry in a variety of capacities including serving on the Speakers Bureau, the Masonic Youth Committee, and the Grand Charity Board. Currently, he is a member of Board of Custodians of the Work and is its secretary. He previously wore the Purple of the Fraternity as Senior Grand Steward in 1989 and Junior Grand Warden in 1995. He proudly holds District Lecturer Certificate number 2864.

**APPENDIX C**

**REPORT ON**

**FRATERNAL REVIEW**

**FRATERNAL REVIEW****GRAND LODGE OF IOWA, A.F. & A.M.****By Timothy J. Whipple**

To the Grand Lodge of Iowa:

The doings of our brothers around the country and the world run the gamut from the important to the mundane, but they are diverse and they are uniformly illuminating. To study the proceedings of other jurisdictions is to learn from their experiences. To learn from those experiences is to have the chance to apply those lessons to the practice of Masonry here in Iowa, and for that reason I would like to thank Most Worshipful Grand Master Jerry Levay for giving me the opportunity serve as the Chair of the Committee on Fraternal Review this year and to share some of these lessons.

Thus, it is with great pleasure that I present the 2012 Report on Fraternal Review. This report is presented in the hope that we may all gain a better understanding of what it means for brethren to dwell together in unity.



This year, the Committee reviewed approximately 30 different sets of proceedings from jurisdictions all over the world. One way to present this report would be to simply list every jurisdiction and discuss one or two of the most notable issues or events from each. But that would be to miss the forest for the trees.

Another way to present the report is to focus on a few of the issues that are common to many jurisdictions and then discuss what lessons can be learned from their experiences. This report follows the latter approach and has focused on the following issues.

**Issue #1: Stewardship**

One issue that many jurisdictions are confronting is financial health and the management of resources. Each set of proceedings typically includes budgets and detailed financial reports which reveal that, as a fraternity, Freemasonry is both wealthy and poor.

On the one hand, generations of generous and hard working brothers have left the fraternity with millions upon millions in assets. This includes endowments, charities, trusts, educational foundations, building and library funds, retirement homes, and scores of nonprofit corporations.

But those to whom much is given, much is required. All of these assets must be managed competently, and just judging by the proportion of the proceedings devoted to financial matters, it is clear that good stewardship presents a real challenge for every jurisdiction.

On the other hand, declining membership rolls and decreasing dues revenue have left many jurisdictions with tight budgets and operating shortfalls that must be made up from endless budget cuts, tapping into investment principal, or raising dues.

The financial situation of each jurisdiction is highly variable. Washington appears to be one that has been well endowed in the past but is also planning for the future. For example:

In 2010, the Grand Lodge of Washington had an operational budget of \$783,597 of which just \$180,950 was attributable to its total per capita assessment on enrolled members.<sup>1</sup> The bulk of the remainder of the operating budget comes from a 1% "per capita net worth" fee charged to each of the Grand Lodge's various endowment funds.<sup>2</sup> The fee is not allowed to invade the principal of the investments.<sup>3</sup> Despite the operating revenue from the fee, the Grand Master recommended and the Grand Lodge adopted, a \$2 per capita assessment increase each year for five years, eventually raising Washington's total per capita assessment from \$15 to \$25. This dues increase seems to have been adopted in order to meet the challenges of the future and not to balance the budget in a pinch. According to the Grand Master, "If we do not allow for our Grand Lodge operations to be up to date in all its processes, we hold back our progress and become stagnant."<sup>4</sup>



Other jurisdictions are still living with the consequences of financial decisions made during times of peak membership and peak operational revenues. The Grand Lodge of Tennessee, despite being a large Masonic jurisdiction, has had its share of financial challenges. For example:

The Grand Lodge of Tennessee is struggling to fund a retirement plan for retired employees that make up 15% of the Grand Lodge budget, despite ceasing to add new retirees back in the 1990s. It's also looking for ways to fund a building endowment in order to take maintenance out of the operational budget.<sup>5</sup>

One reason for the current state of affairs, according to the Grand Master, was poor planning during the boom years. According to the Grand Master, the Grand Lodge per capita assessment was set at \$2 during the 1930s and remained at that level through the 1980s. Despite per capita dues not keeping pace with inflation, the Grand Lodge was able to accumulate more than \$750,000 in cash reserves by the 1970s. Nearly all of this was due to a threefold increase in membership during the peak years.<sup>6</sup>

By 2002, however, all of the cash reserves had been spent and the Grand Lodge was operating year to year. In 2011, the Grand Lodge's ways and means committee was asking for an increase to the per capita assessment from \$15.50 to \$20 in order to be able to present a balanced 2012 budget.<sup>7</sup>

### **Issue #2: Membership**

The second issue many jurisdictions are confronting is membership. At times, it seems as though the entire Masonic world is talking about it. From New Brunswick to New Zealand, Grand Lodges are addressing this. In the United States, most jurisdictions have been experiencing regular declines for many years. Yet I am happy to report that, as a fraternity, we may be at or near the end of this trend. At least, the number of raisings is beginning to approach the number of deaths in many jurisdictions.

Of the jurisdictions reviewed, Illinois represents a somewhat typical example. As of 2009, Illinois had 68,558 members. As of 2010, Illinois had 68,308 members, a relatively small decrease from the prior year, especially given that Illinois is a relatively large Masonic jurisdiction<sup>8</sup>. That year, Illinois experienced a total increase of 3532 against a total decrease of 3782, including 1800 raised against 2412 deaths.<sup>9</sup>

While not typical, some jurisdictions are doing better even than Illinois. Pennsylvania actually saw a net increase of 441 in 2010.<sup>10</sup> The District of Columbia had a net gain of 29 in 2010, the first time it has seen an increase since 1953. In looking more closely at the District, however, it's clear that the net increase was due not to an increase in raisings but rather a decrease in deaths. For example, raisings in the District were steady for the three years reported: 100 in 2008, 122 in 2009, and 119 in 2010. Deaths during that same period were 164, 172, and 131 respectively.<sup>11</sup>

Finally, as jurisdictions learn to cope with interest from prospective members in the 21<sup>st</sup> century, many are discussing the implementation of rigorous background checks. The District of Columbia studied it in 2010 and produced a thorough report on the idea, including a helpful discussion of Florida's experience. Ultimately, it was recommended that a mandatory background check program be implemented in the District.<sup>12</sup>

Similarly, in 2010 the Grand Master of Louisiana issued an edict making background checks of candidates mandatory.<sup>13</sup>

### **Issue #3: Recognition**

The third and final issue confronting many jurisdictions is the issue of recognition of other jurisdictions. Each year, all around the world, new grand lodges are formed and existing grand lodges within the same jurisdiction split from or reunite with each other. In recent years, the grand lodges of Albania, Moldova, Cyprus, and other nations have made recognition requests of other jurisdictions. Each jurisdiction has the right to consider these requests and make their own decision on whether to recognize any other jurisdiction.

In other cases, controversies have erupted in the Masonic world that causes some jurisdictions to unrecognize others because of certain issues. Most recently, this includes the Rectified Rite controversy and the controversy over the Grand Loge Nationale Francaise

(GLNF). The Conference of Grand Masters of North America has established a commission on information for recognition that publishes annual reports on the latest international recognition issues, and Masons interested in these issues are encouraged to consult that body's website.<sup>14</sup>

However, not all recognition issues are of recent origins. Here in the United States there is also a 200 year old recognition issue. Despite an unimpeachable charter from the United Grand Lodge of England for African Lodge #459, the Prince Hall Grand Lodges of this country that trace their formation back to that lodge are still not recognized by all of the "mainstream" Grand Lodges in the United States.<sup>15</sup>

Over the years, attempts by some "mainstream" Grand Lodges to extend recognition to Prince Hall Grand Lodges met with harsh reprisals by the other "mainstream" lodges. For example, in 1947 the Grand Lodge of Massachusetts investigated the origins of the Prince Hall Grand Lodge of Massachusetts and reported that its origins were legitimate. The report stopped short of recommending full recognition or intervisitation, but other jurisdictions in the United States quickly withdrew recognition from Massachusetts and in 1949, Massachusetts "unadopted" its findings on legitimacy of origins.<sup>16</sup>

As of the date of this report, the Grand Lodges of Arkansas, Louisiana, Tennessee, Alabama, Mississippi, Georgia, Florida, South Carolina, and West Virginia still refuse to recognize Prince Hall Masonry.<sup>17</sup>

In fact, the recognition of Prince Hall is still an open issue in some of these jurisdictions. For example, in 2011 the Grand Lodge of Louisiana took up the matter when it considered Resolution No. 2011-5 which would have established communications with, and ultimately recognition of, the Prince Hall Grand Lodge of Louisiana.<sup>18</sup>

Despite the fact that the United Grand Lodge of England has issued a full-throated approval of the regularity of Prince Hall Grand Lodges, and addressed the scope of the original charter and the ability of African Lodge to charter other lodges and form a Grand Lodge<sup>19</sup>. This resolution failed.

The Grand Lodge of Louisiana also considered a resolution that would have made it a Masonic offense to do any act or take any action supporting or recommending for recognition any lodge not chartered by the Grand Lodge of Louisiana. Presumably, this resolution would have applied to attempts to recognize Prince Hall Lodges. This resolution also failed<sup>20</sup>, but demonstrates the lack of consensus that still exists on this issue.

### **Applying the Lessons: Committee Recommendations**

After reviewing the proceedings of our sister jurisdictions, and in particular after analyzing the issues described above, the Committee on Fraternal Review makes the following recommendations:

- That the Grand Lodge of Iowa set per capita assessments and operating budgets based on low membership levels and not high ones.
- That the Grand Lodge of Iowa give further study to the 1% "net worth" fee adopted by the Grand Lodge of Washington as a way to supplement per capita assessment revenues.
- That the Grand Lodge of Iowa redouble efforts to (a) recruit new members, including advertising programs that capitalize on the popular fascination with our fraternity; (b) retain existing members in order to decrease the number of members dropped from the rolls for nonpayment of dues.
- That the Grand Lodge of Iowa give further study to a mandatory background check program.
- That the Grand Lodge of Iowa's Fraternal Recognition committee considers the issue of recommending withdrawal of recognition from those jurisdictions that refuses to recognize our Prince Hall brethren.

1 See 2011 Proceedings of the Grand Lodge of Washington, F&AM, at page 113.

2 See 2011 Proceedings of the Grand Lodge of Washington, F&AM, at page 67.

3 See 2011 Proceedings of the Grand Lodge of Washington, F&AM, at page 115.

4 See 2011 Proceedings of the Grand Lodge of Washington, F&AM, at page 25.

5 See 2011 Proceedings of the Grand Lodge of Tennessee, F&AM, at pages 67 and 68.

6 See 2011 Proceedings of the Grand Lodge of Tennessee, F&AM, at pages 67 and 68.

- 7 See 2011 Proceedings of the Grand Lodge of Tennessee, F&AM, at page 122.
- 8 See 2010 Proceedings for the Grand Lodge of Illinois, AF&AM, at page 170.
- 9 See 2010 Proceedings for the Grand Lodge of Illinois, AF&AM, at page 170.
- 10 See 2010 Proceedings for the Grand Lodge of Pennsylvania, F&AM, at page 374.
- 11 See 2010 Annual Report for the Grand Lodge of the District of Columbia, F&AM, at page 82.
- 12 See 2010 Annual Report for the Grand Lodge of the District of Columbia, F&AM, at page 115.
- 13 See 2010-11 proceedings of the Grand Lodge of Louisiana, F&AM, at page 21.
- 14 <http://www.recognitioncommission.org/>
- 15 <http://bessel.org/masrec/pha.htm>
- 16 For a fine discussion of the history of Prince Hall Masonry, see the paper entitled "Our Segregated Brethren" by Bro. Tony Pope available at <http://www.freemasonsfreemasonry.com/popefr.html>.
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- 18 See 2010-11 proceedings of the Grand Lodge of Louisiana, F&AM, at page 71.
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