

Standards of the Rocky Mountain Masonic Conference

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Purpose

The purpose of the Rocky Mountain Masonic Conference (RMMC) shall be to:

1. Provide a forum for the member jurisdictions to exchange matters of Masonic interest.
2. Facilitate the development of Masonic Education Programs for participating jurisdictions.
3. Provide an informal meeting opportunity that allows for the presentation of information that is of a common concern or interest.
4. Maintain and expand communication between participating jurisdictions and strive to achieve mutual support for new and innovative programs and concepts.

Annual Conference/Arrangements

The RMMC shall meet annually, starting in the morning on the third Friday and Saturday in the month of July, at a location determined by the host jurisdiction.

1. The host jurisdiction will be responsible for arranging the lodging, refreshments, meal schedules, events for ladies, any entertainment, and transportation for those who commute by air.
2. The Agenda, theme, and topics for the Conference will be the responsibility of the host jurisdiction. Presentation topics will be distributed to member jurisdictions by mid-March for presenters to choose and plan presentations.
3. The sitting Grand Master and Grand Secretary of the host jurisdiction will serve as the President and Secretary of the Conference.
4. The Vice President is the officer who will be the Grand Master of the host jurisdiction the following year.

Costs

Each jurisdiction will be responsible for the cost of their delegates. Annual registration costs will include a package price for lodging, meals, general conference costs, and entertainment. The host jurisdiction will be responsible for the RMMC Website Domain Name fees (rmmc-afam.org). There will be no Website Host costs due Grand View Systems agreeing to not charge a hosting fee as long as they receive website support acknowledgement. Conferences should be self-funded, but it is understood that the host jurisdiction may experience some costs.

Participants

Participants will be representatives selected by the individual jurisdictions.

Host Jurisdictions

Host jurisdictions will be responsible for collaborating with Grand View Systems to update and maintain the website for the year they host the Conference.

Participating jurisdictions and the rotation of the conferences are:

2020 Nebraska	2024 Wyoming	2028 Colorado
2021 Arizona	2025 Idaho	2029 Nebraska
2022 Montana	2026 New Mexico	2030 Arizona
2023 Nevada	2027 Utah	

The rotating schedule will be followed with the understanding that substitution may be allowed due to extenuating circumstances.

Addition of Jurisdictions to the Conference

Additional jurisdictions, at their option, may join the RMMC with the approval of the other member jurisdictions, and enter into the rotation.

Voting Powers

The official delegates and voting members of the Conference will consist of the senior officer in attendance from each member jurisdiction.

Recording / Distribution of Proceedings

The Recording Secretary will be provided by the host jurisdiction for the Grand Masters and Grand Secretaries section of the Conference. The cost of recording and distributing the minutes will be borne by the host jurisdiction.

Membership Fees

No Membership fee is required.