

# **AREA 75 PROPOSAL**

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## **It is proposed:**

The Area 75 PI, Special Needs Chair, Webmaster, and the Registrar update the wheelchair-accessibility information-capability on the Area 75 website.

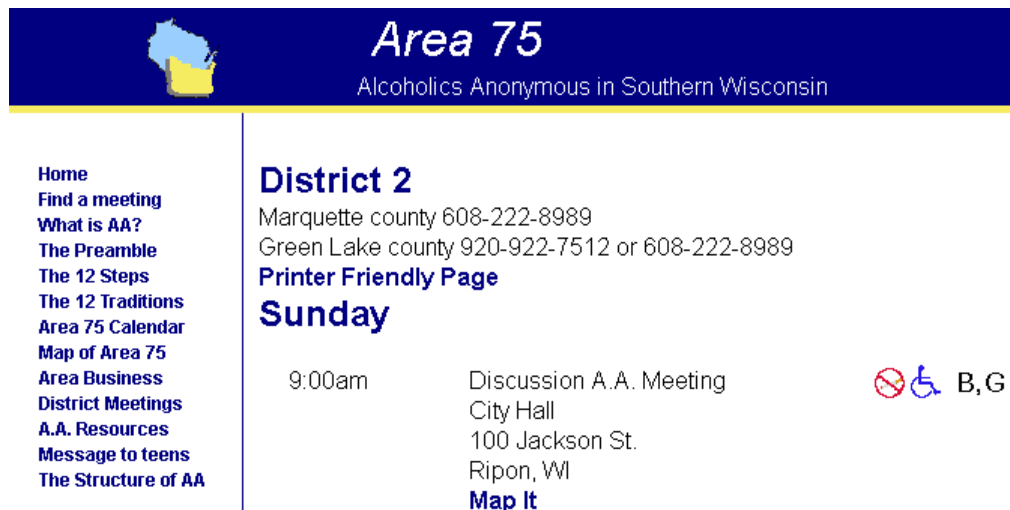
- The wheelchair accessibility information should consist of a set of single-character indicators that reflect the wheelchair-friendly features of the meeting facility.
- The legend for all the indicators should appear on each meeting directory page on the website.
- A flyer or notice requesting that DCMs update wheelchair accessibility information on the Area 75 Website could be included when sending out Group Information Update sheets from GSO.

## **Benefits of the Proposal**

The proposal would provide more accurate information about meeting facilities for those AA members who depend upon wheelchairs

## **Background & Supporting Documents**

This proposal originated from a discussion regarding wheelchair access to meeting facilities at the Area 75 – District 2 Service Workshop in August 2013. How a “typical” meeting listing might appear with the new information (one suggestion – there are many ways this information could be presented):



The screenshot shows a website header for "Area 75 Alcoholics Anonymous in Southern Wisconsin". On the left is a navigation menu with links like "Home", "Find a meeting", "What is AA?", etc. The main content area displays "District 2" with contact numbers for Marquette and Green Lake counties, a "Printer Friendly Page" link, and a "Sunday" meeting listing. The listing includes the time "9:00am", the location "Discussion A.A. Meeting City Hall, 100 Jackson St. Ripon, WI", and a "Map It" link. To the right of the listing are icons for a no-smoking sign and a wheelchair accessibility symbol, followed by the text "B, G".

## **Estimated Funding Required**

This proposal would only require additional funding from Area 75 if the Registrar has to send a copy of the request to a DCM via postal mail.