

1st VDG CABINET REPORT (Mid-Winter Conference and 3rd Cabinet Meeting)

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I had opportunities of attending executive committee meeting, voice symposium planning meeting, few zone chairs meetings, IPDG's Fellowship service meeting, FVDG/DGE online seminars, Budget review meeting, MD2 Diabetes awareness seminar, 2-X1 charities board meeting, District Governor's Christmas Dinner, and several clubs' membership/service activities in the past several months..

As well, I completed the ALLI training in LA, completed the DGE all assignments and project and I am now ready to go to St. Charles for the in-person training in early February (Feb 6 to Feb 10).

Over the past months, I had couple of communications (phone and text messages) with the Plano City Council member Anthony Riccardelli about establishing a new Lions Club in Plano. Initially, he was very motivated but recently he advised me that since he and his peers, Council member Lily, are very busy for other activities and election they will have to hold this for now. I have verbally notified this to Governor Fred Conger. I am not sure how it goes but the initial step has started.

I plan to start collecting the names for the next years cabinet and various committees soon. As well, I plan to start compiling the next year's District Directory within a couple of months.

I have been assisting Governor Fred and his team on any assigned responsibilities and will continue doing this.

Respectfully submitted,
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First Vice District Governor