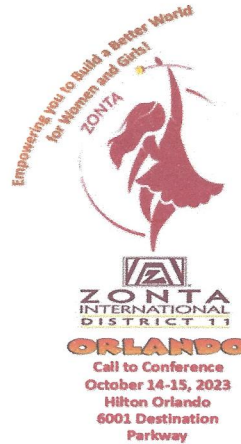


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NOTICE TO CLUBS ON DECISION TO HOLD AN ELECTRONIC DISTRICT BUSINESS CONFERENCE

Having 1) conducted a thorough review of contracts, expenditures, financial obligations; and 2) heard the voices of district members; the District 11 Board approved a hybrid in-person and electronic district conference. It is our intent to ensure that our district clubs may fully participate in the democratic process that underpins all that we value.

This notice along with the Call to Conference 2023 serves as the official notice to District 11 Clubs on how we will proceed with a hybrid in-person and electronic district 11 conference.

- **The district conference will be held in Orlando, Florida at the Hilton Orlando. Electronic Services will be provided by the Hilton Orlando Internet Services.**
- **The District Conference will be held on October 12-15, 2023:**
 - October 12 – Board arrives
 - October 13 – Pre-conference Board meeting (all day) & Winter Park Visit 12-4pm
 - October 13 – Reception for in person attendees (afternoon 6:30-8pm)
 - October 14 – In person (all day) & electronic conference (half-day 8:45am -Noon)
 - October 14 – Closing Reception & Awards Celebration (6:30 -8:30pm)
 - October 15 – Post-conference Board meeting (morning)
- All attendees will need to register, details are provided in the Call to Conference package which was released in August, and can be found on the D11 Website.
- All Clubs will need to complete the credentialing process by September 23, 2023.
- A Delegate Training Session is scheduled for September 23, 2023.
- Elections and Voting on District 11 Business will be held in advance via a Pre-Conference Business Meeting to be held on September 28, 2023.

Additionally, the Bylaws of Zonta International require the Governor to issue a Call to Conference at least 60 days before the conference. This Call to Conference was released separately on August 15; and included the Conference agenda, the proposed District Budget, Slate of Candidates and details on other district business matters.

We hope these accommodations will permit the district to smoothly move business forward while still engaging our delegates and club members.

Club leaders should direct any questions to their respective area director who will in turn bring those questions forward to the District 11 Board.