



THE MISSISSIPPI SOCIETY

July 25, 2020 NSSAR Trustee Report

The NSSAR Trustees Meeting (ZOOM) was held this past Saturday, July 25, 2020 at 2:00 pm EST. A number of items were discussed and highlighted below.

1. The next Trustee Meeting is scheduled for August 29, 2020.
2. Fall Leadership 2020 in Louisville has been cancelled.
 - a. Trustees will have a ZOOM Meeting September 26, 2020.
 - b. Those registered for the Fall Leadership are ask to refrain from cancelling their reservations with the Brown Hotel to allow HQ time to work out a plan to carry reservations forward to the Spring Leadership March 2-4, 2021. HQ will keep those registered informed as to how to proceed.
 - c. Committee reports submitted for the Spring Leadership book are available for download via the ShareFile.
 - d. All regularly scheduled committees are encouraged to have a meeting prior to the leadership meeting date, September 26, 2020.
 - e. Candidates for National Office are soliciting via email for endorsement and will be given an opportunity via a ZOOM meeting to present themselves.
3. Changes to the SAR Logo Contest Rules were presented. The final four designs will be distributed via ShareFile.
4. The PG appointed a replacement for the South Central District VPG vacancy.
5. NSSAR HQ has been fully operational since the day after Memorial Day, except for the genealogy staff, who are still working remotely from their homes due to space constraints at HQ.
6. Criteria for loan forgiveness have been met for loans received due to the COVID-19.
7. There is a major concern regarding the safety and security of NSSAR HQ in Louisville due to the unrest, rioting and protesting. All of this is taking place about 4-5 blocks away from HQ. Measures are taking place to secure external, interior structures, window and etc.

Respectfully submitted,

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