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UPDATE - Ontario State Convention

In keeping with the mandated "stay at home" strategy, Supreme has proposed that jurisdictions host a 'Virtual Convention' and have been working diligently on perfecting a Virtual platform for us to use to hold our Virtual Convention. There is presently a 2020 Virtual Convention banner on our State Website. As information is provided it will be updated

Here is what is proposed with more to follow:

- There will be an Ontario State Council Virtual convention, May 2, 2020.
- Resolutions, Elections and Financials will be done virtually.
- All councils are invited to register to vote. Two votes per council allowed. One person per vote for registration purposes. The cost for each registration is \$45.00. Please go to the following URL to register.

https://ontariokofc.ca/convention-2020/

For those who previously registered as delegates, there is no need to re-register. Enclosed is an excel spreadsheet of those who have registered.



2020 Convention Book

 A digital copy of "the 2020 Ontario State Convention book" will be available on our website under the publications button at a date still to be prescribed. Should you wish a hardcopy of the convention book either in English or French or would prefer not to receive a hardcopy of the book at all, please specify at the time of registration. For those that have already registered please send an email, informing us as to whether or not you wish a hardcopy of the book.

Registration closes at midnight, on April 10, 2020.

- For those who already registered for the State Convention in Niagara Falls (May 1-3, 2020), a refund has been processed. This was done either towards your credit card or a return cheque depending on how you had registered.
- Please understand that the refund was minus \$45, which
 was kept for each of the pre-registered convention
 participants. These funds will be utilized to fund the Virtual
 Convention to be held on May 2, 2020. The \$45.00 fee is for
 the registration of delegates which are representing their
 councils for the voting to take place for resolutions and the
 elections, and to print the 2020 Convention Book.

More information will be provided to our member councils with regards to the convention as it becomes available.

Fraternally yours,

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