



Convention 2023 ... Regional Assembly I Minutes

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION FOR NUDE RECREATION • WESTERN REGION, INC.

De Anza Springs, Jacumba Hot Springs CA • 28th July 2023
Andy Walden, AANR Western Regional Secretary

9:04 AM AZ CA NV — 10:04 AM CO NM UT WY • 06:04 HI ... **CALL TO ORDER**

00:24:42

Pledge of Allegiance and Moment of Silence – The Vice-President leads the assembled.

- “When someone you love becomes a memory, the memory becomes a treasure.” – Unknown

Introductions – AANR Members and Guests:

- Dave Carlson, SHANGRI LA RANCH member
- Deb Ferrier, SHANGRI LA RANCH member
- Claudia Kellersch, DE ANZA SPRINGS member
- Clyde Saavedra, ROADRUNNER NATURISTS member
- Suzanne Schell, LAGUNA DEL SOL and MIRA VISTA RESORT Owner
- Scott Schultz, SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA NATURIST ASSOCIATION Vice President
- Tom Stark, SHANGRI LA RANCH member
- Len Summers, Direct AANR member
- Jeff Tendick, SHANGRI LA RANCH member
- Walter Wallace, SCNA / FRIENDS OF BATES BEACH member

Host Club’s Greeting – Claudia Kellersch welcomes AANR-West and members to DE ANZA SPRINGS.

Roll Call – Officers for AANR Western Region:

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| • President | Cyndi Tendick | SHANGRI LA RANCH | AZ | present |
| • Vice President | Treena Saavedra | ROADRUNNER NATURISTS | NM | present |
| • Secretary | Andy Walden | Direct AANR member | HI | present |
| • Treasurer | David Ziegler | SHANGRI LA RANCH | AZ | present |
| • Trustee | Kathy Watzel | MOUNTAIN AIR RANCH | CA | present |

Credentials – Treena Saavedra conducts a roll call of Clubs, Delegates and Proxies:

The preliminary count is 122 votes; simple majority is 62, 2/3 majority is 81.

9:15 AM ... **SEATING OF DELEGATES**

00:35:53

Oath of Delegates – Cyndi Tendick administers the pledge and installs the voting delegates for the Assembly.

Approval of Minutes – The 2022 AANR Western Regional Assembly:

- **Motion 2023 № 07-A1** by Scott Schultz, seconded Claudia Kellersch ... **122 | 0 | 0** → **PASS**
“... the Minutes for the 2022 Regional Assembly for the American Association for Nude Recreation, Western Region, on 29th July 2022, be approved as written.”

Adoption of Rules, Order of Business & Agenda – The 2023 AANR Western Regional Assembly:

- **Motion 2023 № 07-A2** by Fredericka Carlile, seconded Walter Wallace ... **122 | 0 | 0** → **PASS**
“... the Rules, Order of Business and Agenda for the 2023 Regional Assembly of the American Association for Nude Recreation, Western Region, on 28th and 29th July 2023, be adopted.”

Ratification of Actions – The 2022-2023 AANR Western Regional Board of Directors:

- **Motion 2023 № 07-A3** by Deb Ferrier, seconded Michelle Carlson ... **122 | 0 | 0** → **PASS**
“... the actions taken by the 2022-2023 Board of Directors of the American Association for Nude Recreation, Western Region, by approved as legislated.”

President – Cyndi Tendick stands by her report as written:

- Looking forward to a second two-year term as President with new projects in the works.
- A major project this year has been updating the By-Laws and Procedure Manual to reflect modern technologies.
- One of our oldest clubs – The Olympians – has decided to fold. The two remaining members will go to GESC.

Vice President – Treena Saavedra stands by her report as written:

- The “Director Spotlight” in *The Western Sun* is a popular feature and will continue in future newsletters.
- Our assistance is helping DE ANZA SPRINGS’ owners and members navigate changes to policies and property.
- The Naturist Society’s conference was at SHANGRI LA RANCH which was an opportunity to bridge the gap!

Secretary – Andy Walden stands by his report as written:

- It is exciting to be *back to* DE ANZA SPRINGS *for the first time* as a club with familiar faces and places.
- The hope is to continue serving the Region as its secretary for another two years, with the delegates’ approval.
- AANR has fought for and defended our clothes-free privilege for 92 years and our mission is to go another 92!

Treasurer – David Ziegler stands by his report as written:

- The saying, “We can’t afford it,” has changed to, “I think we may be able to do that!”
- The Region’s finances are good. Net assets are up from two years ago and goals are being accomplished.
- Virtual meetings are opening the travel funds for allocations to support festivals, liaisons and promotions.

Trustee – Kathy Watzel presents her verbal report:

- AANR will be celebrating its **100th Anniversary** in eight years, so regions are urged to budget and plan for it.
- The Trustees have had a busy year with one of the biggest topics being our *right* to be nudists, especially in custody cases where, in a pending divorce, one parent might object to the children going to a nudist venue.
- The Government Affairs Team continuously monitors legislation which can affect our privileges, and AANR has provided *amicus curiae* information in defense cases where simple nudity is involved. It is a reminder that being an AANR member has value.
- The annual National Conference of State Legislatures summit will convene in Indianapolis this August. Once again, AANR will be represented where our collector pins are popular, and we have the opportunity to educate and enlighten legislators on the wholesome nature of our nudist culture.
- Amazon shuttered *AmazonSmile* in February in which AANR was a part of this charity fundraiser program. We are still participating in *Wreaths Across America* so everyone is encouraged to buy – and \$5 for each wreath sold goes back to AANR as a charitable gift.
- Lots of updates to the *aanr.com* website! There are brochures available, including ones for women, first-timer visitors and with general information. A new Sports page was added where clubs and individuals can highlight upcoming events with the public.
- AANR’s Convention and General Meetings will be at Solair Recreation League in Woodstock CT. The weeklong event starts 7th August with meetings on Wednesday through Friday – available on-line as well.
- There is a background check service available for clubs through the AANR office with a \$10 per report fee.
- Other points of concerns tackled over the past year include:
 - Addressing questions about antiquated state laws regulating nudity among unmarried persons;
 - Assisting a club courting potential buyers and sellers;
 - Brainstorming strategies for responding to issues created by former employees of a club;
 - Facing questions related to cameras in clubs, either on buildings or in vehicles;
 - Focusing on questions related to mandatory nudity policies at clubs;
 - Giving guidance and resources, including case law and information, to nudist parents seeking adoption;
 - Offering analyses of proposed bills limiting “performances” where minors may be present;
 - Providing the results of a university study outlining the strong dollar value of nude tourism;
 - Responding to a club concerned about prospective changes to its county’s nudity laws;
 - Reviewing potential legalities associated with a new B&B allowing nudity under certain circumstances;
 - Supplying data and support of an INF initiative to obtain recognition of Nudism as a cultural practice.



BL & PM Legal } Larry Gould previews for the delegates seven proposed changes to the Ruling Documents:

Motions can change during meetings. A club which proxied their votes away cannot change their choice if the spirit of the motion shifts in discussion. This is the reason for eliminating proxy voting. With the technologies available, clubs and direct members are able to attend remotely which, hopefully, will spur more membership participation.

BL Art. IV, § BAdding verbiage to clarify existing deadlines for the Regional Assembly.
BL Art. IV, § C ₁ & C ₂Clarifying the process of delegate selection.
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- ☞ *Suzanne Schell* – An important decision-making tool of the Convention is the Candidates Forum. These proposals are detailed processes rather than rules, including the “technology team.”
- ☞ *Kathy Watzel* – The Procedure Manual is much easier to change than the By-Laws. There needs to be a process for assuring that a candidate is an AANR member in good standing as of the Assembly.



- ☞ *Scott Schultz* – It will be for the individual clubs to inform their members of pending ballot measures and upcoming elections. Information will be available on the website and in *The Western Sun* newsletter.
- ☞ *Judy Tomboc* – Each club will decide how they want to collect votes from their members and the club’s delegate(s) will then carry that count to Assembly. Direct AANR members will also carry their one vote.

Internal Administration – Tim Mullins has nothing to report to the Regional Assembly.

Finance – Elizabeth Tharrington stands by her report as written:

The Region has a net revenue of approximately \$7000 with the largest expenditure being on equipment, insurance and professional services. This committee will soon meet to plan for the 2024 Budget which will be discussed at the Fall Board of Directors meeting in November.

Public Relations – Committee reports are postponed by the President without objection.

Membership – Elizabeth Tharrington stands by the report as written:

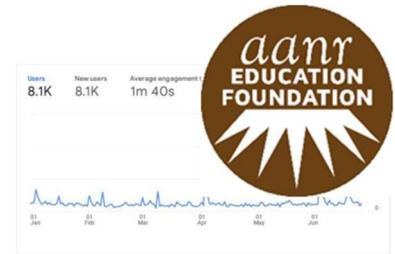
- **Diversity & Inclusion** – Linda Weber reports the Haiku writing contest was a success. Of the fifty entries received, five winners were selected based on format, theme, language and original content. All entries are scrolling on our website and the winning entries will be featured in *The Bulletin*. Congratulations to Beth Salter (East), Steve Albert (Florida), Tim Foxworthy (Midwest), Sam Bishuti (Northwest) and Carl Hild (West).
- ☞ *Cyndi Tendick* – Stemming from an issue at a club regarding LGBTQ clientele, where some members are taking offense whilst others are inviting, this committee will gather information regarding this issue. AANR-West will leave it to the individual clubs but want to provide resources in making knowledgeable decisions. It is the policy of the Region to encourage a welcoming environment to everyone.

Public Relations – Each sub-committee reports individually:

- **Website** – Tom Stark stands by his report as submitted:

An *impression* is the number of digital views or engagements of an advertisement, digital post, or web page. AANR-West has had 326,000 impressions in July. Translation: our outreach creates visits to the website.

☞ **Cyndi Tendick** – *The graph of when is our website being viewed shows an average of 60-70 visits daily yet there are two big spikes: at the beginning of April when the Haiku contest began, and at the start of June as the contest closed. More engagements like these are needed!*



- **Newsletter** – Gary Holden has nothing to report to the Regional Assembly.

- **Social Media** – Gary Holden stands by his report as submitted:

The AANR Social Media subcommittee identified key issues to develop strategies and improve effectiveness. One recent change is that AANR will not dictate to the individual regions how to conduct their social media accounts; they are, however, willing to help those which may be struggling or presently have no presence.

☞ **Tom Stark** – *Due to the way Facebook controls its platform, if one account is thrown into “jail” for any term-of-service violation, all associated accounts are also locked down as well. To avoid jeopardizing the other non-AANR OneStoneWeb clients, Cyndi Tendick has volunteered her rarely-used account; all AANR-related pages are now reinstated.*

Club Relations – Michelle Carlson stands by the reports as submitted:

- **Friends of Little Beach** – The AANR Weekly Report on 16th June published a comprehensive report on the nude beach at Mākena on Maui. It describes the status of the cove fronting Pu‘u Ōla‘i – popularly known as Little Beach – its importance to Nudists, the effect the State Senate Bill *HI 2023 SB 1136* could have on access to the beach, and a call to action with e-mail addresses to state representatives.

- **Hawaiian Naturist Park** – One or more adjacent lots may become available, allowing the Klingmans to expand their property and add accommodations. The covered lānai now has furniture, fireplaces and a foosball table! Tropical Storm Calvin passed south of the Island on 18th July causing heavy rains and intense winds, but no reported damage.



- **Swim Free Hawaii** – Captain Chuck Hauptert expects another busy Summer. TS-Calvin was inconsequential on the Kona side.

- **Southern Utah Naturist Society** – The Johnsons have once again opened their secluded backyard pool and garden for swim parties, movie and game nights, pot-lucks, hot-tubbing and other fun events.

Marketing – Cyndi Tendick stands by the report as submitted:

- **Multinational Outreach** – Andy Walden reports on the remarkable growth of Nudism in México, thanks in part to the efforts of Héctor and Andréa Martínez. They, and other social media influencers, have opened their country to Naturism on a scale thought impossible – and to a younger demographic too. The Martínezes staged *Día al desnudo* events this past Spring, and are active on X (né Twitter), Patreon and OnlyFans platforms.

☞ **Suzanne Schell** – *There are owners at MIRA VISTA RESORT who recently bought a place in Zipolite. They love the town and encourage people to visit and support the businesses there.*

☞ **Claudia Kellersch** – *The town has recovered from last year’s fire. The annual nude festival attracts 8000+ visitors from around the world. There are hotels, restaurants and shops – all enjoyed in the nude.*

Women in Nude Recreation – Each subcommittee reports individually:

- **Internal** – Kay Nauta writes a monthly column for *The Western Sun* newsletter. “The WiNR Wire” has proven to be quite popular, especially the club trivia piece printed a few months ago.

- **External** – Linda Weber reports on the “WOW — Women One Word” calendar created by Andee Rodgers. A hundred have already sold at \$20 each with proceeds going to the AANR Education Foundation.

☞ **Cyndi Tendick** – *Andee has also developed the womeninnuderecreation.com website as well as the clever IMPERFECT stickers (a creative play on words) which send a wonderful, positive message.*

Family – Trena Saavedra has nothing to report to the Regional Assembly.

Young Adults – Cyndi Tendick has nothing to report to the Regional Assembly.

Scholarships – Larry Gould presents his verbal report:

A decision was made at the Spring 2023 Board of Directors meeting to transfer monies collected to the AANR Educational Foundation. The foundation is a 501(c)(3) charitable organization in partnership with, yet independent from, the AANR operations.

☞ **Cyndi Tendick** – *The BL&PM Committee needs to update the Ruling Documents to reflect the withdrawal of regional scholarships in favor of the educational foundation.*

Sports – Freddie Carlile and Judy Tomboc stand by their reports as submitted:

The AANR-West Summer Festival at GLEN EDEN SUN CLUB was a resounding success with various tournaments and prizes, lots of photographs, and activities for everyone. Questions about AANR were answered at an information booth. Karaoke on Friday and a *black-tie* event Saturday evening highlighted the weekend.

☞ **Claudia Kellersch** – *The Dare to be Bare 5K Nude Run was in June with 154 timed runners and a total of 230 nude participants at GLEN EDEN SUN CLUB. Click to gleneden.com/5k-nude-run for a list of results.*

By-Laws & Procedure Manual
Legal

} *The President defers these committees' report without objection.*

Government Affairs – Steven Schubert stands by his report as submitted.

Arizona lawmakers proposed bills aimed at regulating adult-themed entertainment, the most egregious of which, if strictly applied, could present concern for nude recreation in the state. Upon advisement from AANR, the Governor, the bills' sponsors and committee chairpersons were all sent a letter. Gov. Hobbs vetoed the bills on 16th June.

☞ **Tim Mullins** – *The GAT report to AANR is 28 pages! The team is using a new analysis program to track legislations which affect our interests under the guise of protecting children, regardless of parents' rights.*

Conventions & Facilities – *The President defers this committee's report without objection.*

Credentials – Treena Saavedra updates the numbers:

The secondary count is 138 votes; simple majority is 70, 2/3 majority is 92.

12:12 PM ... NOMINATIONS

03:32:20

	SEAT	INCUMBENT	CLUB	STATUS		NOMINEE
	President	Cyndi Tendick	SLR	eligible	open	Cyndi Tendick (SLR)
	Vice President	Treena Saavedra	RRN	eligible	open	Treena Saavedra (RRN)
	Secretary	Andy Walden	Direct	eligible	open	Andy Walden (Direct)
	Treasurer	David Ziegler	SLR	eligible	open	David Ziegler (SLR)
Directors	Freddie Carlile	Direct	eligible	open	Freddie Carlile (Direct)	
	Michelle Carlson	SLR	continuing	occupied		
	Larry Gould	Direct	continuing	occupied		
	Gary Holden	Direct	eligible	open	Gary Holden (Direct)	
	Kay Nauta	MAR	eligible*	open	Jeff Jackson (RMN)	
	Liz Tharrington	Direct	continuing	occupied	Steve Schubert (SLR)	
	Judy Tomboc	GESC	eligible*	open	Walter Wallace (SCNA)	
	Steve Schubert	SLR	eligible	open		
Linda Weber	Direct	continuing	occupied			

* Though eligible, two incumbents have chosen not to stand for reelection to the 2023-2024 Board of Directors.

NOMINATIONS REMAIN OPEN UNTIL ELECTION TIME ON DAY II OF THE REGIONAL ASSEMBLY

Cyndi Tendick – Instead of the traditional Candidates' Forum, those nominated are encouraged to talk one-on-one with members and delegates in a less intimidating environment.

12:23 PM PDT FRIDAY ... ASSEMBLY IN RECESS

03:43:43



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 Andy Walden, AANR Western Regional Secretary

9:08 AM PDT SATURDAY... RETURN TO ORDER — COMMITTEE REPORTS (CONT.) 00:01:06

NOMINATIONS FROM THE FLOOR ARE STILL OPEN UNTIL THE CALL FOR ELECTIONS

BL & PM – Larry Gould reviews the modifications made as a result of Friday’s discussions: The feedback from the assembled helped clarify what ought to be a by-law and what should be a procedure. The By-Laws is an enabling document outlining *what* can be executed, whereas the Procedure Manual prescribes *how* the by-laws can be accomplished. The committee therefore decided to revise four and withdraw three.

BL Art. IV, § C₁ & C ₂	Clarifying the process of delegate selection, language added.
BL Art. IV, § C ₃ to C ₆	Replacing vote allocation to “one person/one vote.” Relocate to PM.
BL Art. IV, § B	Adding verbiage to clarify existing deadlines for the Regional Assembly.
BL Art. IV, § C ₁ & C₃	Eliminating proxy votes.
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Legal – Larry Gould presents his verbal report: This committee worked in conjunction with BL & PM; therefore, please refer to the preceding statements.

Conventions & Facilities – Treena Saavedra stands by her report as submitted: The AANR Western Regional Fall Festival will be 6-8 October at SHANGRI LA RANCH. As for the Fall and Spring Board of Directors meetings, the incoming Board will determine the times and places; club representatives are urged to submit bids. The 2024 AANR Convention is slated to be held at DE ANZA SPRINGS next August.

Credentials – Treena Saavedra updates the numbers: The tertiary count is 138 votes; simple majority is 70, 2/3 majority is 92.

CLUB <i>PROXIED</i>	DELEGATE	VOTE	CLUB <i>PROXIED</i>	DELEGATE	VOTE	CLUB <i>PROXIED</i>	DELEGATE	VOTE
Buff-A-Teers	L. Sommers	2	Lupin Lodge	<i>provisional</i>		the Sequoians	<i>no credentials submitted</i>	
Canyon St Nat	L. Gould	1	Mira Vista Resort <i>to NCE</i>	T. Mullins	18	Shangri La Rnch	D. Ferrier	12
Clothes-free Int'l <i>to SLR</i>	D. Ferrier	1	Mohave Sun Clb	L. Weber	2	So CA Nat Asn	S. Schultz	3
de Anza Springs <i>to SLR</i>	D. Ferrier	13	Mtn Air Ranch	K. Watzel	21	So UT Nat Soc	<i>provisional</i>	
Front Range Nat	<i>no credentials submitted</i>		North'n CA Exp	T. Mullins	1	Sun Tree Travel	<i>no credentials submitted</i>	
Glen Eden Sun	<i>no credentials submitted</i>		North'n NV Nat	<i>no credentials submitted</i>		Wasatch Nat	<i>no credentials submitted</i>	
Hwn Nat Park	<i>provisional</i>		Olive Dell Rnch	<i>no credentials submitted</i>		Fredericka Carlile (direct AANR)		1
Laguna del Sol	S. Schell	57	Olympian Club	<i>charter relinquished</i>		Larry Gould (direct AANR)		1
LV Bares	<i>no credentials submitted</i>		the Pacificans	<i>no credentials submitted</i>		Elizabeth Tharrington (direct AANR)		1
LV Naturists	<i>no credentials submitted</i>		Roadrunner Nat	C. Saavedra	2	Andy Walden (direct AANR)		1
Le Club	<i>no credentials submitted</i>		Rocky Mtn Nat	<i>provisional</i>		Linda Weber (direct AANR)		1

Western Nudist Research Library – Kay Nauta stands by the report as submitted:

The library sponsored a presentation of “California Dreamin’” highlighting Nudism in the Golden State. This inspired a GLEN EDEN SUN CLUB member to make a generous donation. Library President Mark Pavelchak also gave the presentation at SHANGRI LA RANCH where WNRL received a \$1500 contribution from the Region.

9:32 AM ... INDIVIDUAL REPORTS

00:25:05

Gary Mussell – Andy Walden presented the report as submitted:

An estimated 350 riders participated in the tenth annual World Naked Bike Ride, Los Angeles, in June. The event is a demonstration for better cycling safety, more bikes and less cars, and body acceptance. AANR and club literature were handed to people who learned that Naturism was *a thing!*

Linda Weber – Recently voted onto the B.E.A.C.H.E.S. Board of Governors as well as Naturist Hub has helped bring new ideas to the region. A newfound culinary group called *The Fude Experience* describes itself as, “... a liberating space that celebrates our most pure selves, through plant-based cooking, art, nudity [*sic*] and self-love.”



9:43 AM ... BREAK

00:35:35



10:06 AM ... CALL FOR A VOTE

00:57:53

By-Laws & Procedures

Legal

} Cyndi Tendick presents the four motions to the Delegates for a decision:

- **Motion 2023 № 07-A4** by BL&PM, duly seconded by Committee ... **138 | 0 | 0** → **PASS**.
“... BL Art. IV, § B, be updated.”
- **Motion 2023 № 07-A5** by BL&PM, duly seconded by Committee ... **138 | 0 | 0** → **PASS**.
“... BL Art. IV, § C, sub-§ 2, be updated.”
- **Motion 2023 № 07-A6** by BL&PM, duly seconded by Committee ... **138 | 0 | 0** → **PASS**.
“... BL Art. IV, § C, sub-§ 1 be rewritten.”
- **Motion 2023 № 07-A7** by BL&PM, duly seconded by Committee ... **138 | 0 | 0** → **PASS**.
“... Art. IV, § C, sub-§ 3-6 be deleted from the By-Laws and written verbatim into the Procedure Manual.”
☞ **Andy Walden** – *The By-Laws & Procedure Manual Committee withdrew from consideration the other three motions presented earlier.*

10:23 PM ... ELECTION OF OFFICERS AND DIRECTORS

01:15:55

Cyndi Tendick – The four officer seats are open and nominations for the respective incumbent candidates have been received and certified. A call for any further officer candidate nominations is thrice requested.

« *Oyez! Oyez! Oyez!* »

NOMINATIONS ARE CLOSED FOR THE OFFICES OF PRESIDENT, VICE PRESIDENT, SECRETARY AND TREASURER

- **Motion 2023 № 07-A8** by Larry Gould, seconded Kathy Watzel ... **138 | 0 | 0** → **PASS**
“... in the interest of time and the collegiality of this Assembly, the nominations for Officers for the American Association for Nude Recreation, Western Region, be hereby accepted and that the delegates approve them for their respective offices by acclamation.”

Cyndi Tendick – There are five Board of Directors seats open and five nominations for candidates have been received and certified: Fredericka Carlile (DIRECT AANR), Gary Holden (DIRECT AANR), Jeff Jackson (ROCKY

MOUNTAIN NATURISTS), Steve Schubert (SHANGRI LA RANCH) and Walter Wallace (SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA NATURIST ASSOCIATION). A call for any further directorship candidate nominations is thrice requested.

« *Oyez! Oyez! Oyez!* »

NOMINATIONS ARE CLOSED FOR THE OPEN SEATS ON THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS

- **Motion 2023 № 07-A9** by Larry Gould, seconded Debra Ferrier ... **138 | 0 | 0** → **PASS**
 "... the delegates accept the ballot of nominees as Directors for the American Association for Nude Recreation, Western Region, by acclamation."

	SEAT	NAME	CLUB	TERM*	
	President	Cyndi Tendick	SHANGRI LA RANCH	2021	2025
	Vice President	Treena Saavedra	ROADRUNNER	2022	<u>2025</u>
	Secretary	Andy Walden	DIRECT AANR	2019	<u>2025</u>
	Treasurer	David Ziegler	SHANGRI LA RANCH	2021	<u>2025</u>
	Directors	Freddie Carlile	DIRECT AANR	2021	2025
		Michelle Carlson	SHANGRI LA RANCH	2022	<u>2024</u>
		Larry Gould	DIRECT AANR	2022	<u>2024</u>
		Gary Holden	DIRECT AANR	2021	2025
		Jeff Jackson	ROCKY MTN	2023	<u>2025</u>
Liz Tharrington		DIRECT AANR	2022	<u>2024</u>	
Steve Schubert		SHANGRI LA RANCH	2023	<u>2025</u>	
Walter Wallace		S CAL NATURIST ASN	2023	<u>2025</u>	
Linda Weber	DIRECT AANR	2020	2024		

* Those incumbents with an underscored term year will be eligible to stand for reelection at the end of their present tenure.

10:28 AM ... AWARDS PRESENTATION

01:20:44

Treena Saavedra – The 2023 AANR Western Regional Awards are:

- **Membership Increase by Number** – MIRA VISTA RESORT with 48 additional members.
- **Membership Increase by Percentage** – WASATCH NATURISTS with a 46% gain.
- **Man of the Year** – *no nominations received.*
- **Woman of the Year** – Cynthia Holbach, SCNA: serves on their Board of Directors as the Membership Chairman and Certifying Officer; has helped to increase AANR memberships; serves on The Naturist Society’s Foundation’s Board and organized the recent TNS Festival at SHANGRI LA RANCH as well as their thrice-annual *women only* gatherings.
- **Family of the Year** – The Babish Family, MOUNTAIN AIR RANCH: Danny & Jamie, along with daughters Tyley, Finely and Mosly, are essential to the growth and success of MAR. They host karaoke nights; Danny heads the Publicity Committee, developed the website and is on the Membership Committee with Jamie; they participate in all family events and encourage younger memberships.
- **Young Man and Young Woman of the Year** – *no nominations received.*
- **Bill Hawk Sportsmanship Award** – *no nominations received.*
- **Bob Page GAT Memorial Award** – *no nominations received.*
- **AANR Western Region Hall of Fame** – *no nominations received.*



10:33 AM ... SEATING OF THE 2023-2024 OFFICERS AND BOARD OF DIRECTORS

01:25:40

Oath of Office – Kathy Watzel officiates the pledge and installs the Officers and Directors.

☞ *Cyndi Tendick* – *The oath for Jeff Jackson will be administered at the November BoD meeting.*

10:35 AM ... BUSINESS REFERRED TO THIS ASSEMBLY

01:27:50

2024 Convention – No bids have been received yet for next year’s Regional Assembly. However, the Board has sixty days to decide, revise or change the location so this is withdrawn and will be an interim motion in due time.

- **Motion 2023 № 07-A10 ... 0 | 0 | 0 → TABLED**
 - ☞ **Claudia Kellersch** – *When AANR-West hosted the AANR Convention in the past, the two assemblies were scheduled back-to-back which was fiscally expedient for travel expenses. AANR is scheduled to meet at DEANZA SPRINGS in 2024, so perhaps this region ought to consider returning to Jacumba Hot Springs as well.*

10:37 AM ... NEW BUSINESS FOR THIS ASSEMBLY

01:29:36



10:39 AM ... ANNOUNCEMENTS & GOOD OF THE ORDER

01:31:40

Larry Gould – There is a *hamburger, hot-dog and brät* grill being hosted at 6:30 PM. Look for the beautiful red Dodge pick-up. A full array of *mise-en-place* is available and all AANR members and families are invited.

Tom Stark – Music and entertainment poolside with trivia questions and prizes. A wonderful opportunity to mingle with the residents and guests of the host club. Let us get to know our members and socialize with them.

Cyndi Tendick – Sunday morning is the Incoming Board of Directors meeting beginning at 9:00 AM. The plans and goals for the coming year will be discussed.

Suzanne Schell – It has been a challenging year for LAGUNA DEL SOL with the New Year’s flooding and then — with contracting, labor and supply issues — it took until Memorial Day weekend to get the damaged room back into inventory. Access to the park was restricted at times due to various hazards. Melanie Thorne is the new Vice President of Operations and the main contact for enquiries; and *Naked Man* starts the first week of August!

10:45 AM PDT ... ADJOURNMENT

01:38:00

President – Request for Adjournment:
With no objections, the 2022-2023 AANR Western Regional Assembly is adjourned by proclamation.

Respectfully Submitted,

Secretary, AANR Western Region

