



## Grand Council, R&SM Western Canada

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### DISTRIBUTE TO YOUR COMPANIONS

My Companions,

Due to the spread of COVID-19 virus it is advisable that all Councils in Western Canada consider cancelling meetings. There are many Companions with compromised immunity systems that are very vulnerable. Please advise our Grand recorder of any cancellations and there will be no fee for a dispensation for any changes.

In consultation with the executive and past Grand Masters I have decided to **postpone our Grand Council Assembly in Chilliwack, BC in April**. Once again, many Companions will have to travel across western Canada and it's a risk that is not worth taking. Any Companion who is at this time registered we will be sending out a refund in the next week or so.

When the virus crisis is over, the executive will let everybody know when we will be having the installation of our Grand Officers.

Companions in the mean-time please take care and take advice from your health care professionals.

Sincerely and Fraternaly

*Les Robinson*

Grand Master

Forwarded for your information: 14 MAR 2020

Sincerely and fraternally,

*Jerry W. Kopp*

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Grand Recorder