## **Vice Chair Report**

I have been participating in Region 5 Assemblies for a long time as a Representative and as a Chair of my Intergroup. I love to attend Assemblies and to meet with all of you from different Intergroups across Region 5. When I come to Assemblies I get to see my OA family.

I thank you for the honor of serving as your Vice Chair. Service is important to my abstinence and program. I am still learning the position. I have heard some wise words about service in groups, Intergroups, and Region "God does not call the equipped, but equips the called. I see this as an opportunity to learn and grow following Deanna on this pathway of service.

I am looking forward to the Assembly March 8th, 9<sup>th</sup> and 10<sup>th</sup>. We will be reviewing our goals for the coming year and determining what subcommittees are worthy of our attention. Be sure to look over the sheets on smart goals which we will focus on to find the best subcommittees to serve our needs. I find it helpful to have copies in your packet to keep track of suggestions in the brainstorming session. From the last Assembly I remember we will be changing one subcommittee so you may want to be thinking about a new area of program to direct our energies.

Remember to spread the excitement about the upcoming convention "Many Symptoms, One Solution" September 6 – 8, 2024 in Cleveland at this hotel.

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