

The committee met online on Sunday October 1, 2023. The following were in attendance.

Butch G – Chairman

Reba L – Co Chairman

Alyssa A.

Luis O.

Patrick G.

The Digital Oversight Committee had only one item that it worked on since the Trustee meeting in Cleveland. That item was forming the What's App group originally named the Trustee Line, currently named Trustee What's App Group. The purpose of this group was to have an experiment to improve communication between Trustee's in between meetings.

Within 1 week after the meeting in Cleveland, every current Trustee and executive board member was invited to join this Group. So that everyone would know what the purpose was, we named it the What's App Trustee Line, the purpose was not to confuse anyone, it was just the name we came up with and it stuck, for lack of any other ideas on what to name it. Marc L. raised an objection and the name was changed to the "Trustee What's App Group."

Originally 34 current Trustees signed up to the group. Currently 49 Trustees are members. 7 are members outside of the United States or Canada.

There have been 31 conversations ranging from introducing ourselves to complex topics regarding how things are done regarding Gamblers Anonymous issues in different areas. Responses have been as few as

one or two, but many have been 8 or more. Topics rarely last longer than one day, before another topic is introduced.

The use by current members has been overwhelming in that not only are the members using the platform, the number of overseas participants truly makes this feel like an international organization. The conversations have felt organic, with honest back and forth without a feeling of being put down or somehow out of place. It has achieved exactly what we were hoping for, on a much larger scale.