

Stated Clerk Report / Presbytery of Santa Fe

October 20-21, 2017

For Action by the Presbytery:

- (1) That the Presbytery approve the location of the July 2018 stated presbytery meeting at Penasco, Emmanuel
- (2) That the Presbytery vote on Datil's request for waiver of the Book of Order limitations on Elder's consecutive terms of service (G-2.0404)
- (3) That the Presbytery vote on granting concurrence to overture to 223rd General Assembly (2018) from Mission Presbytery (Report #100)
- (4) That the Presbytery receive Report #4a "Addressing the Imbalance of Ruling Elder Commissioners for 2017"
- (5) That the Presbytery receive Report #4b, "Updated Review of Session Records 2017"
- (6) That the Presbytery receive the Annual Reports (#s AR)
- (7) That the Presbytery receive the edited Bylaws and Standing Rules (posted on website) containing the changes to Ordered Ministry Titles caused by the passage of the Book of Order Amendments in 2017 which edits by the Stated Clerk were previously authorized by the Presbytery

Clerk's Announcements:

- (1) Clerk's second request for copies of church deeds and proof of liability and building insurance
- (2) Special Recognition

For information only:

- (1) That the Presbytery review the draft new Standing Rule Proposal for Public Statements (Report #4c) as a first reading to be voted on at the February 24, 2018 stated presbytery meeting
- (2) That the Presbytery review for information only a draft rule (not adopted) for the Coordinating Team dealing with Public Statements (posted on website)
- (3) Reminder of upcoming 150th Anniversary Celebration of the original presbytery of Santa Fe in 2018
- (4) Other activities of Stated Clerk:
 - a. Have attended the final Sunday worship services of Rev. Glenn Perica at Farmington, First and Rev. John Guthrie at White Rock
 - b. Have visited 2 additional churches as Stated Clerk (Ranchos de Taos, Ranchos – 125th Anniversary Celebration and Albuquerque, La Mesa)

Please note the following dates and locations for the 2018 meetings of the Presbytery of Santa Fe:

Saturday and Sunday, October 21 – 22, 2017 – Ghost Ranch (Annual Meeting)

Saturday, February 24, 2018 – Albuquerque, Covenant

Saturday, July 28, 2018 – Location To Be Determined At This Meeting

Saturday and Sunday, October 20 – 21, 2018 – Ghost Ranch (Annual Meeting)

Respectfully submitted,

Stephen Rhoades

Stated Clerk