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STATE ADVOCATE REPORT

Worthy State Deputy, Reverend Fathers, Worthy State Officers, Worthy Supreme Representative, Delegates, and Brother Knights;

I was elected to the position of State Advocate during the 2019 State Convention.

During the past year, I have worked on tasks assigned by the Alaska State Council. I have attended all Alaska State Council meetings and online meetings with the Assistant Regional Growth Director -West, Chuck Davlin.

I worked with the Worthy State Deputies to assure Council compliance with the Knights of Columbus Safe Environment Program.

With the help of the Supreme Advocate's Office I received clarification regarding a Grand Knight's authorization to distribute Council funds without notifying Council members. I also submitted a request to extend the quorum requirement waiver to Alaska Councils having more than one-hundred members. Request was denied.

Tasked by the Worthy State Deputy, I worked to revise the Alaska State Council by-laws. Additional work is required and should be completed in the near future.

I organized a Delta Church Drive for Council 9581 and with help from Worthy State Deputy Bill Chrisman, held the Delta Church drive on March 7 and 8.

I have received all resolutions, including resolutions for nominations of Alaska State Council officers and have forwarded them to the Resolution Committee.

Worked through the District Deputies to forward the 2019 Tax Information for K of C Councils and Assemblies to all Grand Knights, Financial Secretaries, Faithful Navigators, and Faithful Comptrollers.

It has been an honor to serve as the State Advocate during the past year. I'd like to thank all of the Alaska State Council Officers and District Deputies for your help during my time in office.

Vivat Jesus.

Fraternally,

Doug Wright

Alaska State Advocate