

Rhode Island Al-Anon Family Groups (RI AFG)

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TITLE: Rhode Island Al-Anon Family Groups (Area 49) Policy Creation and Revision Process

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1. PURPOSE

To improve clarity and define process for creating and revising policy.

History: The Policy Committee was created in 2008 to assist the area in formulating official policy.

More Background Information: The Policy Committee created the attached flowchart to show the policy creation and revision process.

- 1) GRs collect new policy ideas and feedback on draft policies from their groups, add their own comments, and present this information to the appropriate DR.
- 2) DRs collect new policy ideas and feedback from their GRs, add their own comments, and present this information as follows:
 - (a) New ideas will be directed to the AWSC. If the AWSC finds the idea viable, it will direct to the Policy Committee. See the flow chart.
 - (b) Feedback on draft policies will be presented to the Policy Committee. See the flow chart.
- 3) Draft policies distributed to the area will include a deadline for feedback.
- 4) In the process of researching a policy, the Policy Committee will consult with AWSC member(s) whose area of responsibility relates to the policy.

Policy 01-2010 – Policy is created and revised following the steps in the attached flowchart.

RI AFG Policy Creation/Revision Flowchart (Final Draft)

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