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## SOUTHWEST QUETZALCOATL ASSOCIATION

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To: Supreme Executive Board
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During the Western States Quetzalcoatl Association Meeting in San Antonia on April 15, 2023, The Southwest Quetzalcoatl Association was authorized for reinstatement by the Supreme Executive Board. The following Teocalli's make up the new Southwest "Q" Association: Capital De Texas, T-58), Cludad Acantilada, (T-96), Tlahul Ozomahtli, T-127, Cholula, T-133, Tezcatlipoca, (T-172), Moreno Pelicano, (T-185), Tlaloc, (1964) and Verde Cocodrilo, UD, (174).

The following Officers were elected: James M. Sims, Chief Camaxtli, Henery W. Aden, Chimalma, John D. Ashley, Huemac, Keith D. Kennedy, Titlauacan, Zibe W. Lewis, Tlacuilo / Calpixque, Romeo V. Denghel, Cautemoc and Robert D Goodrich, Nezahuacoyoti. A brief meeting was held to start the process of setting up the new association. The By-Law committee was chaired by James Sims, Chief Camaxtli and Everett Pepper, (T-127), Bank accounts were established.

By-laws have been submitted to the membership and unanimously approved, submitted to Supreme Jurisprudence, approved and posted on the Supreme Website.

It was agreed that the first annual meeting would be held in Lafayette, La, on August 3, 4 & 5, 2023 at the Holiday Inn and Suites. We had a 100 percent attendance by the members of the new SWQA Association. We had a total of 57 warriors in attendance, we also created seven new Artisans. We convened both an executive board and an annual meeting. All officers were re-elected for the ensuing year of 2024. A lot of good fellowship was had by all who attended.

The expansion is playing a large part of the new SWQA. We are working to establish new Teocalli'S in Fort Worth, Dallas, Tyler and Waco, Texas.

We are very close to establishing new Teocalli's in Fort Worth (Moslah Shrine). The new Name will be Pueblo de Vacas T-1846 "Cowtown 1849 we have interest form 61 proposed new Coate's. Dallas (Hella) are working to establish an completely new Teocalli with a new number we have interest from 26 proposed new Coate's.

Progress on Tyler and Waco efforts are progressing but at a slower rate.

As soon as we can move Fort Worth and Dallas forward while we work with Tyler and Waco we will start working to pull Lake Charles and Beaumont together to form one strong Teocalli.

As far as Arkansas, we are working with members of Sahara Shrine. We don't have a total number of interested possible Coate's at this time.

As the expansion efforts continue, we will keep everyone posted.

Over the las three or four months we have been working on anew SWQA website. We hope to have the website up and running by the end of September. When the site becomes operational you should receive a email directing you to the website,

Our Midwinter SWQA meeting will be on March 7, 8 & 9, 2024 in Shreveport, La, Chief Aide Bruce Osbon (T-185) and Danny Mullen, T-133 are planning an awesome meeting with lots of events being planned.

Our Annual Business Meeting and Election of Officers will be held on July 11 thru. 14, 2024 in Galveston or Houston, TX. More to come on this event.

A Necrology report was given with the loss of Two Warriors from the SWQA being visited by the Black Camel: Ralph Muench – T-96 Past Camaxtli, Past Tlacuilo, OKET #6 and David Billings – T-1964 Camaxtli, OKET #7.

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