

Letter from the MHOAA President

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We are now two months into the New Year and I am confident that our organization will be successful in growing our membership in 2008.

As you know from my previous communications, we have been working with APAC from Minnesota, who has been successful in acquiring a grant to help our organization build a new membership program. This is very important if we are going to have our collective voices heard in all areas of the State & Federal Government.

The program's membership building efforts will target old as well as new member states in an effort to add their voices to the chorus of our present membership. This will reinforce our nationwide effort to make sure that all Americans are treated equally when it comes to Manufactured Housing. In order for MHOAA to be an effective organization, we need all States regardless of their size or numbers of mobile homes on leased land.

“Remember, There is Strength in Numbers”

Along with the states that have State Associations, APAC will be working with many of the States that have not developed a grass roots effort to form an organization or need help in strengthening one in it's infancy.

I would also like to report at this time that we are in the process of working on the date and place for the 2008 annual meeting. I will try to make information available as quickly as possible and hope to have more to report to you about this in the next few weeks. So keep checking the website as we will post it here first.

I would like to also let you all know that APAC has stepped forward in a big way and provided assistance in helping plan our 2008 annual meeting. Their willingness to help, is greatly appreciated.

We have managed to have two conference call meetings of the board since the annual meeting. With everyone's hectic schedules and the Holidays, it was difficult to schedule more than that. I am planning to have another one very soon to discuss the project plan that APAC has proposed. All of the information about it will be on the website as soon as we have worked out the details.

I am looking forward to the next annual meeting and know that with any luck we will have many new members to welcome into our organization.

Thank You

Charlie Gallagher, President

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