

**Society of American Archivists
Council Meeting
July 24, 2017
Oregon Convention Center
Portland, Oregon**

**Vice President/President-Elect's Report
(Prepared by Tanya Zanish-Belcher)**

I continued to participate in frequent calls with the President and Executive Director.

I participated in calls with the CoSA/NAGARA/SAA Leadership Group.

I assisted with the creation of an SAA Statement related to the U.S. Census, as well as others currently being considered by the Committee on Public Policy.

- Appointments Process

I continued to finalize the appointments, with a second call for volunteers, specifically for the following groups and committees. Felicia created a spreadsheet for me to consider the applicants for the Brenda S. Banks Travel Award Subcommittee, the Task Force for Research/Data and Evaluation, and the Technical Subcommittee on Guidelines for Reappraisal and Deaccessioning. I hope to complete these appointments prior to the annual meeting. The Host Committee also remains to be appointed, and again, I hope to have the majority of appointments completed by the annual meeting.

- Orientation Process for New Council Members

I participated in the orientation (via phone calls, emails, and face-to-face) for our newest Council members, and will be sharing out the PowerPoint presentations (developed by Nancy and Felicia) with other Council members.