

# District 16 Motion

**Motion #2**

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**Motion:**

To change the definition of a closed meeting in the District 16 meeting schedule to:

Closed meetings are for A.A. members only, or for those who have a drinking problem and “have a desire to stop drinking.”

No changes would be made until next printing.

**Intent/Purpose:**

To be consistent with the definition of a closed meeting in A.A. General Service Conference-approved literature. To be more inclusive to newcomers who may not know what it means to be an “A.A. member.”

**Current Practice:**

Current schedule reads:

A closed meeting is limited to members of the local A.A. group or visiting members from other groups.

No definition was given on the schedule prior to the most recent batch of schedules (June 2011).

**Budgetary Impact:**

None. No changes would be made until next printing.