

The following resolutions were read during the Annual Business Meeting but were not included with the substantive resolutions in the journal *Copeia*. For the sake of being “complete” they are included here.

RESOLUTION FOR LARRY ALLEN, MO DONNELLY & AWARD PRESENTATIONS.—WHEREAS the JMIH has a history of recognizing its distinguished members for their accomplishments and service, and

WHEREAS Larry Allen presented fragments of an award, and

WHEREAS Mo Donnelly simply forgot the award, and

WHEREAS Larry and Mo were spared backlash from the membership,

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the JMIH be recognized for their “faux” giving natures towards their award-lapsing president and president-in-waiting.

RESOLUTION FOR THE IMPORTANCE OF ATTENDING THE PLENARY SESSION.--WHEREAS FHSASIH recognizes accomplishments of and dedication by its esteemed members by presenting prestigious awards at the annual JMIH meeting, and

WHEREAS recipients are identified through secretive procedures by committees, albeit well in advance, and

WHEREAS it is of utmost importance to societal security that identity of awardees is kept secret, and

WHEREAS it is especially important to keep award recipients completely in the dark,

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that award recipients remain anonymous for eternity, by having all society members swear to complete secrecy and redacting names from meeting minutes published in *Copeia*, and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that an award recipient be prevented by all means (legal or otherwise) from attending the awards ceremony, including keeping them occupied in other (meaningless) activities (such as working with their students on presentations), and even going to extreme measures such as locking them in bathrooms.

RESOLUTION REGARDING PRESENTATION OF HERPETOLOGICAL TEACHING AWARD.-- WHEREAS the JOINT Plenary Session occurs annually and early on the first day of these meetings, and

WHEREAS many members of all societies attend the JOINT plenary to honor distinguished speakers of ALL taxonomic persuasions, even those who “just can’t possibly be done” on time, and

WHEREAS the JOINT plenary is when members of ALL SOCIETIES honor awardees recognized in disciplines that they otherwise pay little attention to,

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the names of the distinguished persons being honored with awards given JOINTLY by the membership of ASIH AND HL AND SSAR not be treated as privileged information divulged on a need-to-know basis when two-thirds of the societies members who were kind enough to attend the plenary apparently do not need to know.

RESOLUTION ON SMOKING.-- WHEREAS second hand smoke is an unpleasant and unhealthy phenomenon, and

WHEREAS the GSR has designated smoking sections separated from non-smoking sessions only by air, and

WHEREAS the GSR does not allow smoking out doors,

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the ASIH holds future meetings in a state like Colorado where second-hand smoke promotes collegiality.

RESOLUTION ON PRESENTATIONS.-- WHEREAS oral presentations at scientific meetings are typically delivered in an electronic format, and

WHEREAS presenters rely on functioning electronics to deliver their presentations, and

WHEREAS the first case of a missing presentation should be a signal to the AV people to check for the presence of the remaining presentations, and

WHEREAS this signal apparently was not sent the first time, second time, third time... or ever,

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that scientists always carry their presentations on flash drives so that they can actually give their presentations.

RESOLUTION ON THE OLDEST PROFESSION.-- WHEREAS prostitution is legal in Nevada, and

WHEREAS large numbers of male professionals form a natural target for prostitutes, and

WHEREAS the egos of said male professionals render them interested in speaking to friendly young people,

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the JMIH check the name tags when getting on the buses in future meetings to ensure that the opening reception is full of herpers not hookers.