

District 17, District Council Meeting #1 Realignment Changes– Explanatory Notes.

The following information is intended to provide background information to support a motion that will be tabled at the District 17 Virtual Council Meeting.

Motion

That the District Council endorses changes to the Realignment approved at the May 2022 District Council meeting, being the inclusion of new club OMTID Toastmasters in Area C1, the removal of Dynamic Speakers from Area N24 and the inclusion of Subiaco Early Birds in N24.

Background

The Realignment presented to and approved by the May 2021 District Council Meeting anticipated that Toastmasters International would treat a number of clubs in certain ways based on the submission of dissolution paperwork and the timing of suspensions, however the list of clubs for the District in 2022/23 to allow them to implement the approved realignment did not match the approved list. The treatment of Dynamic Speakers and Subiaco Early Birds was queried with Toastmasters International but Toastmasters International required that they were included and that the change was endorsed by the District Council.

The approved Realignment showed OMITD as a potential new for Central Division, however the club was not chartered at the DCM and there was uncertainty about it chartering during that year, it managed to charter on June 30, and now needs to be included.

Note

These proposed changes were endorsed by the District Executive Committee at their meeting held on 11 September 2022.