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Greetings Convention Delegates, Attendees, and those who are unable to attend,

The 2018 USMS Annual Meeting, held in conjunction with the USAS Convention, at the HYATT Regency Jacksonville Riverfront, September 26-30, will be here before we know it!

Sections of the pre-convention packet have been posted and are available on the <u>2018 USMS Annual Meeting page</u>. Information includes the schedule and meeting rooms, national committee reports and meeting agendas, proposed amendments, as well as other important documents and announcements.

2018 Elections: Important update on Electronic Voting

The Elections Committee is excited to bring electronic voting to the HOD which will replace our current process of paper ballots. Not only will we receive election results much faster, we will also save time on distributing and counting ballots.

For a preview of the 2018 election ballot and step-by-step instructions, <u>please read the Guide to Electronic Voting</u>. In preparation for the electronic ballot at convention, you will be receiving a mock election to test out the waters next week!

Thank you for all that you do for USMS and we are looking forward to seeing you in Jacksonville!

Please let me know if you have any questions, Jessica

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