

**GENERAL GRAND CHAPTER  
ROYAL ARCH MASONS INTERNATIONAL**

**2017 – 2020 GOALS AND OBJECTIVES:**

**SEEKING LIGHT**

**I. LEADERSHIP DEVELOPMENT:**

**Recruitment of leaders and officer development through mentoring and training.**

**Improved Regional Conferences**

**Development of training courses via the internet for greater local education, involvement and improved participation.**

**Provide for the Evaluation of Emerging Leadership Program and creation of other beneficial programs.**

**II. INTERCHANGE:**

**Improve member communications via Royal Arch Mason magazine, E-Newsletter, Social Media sites and revised web-site.**

**Encourage the ability of General Grand Chapter elected officers to work within their team and partnership arrangements.**

**Improve external communications with other international organizations and the world.**

**Establish new improved opportunities and activities in mentoring new members while promoting the recruitment, retention, and continual involvement of our membership.**

**Improve communication with local membership, their Grand Chapter and the general public.**

### **III. GOVERNANCE :**

**Establish a better concept of the organization being more responsive to its members.**

**Enhance leadership accountability to Royal Arch Masonry.**

**Explore the generation of additional income. An example would be the establishment of a GGCRAMI company store selling items of interest and benefit to the craft. Create financial stability for the General Grand Chapter Royal Arch Masons International and generate long range financial plans.**

**Improve the overall governance and administrative procedures of the General Grand Chapter Royal Arch Masons International.**

**Promote the revision and updating of the Constitution and Standing Regulations of the General Grand Chapter Royal Arch Masons International.**

**Promote the charity and philanthropy of the General Grand Chapter Royal Arch Masons International – Royal Arch Research Assistance Incorporated.**

**Create additional recognition opportunities for improved performance at all levels.**

**Implement the use of administrative educational materials used in the development and expansion of subordinate and new Grand Chapters.**

**Copyright the General Grand Chapter ritual and the music to accompany the degrees.**

#### **IV. HIGHER EDUCATIONAL OPPORTUNITIES:**

**Improve utilization of the internet for access to increased understanding of the History / Symbolism / Explanation of the degrees.**

**Establish courses for internet usage whereby a member can improve competency in various subject areas in the four ritual degrees of Royal Arch Masonry.**

**Establish criteria for Ambassadors / DGGHPs / Committees – responsibilities and increased accountability – Specific expectations and job descriptions as necessary.**

**Increase the overall membership awareness and knowledge of the purpose and function of the General Grand Chapter Royal Arch Masons International.**

**Encourage the establishment of a General Grand Chapter Lodge of Research or Author's Guild – Work up Quarry Project.**

**Continue evaluation of the Emerging Leadership Program and the creation of additional programs of benefit.**

**Improve Regional Conferences and/or other learning opportunities.**

**Develop an interactive tool for member involvement with educational opportunities.**

## **V. TEAMWORK:**

**Establish Partnerships between the General Grand Chapter Royal Arch Masons International and the member jurisdictions.**

**Institute creative teams working on common problems through enhanced innovation and improved information distribution between organizations, officers and members.**

**Create a new image by thinking outside the box to define responsibilities and establish accountability for both teams and committees.**

**Establish greater unity, awareness and respect through successful involvement of Teams and Partnerships.**

## **VI. LIGHTING THE WAY for the CONTINUATION OF ROYAL ARCH MASONRY:**

**Establish a long range or strategic plan for the future of the GGCRAMI.**

**Develop initiatives for the continued overall funding of the GGCRAMI for it to become financially self supporting in the future as far as possible.**

**Enhance, strengthen, improve, and integrate the overall positive image and reputation of the GGCRAMI to its member Grand Chapters.**