MEDIATION OPPORTUNITY

Aloha Ann, Jeff and Susan ~

Clearly we're at impasse at this time without a clear path to resolution. You noted your frustration working with me. The group stepped down Wednesday, May 22nd. We've formed an ad hoc Reunion 50 committee to move forward. Your unwillingness to cooperate with the transfer is confusing. I accept that you do not prefer partnering with me. Found it difficult to work with you. Rehashing battles doesn't reach compromise, and refusing to transfer Class of 1975 assets to the new committee forces us to continue negative behavior. Why not simply give us a chance?

We differ apparently over the issue of allowing classmates to vote. I request a robust poll so classmates can choose between Plan A or Plan B. You do not support this request. Plan A follows the agenda from the 40th reunion. Plan B is an enhanced agenda.

By cooperating with me, you win! We will hold a vote — if classmates select Plan A, you get exactly what you want. You win!. If classmates however select Plan B — you win also. The base of Plan B is Plan A. Plan B simply includes additional activities. Either way, you win!

Thus, I do not understand the reasoning for this Scorched Earth strategy. You can tell your friends and networks that I'm a bad character; I can say the same about you. We could continue this banter for another year. Classmates lose. They conclude ALL of us are bad. They are mad. So, what is your endgame?

To this point, my communications have been by text, email or PDF, posted online. These are temporary and have limited exposure. If you agree to cooperate, all history will be deleted and our energies will point forward. If you prefer to continue frustrating our efforts, I will make these communications permanent, searchable and part of Internet history. I'll assume you seek a long, drawn out battle. Again, I'm unsure your endgame. What do you really want?

I send this Mediation Recommendation tonight, so you get it when you wake. I'll begin work around 8:00am HST, about noon for you, on transferring the communications. I offer you an opportunity to resolve our issues by 12:01pm MDT, Tuesday, June 4, 2024.

- 1. Request Ann Jesse Driever send by text confirmation agreeing to transfer authority to Reunion 50 committee. Two efforts confuse and cast shadows over classmates and HHS RAMS. Allow this committee to represent classmates. Please include a specific date to transfer class funds.
- 2. Request Jeff Waldron send by text the login credentials for Class of 1975 Facebook page.
- 3. Request Susan Mattivi-Gierga send by email most-updated Class of 1975 roster in Excel format. This information will be ported to the website administrative app for committee member use.

Your cooperation ends our painful dispute. We can move forward for the class, and hopefully begin work to heal feelings and restore good faith between us.

Thank you!

Scott Goold Class President