Commentary for Executive Committee Meeting Lodge Leadership Development, 11/10-11/2012

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Purpose: To help the brothers of our lodge understand the decisions made by the elected representatives (ie. Chapter Chiefs and Vice Chiefs). If there are any questions about the Lodge Executive Committee and the decisions made, please feel free to contact the Todd Goldfarb, Lodge Chief. Commentary is marked in **bold**.

Below are the highlights of the meeting. To see full details of the meeting minutes, please go to the downloads section of the lodge website and click LEC Minutes.

Motion Passed:

Daniel Salgado moves to approve a sash design to be worn for additional recognition of Elangomats at future Ordeals.

This is a brand new type of recognitions for our elangomats. This idea spawned form visiting the Tutelo lodge back in September. WE have designed a special red sash with white embroidery for our elangomats to wear while they serve during the ordeal weekend. Be sure to volunteer in March (Yes, there will be an ordeal in March, see below), May or September as an elangomat!

Motion Passed:

Brandon Kelly move to change the wording on Page B-11, Article V, Section 1, is changed in Paragraph 5 to read, "The third weekend for events is determined by the third Saturday of the month; Weekend events will begin on the Friday immediately preceding the third Saturday and end on Sunday."

This is a subtle change in the planbook that will clear up any confusion regarding when we schedule lodge events. We will schedule lodge events on the third weekend of the month, more specifically, going by the third Saturday of the month. For example, if the month starts on a Sunday, then that will not count as first weekend of the month.

Motion Passed:

Daniel Salgado moves to add an Ordeal to Spring Pow Wow 2013.

This is a program addition to our 2013 calendar. Please note this is not a permanent item and only has been added for 2013. The officers will put a plan together for this, as it affects a number of chapter responsibilities. The plan will be sent out by January 1, 2013. We want this to be a smooth process and appreciate everyone's cooperation.

The next Executive Committee Meeting will be held on January 13, 2013 at the Council Office.