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Guys, here's the plan:

For our region to thrive, the first step is

STRENGTHENING OUR CHAPTERS

- ✚ Giving chapters the necessary tools to **engage members** both on and off board.
- ✚ Creating counterpart networks to promote **sharing of ideas and best practices**.
- ✚ **Increased communication and flow of resources** from Regional Board members to chapter board members, strengthening all aspects of a chapter.
- ✚ Seizing Regional Execs as an opportunity to assess the state of chapters and **tailor plans of success**, and planning the conference accordingly.
- ✚ Effectively and positively publicize AZA around our region to **improve our image** and **strengthen our recruitment efforts**.



We must vitalize our brotherhood and achieve

REGIONAL UNITY

- ✚ **Increasing the level of brotherhood** throughout the region by bringing a **new significance to AZAA**.
- ✚ Realizing that regional events are a **special time** for bringing a diverse region together, and planning with the goal of **creating opportunities for bonding**.
- ✚ Making AZA separates **more diverse** and **more relevant** to the wants and needs of the region.
- ✚ Pinpointing the **traditions and customs** that make Mountain unique and **reflecting them** through programming.
- ✚ Continuing and **enhancing the momentum** of simultaneous council events such as J-Serve and AZA Shabbat.



We must then create opportunities for

REGIONAL INVOLVEMENT

- ✚ Giving Alephs the opportunity to **create their own chair positions**, enabling them to turn their ideas into realities.
- ✚ Making planning and **leading programs like mixers and electives** at regional events more accessible.
- ✚ Creating a regional board blog to maintain a **closeness and transparency** between the region and the board.
- ✚ Introducing the creation of **ad hoc committees** for specific, temporary purposes.



Finally, we must use our strength to

PUT MOUNTAIN ON THE MAP

- ✚ Intensifying our IC and summer program pushes to **involve Mountain Region** more heavily in the International Order.
- ✚ Creating a regional model that **other regions can learn and grow** from.
- ✚ Disseminating our resources throughout the order to **help out chapters and regions far and wide**.
- ✚ Encouraging chapters to **form partnerships** with other chapters across the order to **give perspective and depth** to our AZA experience.

QUALIFICATIONS

FELIX FRANKFURTER AZA #2409

- ✚ 42nd Term Aleph Shotare Kotone
 - Kept the chapter safe from intrusion.
- ✚ 43rd Term Aleph Moreh*
 - Recruited, educated, and inducted seven AITS.
- ✚ 44th Term Aleph S'gan*
 - Coordinated a diverse, fun, effective calendar.
- ✚ 45th Term Aleph Co-Moreh
 - Prepared and executed an effective recruitment plan and curriculum.
- ✚ 46th Term Aleph Godol^
 - Revolutionized the operation of a chapter board.
 - Oversaw the recruitment and education of seven AITS.
 - Oversaw a doubling in chapter funds.
 - Took the largest AZA chapter delegation in the region to Conclave.

MOUNTAIN REGION AZA #47

- ✚ 63rd Term Aleph Shotare Godol
 - Passed out papers like a boss.
 - Kept in touch with my counterparts...?
- ✚ 64th Term Aleph Shaliach^
 - Introduced the democratic Stand UP cause selection.
 - Planned interactive services and programming at regional events.
 - Coordinated a unified Mountain Region AZA Shabbat in various locations across the region.
 - Spearheaded an effective Stand UP! Campaign to combat bullying.
 - Effectively oversaw a committee in the planning of a regional day of service, J-Serve.
 - Compiled a comprehensive, creative regional Siddur.

GRAND ORDER OF THE ALEPH ZADIK ALEPH

- ✚ 2011-2012 Speak UP! Media Chairman^
- ✚ Bronze Shield of David Award Recipient
- ✚ Tree of Life Award Recipient
- ✚ Pledge & Principles Award Recipient
- ✚ February International Execs Attendee
- ✚ International Kallah Participant
- ✚ One of four BBYO reps at ALPAC Winter Saban

^ - Current position

* - First Team Award



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“BE STRONG, BE STRONG, AND MAY WE BE STRENGTHENED.”

Fraternally submitted with undying love for Felix Frankfurter AZA #2409, Mountain Region AZA #47, the Grand Order of the Aleph Zadik, and a vision of strength and unity for this region, I remain Aleph Jonathan Daniel Kanter Wasserman.