

**Updated Information to add as an addendum to the
Heartland Regional Business Minutes
Held on Saturday, September 30, 2017
3:45 – 4:30 pm**

On October 13, 2017 I reached out to Angie Palmer, National President, for the status of the Greater Midwest Region and for her input on what transpired as for as the vote to a possible merger at our business meeting at the Heartland Regional Conference.

I received her response on October 15, 2017 stating that we did not need to take any actions and the existing action our region took did not impact anything because GMW would need to be in compliance before a merger could take place.

She informed me that the Council voted that Great Midwest must show they were in compliance by December 31, 2017. She stated that as of that moment GMW had not shown that they were in compliance and had until December 31, 2017 to provide that information to National.

Below is the correspondence I received from Angie on what action had transpired.

Angie Palmer capalmer6@gmail.com

January 22, 2018

to me

Good morning, Carol,

Greater Midwest dissolved automatically as of December 31, 2017 and their membership was realigned with Heartland because they were unable to show they were in compliance. They were notified on July 5, 2017 and the Council extended the time to be in compliance to the 31st of December to allow them plenty of time. No more actions need to be taken by either region because the Council took action already in order to make the process smoother and faster for the regions to realign. The only thing that needs to be done is transfer the finances. The membership committee has made the adjustments and the Greater Midwest members are now Heartland members unless they request to be in another region. Please let me know if you have any other questions.

Angie