

To: Region 3 ExCom
CC: Region 3 Committee
Fr: Claude Pitts, Chair Florida Council (Area 4)
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Macaulay Osaisai, Vice-Chair Florida Council will hold my proxy for the April R3 Excom meeting.

SECTIONS in Area 4

Broward	Canaveral	Daytona	Florida West Coast
Gainesville	Jacksonville	Melbourne	Miami
Northwest Florida	Orlando	Palm Beach	Tallahassee

The Florida Council held a meeting Saturday April 17th a hybrid in-person and virtual meeting. Notable items:

- Our Sections had reported 110 Seminars/programs to date.
- Jacksonville Section has a robotic project, 'River Rover' which is used to remove debris from the water.
- Miami Section has created an online collection of videos from their seminars and tours and encourages others to use.
- Florida West Coast Section is making their Senior Member elevation program available to any Florida Council Section to assist in Senior nominations/Elevations.
 - FWCS WIE is joining with Sections/Chapters from Pakistan and Columbia presenting Professional Development for IEEE members
- We reviewed and made the NextGen presentations from Gerardo Barbosa
- Discussion on the impact of the approved Area changes to the Council as well as mentioned the proposed reorganization of the IEEE USA Regions
- Had a Presentation by Ed Kirchner, IEEE USA Career and Professional Development Committee, on PACE funding in 2021 and how this committee can best support Sections/Chapters/Affinity Groups going forward.

Respectfully submitted,
Claude Pitts
Area 4 Representative