

CONVENTION LIAISON REPORT

March 15, 2018

1. I have been working with Shirley Trio, 2019 Convention Chair, with the 2019 AIS Convention preparations in Northern California.
2. I am on the 2020 100th Anniversary Committee and working on putting together the AIS Convention.
3. I continue to ask the chairperson of AIS Conventions to strive to get the registrations and meeting information to the AIS Editor and the AIS Web Master as early as possible, so that the membership can have the information to make their plans to attend the convention.
4. I am also working with the 2021 AIS Convention Committee in Las Cruces, New Mexico.
- 5) I am looking for a convention site for the 2022 and beyond. If you would like to volunteer to host a convention, please contact me. The Beardless Guest Plants would need to be requested and planted in 2019.

I would like to say, the 2018 AIS Convention in New Orleans will be my last convention as the AIS Convention Liaison. We have formed a Convention Committee currently with 4 members, plus myself. Our first meeting will take place in New Orleans.

I thank ALL of you for your support over the years for assisting me.

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