

# The Grand Lodge



## Most Ancient and Honorable Society of Free and Accepted Masons for the State of New Jersey

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Report on the 232<sup>nd</sup> Annual Communication of Grand Lodge, 90<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting of the Masonic Charity Foundation of New Jersey, 14<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting of the Historic Trenton Masonic Temple, Inc., and the 4<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting of the Grand Lodge of New Jersey Ashlar Fund, Inc. held in Atlantic City, New Jersey on April 17 and 18, 2019.

### New Warrants Issued

Esperanza Lodge # 317, 6<sup>th</sup> District  
Dom Pedro # 322, 6<sup>th</sup> District  
Perucho Figueredo Lodge # 370, 6<sup>th</sup> District  
Salomon Lodge # 306, 6<sup>th</sup> District  
Logia Campana de Libertad #376, 18<sup>th</sup> District

### Mergers/Consolidations

Monmouth Lodge # 172 merged into Navesink Lodge # 9 in the 17<sup>th</sup> Masonic District.

### Necrology

We lost 430 of our Brethren to the Lodge on High, which included 95 voting members of Grand Lodge of which 29 were Past Grand Lodge officers and 2 Past Grand Masters; M.W. David A. Chase (2001) and M.W. Leopold L. Otway (1991).

### Awards

The Grand Master presented the Meritorious Service to 6 Brethren, 16 Society of King Solomon Awards and 2 Brearley Awards.

### Budget

The 2018-2019 budget was approved.

### Legislation

TITLE FOUR, ARTICLE VII, SECTION 5, Part 9	DEFEATED
TITLE FOUR, ARTICLE X, SECTION 1, Part 3	DEFEATED

TITLE FOUR, ARTICLE XII, SECTION 1, Part 1	WITHDRAWN
TITLE FOUR, ARTICLE XII, SECTION 2, Parts 2 & 3	PASSED
TITLE FOUR, ARTICLE XII, SECTION 3	PASSED
TITLE FOUR, ARTICLE VII, SECTION 5, Part 2	PASSED
TITLE FOUR, ARTICLE IX, SECTION 1, Part 3	WITHDRAWN
TITLE FOUR, ARTICLE I, SECTION 2, Part 4	WITHDRAWN
By law proposed by Frank Williams at Emergent Communication of April 5, 2019 concerning MCF assessment	WITHDRAWN

Sincerely and fraternally,

A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "John S. Ryan". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style with large loops and a prominent initial "J".

John S. Ryan, P.G.M.  
Grand Secretary