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Arthington Reconstruction and Development Association Annual Report covering the period November 2014 to May, 2015.

I want to thank ARDA Members, Board of Directors and Executive Officers for all of what you all bring to this association. Some of our humanitarian efforts for the period covering November 2014 to April 2015 included; the Georgia Insurance Brokerage, DISHONESTY BOND FINANCIAL insurance a twenty five thousand dollars, (I.E. \$25,000.00), covers the Executive Officers, the Insurance cost the association one hundred ninety seven, (I.E. \$197.00) and is good until December 2015, the name of the bonding insurance company is Georgia Insurance Brokerage located in Atlanta, Georgia, ARDA income tax for the 2014 year was electronically processed by Edward B. Cummings Pro SVC, Lawrenceville, Georgia, ARDA website is functional and operational, bereavement of members' relatives totaled in the amount of three hundred dollars, (I. E. \$300.00), an Arthington Ebola Universal Health Precaution campaign collaborative assistance of one thousand ten dollars, (I.E. \$1,010.00), partnership and led by former chairman of ARDA Board of Director, Mrs. McLeod T. Darph and currently leader of the Concern Citizens of Arthington. ARDA bank account is with Bank of America and effective May 28, 2015 her balance is six thousand two hundred forty seven dollars and eighteen cents, (i.e. \$6,247.18).

Other areas covered in this report will include ARDA General Chaplin, Treasury, Secretary, Financial Secretary, Arthington Road, P.L. G. Askie Library, and Arthington Clinic.

ARDA Executive Officer Insurance Coverage, Arthington Reconstruction and Development Association Georgia Insurance Brokerage, this DISHONESTY BOND FINANCIAL Policy has a value for twenty five thousand dollar, (I.E. \$25,000.00), and covers the Executive Officers. The total expense for the Insurance is one hundred ninety seven dollars, (I. E. \$197.00), and the coverage is good until December 2015. The insurance company is in Atlanta, Georgia.

ARDA income tax for the 2014 year was electronically processed by Edward B. Cummings Pro SVC, Lawrenceville, Georgia. Also ARDA 501 (C) (3) tax filing for years 2011, 2012, 2013 and 2014 was submitted to IRS for Arthington Reconstruction and Development Association income and/or tax purpose. The total for preparation fee for 2014 was two hundred fifty dollars, (I. E. \$250.00).

ARDA expenditure for bereavement was three hundred dollars, (I. E. \$350.00) for this period.

ARDA partnership with the concern citizens of Arthington, as a matter of fact an initiative plan was implemented to conduct a Universal Health Precaution awareness program. In addition, the leadership of ARDA former Chairman of the Board of Directors, "Mrs. McLeod T. Darph," undertook a humanitarian effort through the concern citizens of the City of Arthington and ARDA USA. The goal was accomplished, in light of empowering the citizens of strategic towns in the City of Arthington to communicate with the Ministry of Health of the Republic of Liberia during cases of Ebola and/or Ebola Deaths. Chairman Mrs. Daroph was very diligent in her efforts to ensure Arthington did not experience cases of Ebola. The association assisted this initiative with one thousand ten dollars, (I. E. \$1,010.00).

ARDA Board of Directors appointed an Interim Executive Government at the 2014 convention held in New Haven, Connecticut namely; Mr. Harry M. Moore, Jr President, Mr. Dakollie Lavala, Vice President/General Secretary, and Mr. Maxwell Peal, as Financial Secretary. Rev. Mother Danietta Bryant continued as General Chaplin. All members mentioned in the latter attended the excellent employed and implemented 2014 convention.

President Mr. Harry M. Moore, Jr. encouraged and advocated for the May 31, 2015 execution of ARDA Executive Officers Election by appealing to the ARDA members, Board of Directors and Executive Officers. This initiative as noted was mandated for election by the Board of Director and consistent announcement done at monthly general meetings for election to take place May 31, 2015.

The following members donated money to assist with Arthington Road and they are as follows:

- 1.) Napoleon Askie \$500.00
- 2.) Walt Wright \$100.00
- 3.) Spenser Clarke \$216.00 (NP)
- 4.) Dakollie Lavala \$050.00
- 5.) Harmon Warsaw \$025.00

ARDA Board of Directors approved for the money to be transferred to former chairman Mrs. Darpoh who was coordinating efforts with ARDA, the concern citizens of Arthington and/or other Liberian personnel. The mentioned money was approved but never sent to Mrs. Darpoh. The association needs to collaborate with Mrs. Darpoh, and ARDA puts in place the recommendation to employ a staff to maintain and run the library for \$50.00 a month.

ARDA will consider shipment of three microscopes donated by Rev. Dale Epple and Rev. Evelyn Epple for the City of Arthington.

ARDA Website is operational and functional. The website Maintenance and operation continued to be contracted out to STAL, Inc. The website was updated in September of 2014 and is in good functioning and/or operational conditions.

Membership continued to be a challenging factor because a few members remained loyal, hardworking, contributed financially to the association interest, attended ARDA 2014 convention, other convention, and general monthly meetings. Objectively some concerns are that some members lack commitment to pay their annual dues sometimes two to three years and/or do not attend monthly meetings. However some of these non-paying dues Members and/or non - attendance of meetings members hold Executive and Board of Directors offices. Members who paid their dues for 2014 are as follows:

- 1.) Harry M. Moore, Jr. \$100.00 2014
- 2.) Dakollie Lavala \$100.00 2014
- 3.) Harmon Warsaw \$300.00 2013, 2014 and 2015
- 4.) Maggie Oberly \$200.00 for 2013 and 2014
- 5.) Dewey Gaither \$100.00 2014
- 6.) Maxwell Peal \$100.00 2014
- 7.) Wokie T. Stewart \$100.00 2014
- 8.) Lydia Bracewell \$100.00 2014

9.) Napoleon Askie	\$100.00 2014
10.) Sarah B. Benson	\$100.00 2014
11.) Evelyn Epple	\$100.00 2014
12.) Dale Epple	\$100.00 2014
13.) Napoleon Askie	\$100.00 2014
14.) Spenser Clarke	\$100.00 2014
15.) Rosetta C. Brooks	\$75.00 2014
16.) Evangeline T. Goodridge	\$75.00 2014
17.) Bernice Eastman	\$50.00 2014
18.) Melvin Askie	\$50.00 2014
19.) Patrick Flomo	
20.) Garmi Gaye	
21.) Gladys Clarke Turkett	
22.) Amy Warsaw Johnson	
23.) VyrLe Warsaw	
24.) Patrick Flomo	
25.) Danetta Bryant	
26.) Aretha W. Collins	
27.) Leroy Bokia	
28.) Thomas Clarke, Jr.	
29.) Valerie Lavala	
30.) Rose Kowa Himpton	
31.) Eric D. Jackson	

The President Mr. Harry M. Moore, Jr. administration covered the period 2010 to May 31, 2015 accomplishments are as follows:

- 1.) Obtained an ARDA Bank of America account with three signatures.
- 2.) Acquired, obtained and maintained insurance that covered the executive officers for \$25,000.00.
- 3.) Registered ARDA as a non-profit organization status from the office of the Secretary of State Raleigh, North Carolina.
- 4.) October 2010, the 501 (C) (3) was co-authored by Harry M. Moore, Jr. , Mr. Ronald Carter, and Mr. Abraham B. Williams. The ARDA 501 (C) (3) was obtained via approval from USA IRS.
- 5.) Put in place ARDA Executive Officers' meeting every third Sunday of the month.
- 6.) Projected ARDA Projects, see ARDA Website for more information.
- 7.) ARDA website in place contracted to STAL, Inc. and Website policy and procedure in place.
- 8.) P.L. Graham Askie Library built for Arthington Central School and furnished.
- 9.) Put in place Education, and Project committees, headed by chairpersons.
- 10.) ARDA partnership with Concern Citizen of Arthington to run an Ebola universal health precaution Awareness in Arthington.
- 11.) Served as ARDA President during ARDA annual conventions from 2010 to 2014 and attend 100% of those conventions.

As president my objective recommendations are as follows:

- 1.) ARDA members discuss the constitution and amend the current constitution to meet needs of members and the Citizens of the City of Arthington.

2.) Arthington Reconstruction and Development Association should support an NGO operation, ARDA through Concern Citizen of Arthington in Liberia and open a Bank Account in Liberia.

3.) Assist with Arthington Clinic phases II by building a generator house for the clinic generator, and assist with clinic supplies, 2.) Library Project, Improve the Parthenia Laura Graham Askie Library and use the balance \$600.00 currently in Mrs. Dennis possession to build new book shelves put in other maintenance such as termite control or treatment and raise other funds to install electricity in the library.

4.) ARDA needs to review the website policy and/or all contracts to ensure the website is maintained and updated periodically. About two contracts need to be submitted to the executive prior to submission to the Board of directors for awarding contract to individual(s), (I. E. see ARDA 501 (C) (3) conflict of interest policy for more information.

5.) ARDA assists in establishing sister organizations that will be located in the USA namely, (I. E. Georgia, Maryland, North Carolina and South Carolina, New Jersey, New York, and Philadelphia). ARDA may want to gradually do this by projecting a three to five years plan. When a chapter is formed; the chapter will be called for example ARDA-Georgia Chapter, and said chapter will be represented at all annual conventions by their representation and a fee of \$200 or \$300 registration fee.

Respectfully Submitted,

Harry Milton Moore, Jr.

ARDA ITG President