

The Grand Lodge of Free & Accepted Masons of Ohio

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Re: DGM Rollout Cancellation/Restructure

Brethren All,

To say that this has been a difficult year for all of us would be an understatement, especially your Grand Lodge Officers. Due to many event cancellations by many organizations and the mandates set by the Governor and the State of Ohio, I feel it would be in the best interest of Ohio Masonry to cancel my in-person Deputy Grand Master rollouts.

This is not a decision I take lightly and with the group size of many rollout meetings, we cannot meet the guidelines set by the state. We cannot as an organization afford the bad publicity if we were the possible cause of brethren getting sick, or God forbid a fatality. The rollout will be accomplished by other means.

As always, please stay tuned in Grand View, email and other platforms for the latest information. I hope by deed and action my plans as Grand Master, if so elected, will leave our institution a better organization for having served.

Respectfully,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Richard A. Dickerscheid".

Richard A. Dickerscheid
Deputy Grand Master, Grand Lodge of Ohio