

**Mike Chartrand - Member at Large Report
NCR Council Meeting
September 23, 2017**

The stewards' committee had scheduled a stewards' symposium in June 2017 but unfortunately due to lack of participation, it was cancelled. We hope to be able to re-launch this initiative in the near future.

Being on this committee is not without its challenges but I also feel that this committee was not given every opportunity to succeed so I have since withdrawn as chair of the committee and will resume my participation in the MASC. I regret that the stewards' committee did not get the support and attention it deserved because I had high hopes for it and felt it was a very worthwhile committee that served a purpose in this region. All my efforts to bring the stewards' committee to the forefront was met with resistance or inaction's.

Sincerely,
Mike Chartrand
Executive member at large