

FLOWERS OR CARDS GUIDELINES

1. Flowers are defined as bouquets, planters, floral arrangements, and include balloons, cookies, and stuffed animals. Appropriate events for flowers should be coordinated with the IAD Board except as noted below. Flowers are appropriate under the following conditions with approval from the IAD Board:
 - a. Bereavement flowers due to current officers' or ex-officer from past's death, the death of the current officer's spouse.
 - b. Flowers for hospitalization of current board members.
 - c. Flower expenditures for organizational use, personal, committee areas, holidays, and other special occasions (e.g., weddings, baby showers, Valentine's Day, or Deaf-related Day) are considered personal expense items and are not an appropriate use of funds.
2. If the deceased person's family wishes cash instead of flowers, it may be up to 35.00 dollars with the IAD Board's approval.
3. The IAD Board may buy a sympathy card for a departed member's family.