

# MARCOMM OVERVIEW & SUBMISSION GUIDELINES

#### **OBJECTIVE:**

MarComm provides expertise and resources to assist **aasp** with branding, public relations and marketing initiatives and strategies in support of **aasp**'s strategic plan. The committee consists of Board and non-Board members who are active **aasp** members.

#### **DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES OF CORE MARKETING COMMITTEE MEMBERS:**

- Attend committee meetings
- Develop high impact marketing messages using current and emerging tools as needed.
- Develop collateral materials & website
- Develop themes for web, social media, print, and advertisement messaging
- Create external messages for **aasp** constituents and the public
- In collaboration with staff, conduct market research to effectively connect with target audiences
- Curate content, including guidelines and standards that best brands the messaging
- Develop a marketing strategy that increases the involvement and retention of current members and promotes acquisition of new members

#### **DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES OF COMMITTEE REPRESENTATIVE:**

- Attend quarterly committee meetings
- Develop marketing messages for your committee initiatives or events.
- Supply relevant information regarding initiatives that require MarComm resources via request form
- Provide input on marketing plan

**MESSAGE PUBLICATION AND SUBMISSION GUIDELINES:** MarComm will assist in writing and editing messages submitted by committees.

#### **Message Content and** Committee reps submit **publish-ready** content that includes:

- Subject Line
- Message Text
- Target Audience (i.e. full database, event registrants only)
- Images (optional)

# Event/Initiative to be marketed finalized in committee

- •Specific committee finalizes event information/logistics
- •Specific committee creates material/copy and target audience
- •Specific committee asks marketing representative to submit

### **MarComm Requests**

- •Specific committee representative submits request via portal (community quick-links)
- •Content is publish-ready
- •Submit Two weeks minimum before publish date

## Communications Scheduling and DRAFT review

- •Communications scheduled in Marketing calendar
- Drafts sent to committee representative for review
- •Edits (if needed—3 version limit)

## Marketing!

- Response(s) -- Click-throughs, event registrations, CTA clicks
- Additional marketing needs submitted if needed