While my official report will be the Spring 2024 R6A (Region 6 Assembly) minutes,

I wanted to take a moment to **THANK** the incredible PIPO Committee for their work. I serve as the board mentor to the R6 PIPO Committee.

At the Fall 2023 R6A, the R6 PIPO Committee was formed with five (5) R6 representatives. A special ‘thank you’ to the previous R6 PIPO Committee secretary who resigned when they stepped down as an R6 representative. This fellow had never served as a secretary and yet was willing to fill the role when no one else stepped up. Luckily, another R6 PIPO Committee member took on the role as secretary and has been doing a wonderful job at documenting our meeting minutes.

The remaining three (3) representatives have met monthly and have worked tirelessly on several initiatives:

1) Submission of a proposed policy amendment (policy # 033) to clarify that the PIPO Committee will request a final report from recipients of PI Blitz funding. It is the committee’s hope that this policy amendment will be discussed at the Spring 2024 R6A.

2) Translating into French World Service’s public service announcement (PSA)

videos. To ensure no duplication of efforts, the board mentor has been in touch with the World Service Office. The PIPO Committee completed the translation of the four (4) short, animated videos!

Mary, Lisa, and Kim: I am in awe of your service, flexibility, collaboration, dedication, and kindness. Thank you for walking with me on this journey.