



**Free Methodist Church USA  
39th General Conference  
RESOLUTION**

**INSTRUCTIONS:**

Complete requested information, adding additional pages as necessary. Save and e-mail completed form to your Annual Conference office.

INTRODUCED BY: Executive Leadership Team (XLT)

ANNUAL CONFERENCE NAME:

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Resolution No. 614

Received Date: 1/2/2023

Resolution Committee Grade: \_\_\_\_\_

BOA Consideration: \_\_\_\_\_

GC Consideration: \_\_\_\_\_

RELATED TO PARAGRAPH – 6050 and 6060

Referred to Ministry Team Number:

SUBJECT OR TITLE: **Replace the core values listed in ¶6050+ with the *Free Methodist Way* and the expected outcomes of ¶6060+ with the *Mission Measures* in the *Book of Discipline***

Final Vote:                      Yes                      No

**WHEREAS:**

Whereas: ¶6050+ and ¶6060+ of the *Book of Discipline* call for “all structures, ministries, and personnel of the Church” to reflect certain core values and produce certain expected outcomes, respectively; and  
Whereas: The *Free Methodist Way* and the *Mission Measures* serve as a fresh expression of the core values and expected outcomes of the FMCUSA.

**Therefore, BE IT RESOLVED:**

**Therefore, be it resolved to replace the language of ¶6050+ with the *Free Methodist Ways* as the articulation of the core values and edit ¶6060+ as the articulation of the expected outcomes.**

**¶6050+ Core Values**

All structures, ministries, and personnel of the Church shall reflect these core values known as the *Free Methodist Way*:

1. Life-giving holiness
2. Love-driven justice
3. Christ-compelled multiplication
4. Cross-cultural collaboration
5. God-given revelation

**¶6060+ Expected outcomes**

All structures, ministries, and personnel of the Church shall produce these expected outcomes:

1. Every church a prayer-saturated congregation
2. Every church a worshiping congregation
3. Every church a discipling congregation
4. Every church an evangelizing congregation
5. Every church a reproducing congregation
6. Every church a culture-engaging congregation
7. Every church a world-mission congregation

## Annual Conference Resolutions Committee Worksheet:

**Mission:** To love God, love people and make disciples.

**Vision:** To bring wholeness to the world through healthy biblical communities of holy people multiplying disciples, leaders, groups and churches.

1. Does the resolution have a direct relationship to the vision and mission of the Free Methodist Church?

Yes

No

2. How will the proposed change help us accomplish our vision and mission?

3. The Resolutions Committee rates this resolution as:

(A) Support - recommend adoption

(B) Recommended - worthy of review

(C) Rejected - anticipate General Conference rejection

Other Comments: