

LIONS ACRONYMS

OFFICERS

CC	COUNCIL CHAIRPERSON
DG	DISTRICT GOVERNOR
DG-E	DISTRICT GOVERNOR-ELECT
ID	INTERNATIONAL DIRECTOR
IP	INTERNATIONAL PRESIDENT
PCC	PAST COUNCIL CHAIRPERSON
PDG	PAST DISTRICT GOVERNOR
PID	PAST INTERNATIONAL DIRECTOR
PIP	PAST INTERNATIONAL PRESIDENT
RC or RD	REGIONAL CHAIRPERSON or REGIONAL DIRECTOR
VDG	VICE DISTRICT GOVERNOR
VDG-E	VICE DISTRICT GOVERNOR-ELECT
ZC	ZONE CHAIRPERSON
CS	CABINET SECRETARY
IPDG	IMMEDIATE PAST DISTRICT GOVERNOR
IPIP	IMMEDIATE PAST INTERNATIONAL PRESIDENT
IVP	INTERNATIONAL VICE PRESIDENT

LEADERSHIP TRAINING OPPORTUNITIES

ELLI	EMERGING LIONS LEADERSHIP INSTITUTE
ALLI	ADVANCED LIONS LEADERSHIP INSTITUTE
FDI	FACULTY DEVELOPMENT INSTITUTE
LCIP	LIONS CERTIFIED INSTRUCTOR PROGRAM

ORGANIZATION, COMMITTEES, ETC., (Partial list)

LCI	LIONS CLUBS INTERNATIONAL
MD	MULTIPLE DISTRICT (Virginia is MD-24)
C&BL	CONSTITUTION AND BY-LAWS (acronym also refers to documents and to committees)
GAT	GLOBAL ACTION TEAM
GLT	GLOBAL LEADERSHIP TEAM
GMA	GLOBAL MEMBERSHIP APPROACH (New in 2021, replaced NAMI]
GMT	GLOBAL MEMBERSHIP TEAM

GST GLOBAL SERVICE TEAM (New in 2017)
LRPC LONG-RANGE PLANNING COMMITTEE

CHARITABLE FOUNDATIONS

[501(c)(e) tax-exempt under IRS (some clubs also have local foundations)]

LCIF LIONS CLUBS INTERNATIONAL FOUNDATION
LOVF LIONS OF VIRGINIA FOUNDATION
VLEIF VIRGINIA LIONS EYE INSTITUTE FOUNDATION

MISCELLANEOUS

LCICon LIONS CLUBS INTERNATIONAL CONVENTION
LEO LEADERSHIP, EXPERIENCE, & OPPORTUNITY
(LEO Clubs are the youth arm of Lions Clubs International.)
LIONS Liberty, Intelligence, Our Nation's Safety
(the official rendering)
LIONS Loving Individuals Offering Needed Service
(unofficial, but popular since about 2008)
MJF MELVIN JONES FELLOW or MELVIN JONES FELLOWSHIP
PPC PEACE POSTER CONTEST
PSA PUBLIC SERVICE ANNOUNCEMENT