

February 2021 District Committee Zoom Meeting Minutes

Why Do We Need A Conference?

Welcome! New GSRs/Alt GSRs: Please e-mail the Secretary (secretary@nc23.org) and the Web Committee (webcommittee@nc23.org) so we can get you registered and signed up for e-mails and text notifications. They will need Group Name, Your Name, Your Address, Telephone Number, e-mail and cell phone numbers to get you signed up for everything!

Approval of Minutes (available on nc23.org)

- Motion to approve, 2nd, passed

Call for any Group Needs

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Reports (Full reports are written and are available at the end of the agenda. Each position is given 1-2 minutes maximum for a quick summary and to advise the meeting of any special needs. Questions from the floor are welcome.)

Treasurer – Carlos:

- Ended Jan \$6,353.27.
- Deposits \$485 in transit
- \$107 in cash app donations
- Forecast end of Feb \$6,942
- Forecasted year as static

Cooperation with the Professional Community & Public Information (CPC/PI) - Joshua:

- Quite month
- Working on getting literature on ABC's store

Correctional Facilities (CFC) – Roberta:

- District doesn't owe her any money
- Sending books and accepting calls from women in prison
- COVID is running rapid
- Text regarding corresponding with a person who came to meetings and was awaiting trial. She was tried and went to prison, and Roberta will be working with her.
- No idea when jails will be open
- Looking for more Grapevine magazines – please drop of at Intergroup M, W, F 10-2
- Adrian – is anyone working with the men?
 - Roberta – No. Grapevines are distributed evenly between men and women

Grapevine - Henry:

- No new news on GV. Waiting for things to open back up.

Special Events – Katie:

- Preparing to ramp-up for Founder's Day, which is looking like another virtual event on June 12th.
- Ideas and requested are welcome and you can email Katie

Accessibilities – Tyler:

- I have not received any direct contact for accessibilities, but I did have someone reach out about their father trying to get sober. I asked her if he was ready to get sober and shared some experience, along with providing the TAS phone number and offered to connect her with a member of AA. I have not heard back.
- I have followed up with RHA Health Services (A local government organization that assists people with mental health issues and accessibilities needs (blind, physically disabled, deaf, etc.), but I have not heard back. Hopefully I can get that conversation started, so that they can direct people in need to AA through our accessibilities committee so that we can help them bridge the gap.
- I have spoken with the ASL interpreter for my homegroup about being a resource for us for special events, conferences, etc. and he is willing and says that he can do a reasonable price for us. He is available as a resource.
- I have contacted the web committee about adding "ASL Accessible" to my homegroup since we have an interpreter present at every meeting. Easy Does It – Wed at 7 PM.
- Mariah B reached out to me about helping her find an interpreter for an Accessibilities conference coming up. I am following up with her to offer my homegroup interpreter as an option and am working to get her access to the Area level resource list.

Treatment Facilities (TFC) – Della:

- Things are starting to open.
- Della contacted Cone and provided them with a list of Zoom meeting IDs and passwords to access with their new tablets.
- Also, at Cone, she has brought in meetings for the last two Fridays as they have allowed meetings one night a week.
- She is looking to contact homegroups that were bringing in meetings on Fridays before the shutdown. Contact info is: TFC@nc23.org or 336-0708-1216
- She contacted the TFC coordinators for High Point, Burlington, and the area to provide a network to better reach people in need.

Web & Technology – Josh:

- Meetings are getting updated as they change.
- Emails are getting answered.

Intergroup Representative – Mike:

- Hours are still M, W, F 10-2
- While rearranging they put items up for sale.
- New layout can accommodate ~10 people.
- To use for meeting please contact Intergroup with 2-week notice. Can handle reoccurring meetings without on-going notice
- Chuck R. has resigned as office manager. Interim office manager is Dave Z.
- At the last Intergroup council meeting they discussed and approved how to buy something, and have it sent to you. They are developing the details.
- Please announce Cashapp at meetings for intergroup ID is \$GSOIG

AA2022 Committee – Karen:

- Postponing until July

Alt DCM Report – Kimberly:

- Will attend next Intergroup meeting
- Started working on Buzz Session topics. Inclusivity; Best Practices for when group start meeting in person.
- March 7th at 2 – Safety Meeting. There is flyer and link on the district homepage.

LCM Reports – Mitch:

- Nothing to report

DCM Report – Adrian:

- Notifying Web Committee of Meeting Changes
- Working on P3 Manual with Committee
- Working on Area Web Committee
- Karen – when is the pre-conf? March 20th

Old Business

- LCM Vacancy

New Business

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Adjourn with Responsibility Statement

- Motion to adjourn, 2nd, passed

Committee Reports

CPC/PI: No report

CFC: Jails continue to be under lockdown, and no meetings may be brought in. Roberta continues to stay in touch with inmates via telephone and mail. She made a new contact this month.

Special Events: No response to request for report

Accessibilities: No response to request for report

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GV: No response to request for report

Web & Tech:

