Greater Grand Rapids Area Service Committee Minutes
October 26, 2016

- Opening: A moment of silence followed by the serenity prayer.
- Reading of the Twelve Traditions
- Reading of the Twelve Concepts
- A Vision of NA Service

Quorum 1:

GSRs: 12/22 present

Quorum 2:

GSRs: 12/22

ASC ROLL CALL

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*If your group is not on this list...please let the secretary know! Thanks!

**Chair:**
Nothing to report

**Co Chair:**
Nothing to report

**Secretary:**
Nothing to report

**Co-secretary:**
Nothing to report

**RCM and Alternate RCM:**
Will wait for Barb as far as tax ID.
Chair: Does everyone agree to have Steve talk to Barb in the meantime?
Floor: Seconded.

**Public Relations:**
Womens meeting Tuesday 6pm at jail. Need to be off paper for three years. Need women for Turning Point meeting. Filled web server position (Bill Z).

Written Report:
"Oct 26, 2016
PR REPORT
Chairperson
Hi Family, I’m excited to be starting my commitment as PR Chair. I don’t have anything to report yet, but I hope we can be a productive committee over this year. Looking forward to serving with you all! -Gabe B.

Cochair/Treatment Center Coordinator
Hi All Looking forward to another year serving as the Treatment Center Coordinator and also as our Co-chair. All weeks have been covered at Turning Point for the month of October. There is someone scheduled to serve on the 5th Monday of the month as well. Everything seems to be going smoothly. Thank you for allowing me to serve. Brooke B.

Correctional Facilities Coordinator
Hello Family, All is well at the jail. We recently started have meetings for the women. I’m in the process of get a new schedule set up. In loving service, Tom W.

Phone Line/Meeting Lists
Phone line for September was $24.86.
Phone line for October (to date) is $18.50.
-Jeff K."

**Activities Report:**
Changed activities SC meeting time to 6:30 first Monday of the month in North Club library. Nothing planned yet.

**Treasurer Report:**
Barb absent. Need co-treasurer, two years clean time requirement.

Written report emailed:
"Area has no co-treasurer!!!!!

I am unable to attend the meeting this Wednesday, as I will be attending Lisa K's father's funeral in Manistee, and another addict's step-dad's visitation service in the afternoon in Ludington. I will email my reports to Carlee. To bring each of you up to speed, the bank balance is $1619.87. Rent is paid through the end of the year. Upcoming expenses are: phone line in December, donations to World and MRSCNA in January (4th quarter donation). PR has $500 available to them for their budget, with none being spent so far this quarter. Activities has $300 in seed money available. I am sure there will be an invoice coming from Presto Print for meeting lists soon too.

...
I am sorry that this is going to make it difficult for area, but I feel I need to support my friends through this difficult time for them and that is where I need to be.

Let me know what you would like done. Also, please make sure the GSR's bring it back to their home groups that we need a co-treasurer!!"

(No other report sent)

**Old Business:**
Chair: nominations to fill co-treasurer? None.

**New Business:**
Chair: Issues about quorum.
Floor: Someone could make an attendance spreadsheet to cover whole year, make a spot for quorum, and everyone could make marks in it.

Chair: Gabe do you have the willingness to make the spreadsheet?
Gabe: Yes

IP Study: Please remove us from list, because we don’t do that anymore.

Floor: are requirements for getting minutes out and treasurer’s report being met?
Chair: Minutes are not.
Floor: Supposed to be a double check on deposits because of the names added to the bank account, so secretary’s report needed to be out within two weeks.
Floor: Dan, as co-secretary would you be willing to give a gentle nudge if needed?
Co-secretary: Yes.

Chair: ASC roll call will now be done before first quorum.

**GROUP REPORTS:**

**Downtown Resting Place:**
*NO REPORT*

**Just Hope Group (Returning):**
No report

**Just for Today:**
Trusted Servant Submitting Report/Donation: Jeff K.
Total 7th Tradition Collected Last Month $47.00
Group donation to Area Service Committee $ 27.00

**MONTHLY GROUP PROGRESS REPORT (OPTIONAL):** Good evening! We are donating $27 to the ASC this month. We need to spend approximately $20 to replace a Basic Text and purchase an 8-year coin for a home group member celebrating clean time in November. If you’re looking for a home group that is a closed NA meeting that meets for only one hour every Wednesday at Noon, with very comfortable furniture, and serves fun-sized candy, please drop in for a meeting. ILS, JeffK

**Keep Coming Back:**
7th Tradition: $103
Area Donation: $10
Report: “going well”
Trusted Servant: Lisa K.
Keeping the Dream Alive:
7th Tradition: $
Area Donation: $10
Report:
Trusted Servant: Margaret P.
Living the Dream (NEW):
No report
Men of Character:
NO REPORT
Hope Not Dope (Montcalm Alano Club NA):
7th tradition:
Area Donation: 0
Report:
Trusted Servant: Kayla P.
Natural Life:
NO REPORT
New Beginnings:
NO REPORT
No Name Group:
No report
Open to Change:
NO REPORT
Principles Before Personalities:
NO REPORT
Saturday Night Candlelight:

REPORT: The Saturday Night Candlelight Meeting continues to meet and follow the traditions to the best of our ability. We are could use additional homegroup members. Our rent is paid through January. We have literature available for sale and good selection of IPs for the taking.
Area donation: $50

LOCATION/MTG TIME:
Pine Rest/6:30-8:00pm
OPEN / CLOSED:
Open
BUSINESS MTG:
Third Saturday

Average Per Meeting:
7.75
Total 1st Step Meetings this Month:
0
Total 7th Tradition Collected:
$54.00
Area Donation:
50
Anniversaries Celebrated:
0

Sisters of Serenity:
NO REPORT

Staying in the Solution:
TWO REPORTS:
7th tradition: $28
Area donation: $0
Trusted Servant: Fred H.

Adam G. from the Staying in the Solution group reporting in!
We meet at 7pm at the Post Drive/Pine Island church and it’s great! You should come!
ILS, Thanks!
7th Tradition: ??
Area Donation: $70

Steps to Freedom (New):
Recently moved to new location. Rebuilding and doing good.
7th Tradition: $ 60
Area Donation: $ 10
Report:
Trusted Servant: Susan F.

Students in Recovery (New):
7th tradition: $51.02
Area Donation: $0
Trusted Servant: Isaiah M.

Sunrise to Sunset:
7th tradition: $80
Area Donation: $10
Report: “Going very slow in summertime”
Trusted Servant: David M.

Surrender to Win:
7th tradition: $60
Area Donation: $0
Report:
Trusted Servant: Julie T.

T.G.I.F.:
7th Tradition: $119.49
Area Donation: $ 16.68
Report:
Trusted Servant: Lora V.

We Qualify:
7th Tradition: $93
Area Donation: $40
Report:
Trusted Servant: Bill Z.

Welcome Back (New):
No report

Young in Recovery:
NO REPORT