Greater Grand Rapids Area Service Committee Minutes
July 26, 2017

- 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:
Met

Quorum 2:
Met

ASC ROLL CALL ADMINISTRATIVE:
Chairperson (Margaret P) - Present
Co-Chairperson (Reggie) - Present
Secretary (Dan W) - Present
Co-Secretary (Jody B) - Present
Treasurer (Andrew K) - Present
Co-Treasurer (Bill S) - Present
RCM (Sheldon S) - Present
Alt-RCM (Ryan B) - Present
SUB-COMMITTEE CHAIRPERSON(S):

Public Relations Chair (Gabe B.) – Present

Public Relations Co-Chair (Brooke) – Present

Activities (Julie) - Present

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NEW/RETURNING GROUPS:

| BYOB (bring your own books)                    | p   | p   | u   | P   | P   | P   | P   | P   |
| THE PATH BEGINS THE JOURNEY                    | p   | p   | u   | P   | U   | U   | U   | U   |
| KEEPING IT SIMPLE                              |     |     |     |     |     |     | P   | P   |
*If your group is not on this list...please let the secretary know!
Thanks!

No one new.

**Chair-**
We have our EIN number now and Andrew and I will be going to open the account.

**Co Chair-**
Nothing to report.

**Secretary-**
Please put your name down on the group reports.

**Co-secretary-**
Nothing to report.

**Treasurer:**
See report and donations attached to email.

**Co Treasurer:**
I'll have your receipts up here so you can come grab them.

**RCM and Alternate RCM:**
Nothing to report

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**Public Relations:**
July 26, 2017

PR REPORT

**Chairperson**

Hi Family,
The website is up to date, and I’ve gotten the PDF version of the meeting list up there. There is a new Regional Webservant, and I’m waiting to hear back from him to get Bill Z. a login. Other than that, all is well.
-Gabe B.
**Cochair/Treatment Center Coordinator**

Hi all

There was one shift not covered at Turning Point for the women this month. There was also one week that a member tried to attend for the but he reported to me yesterday (tue july 25) that the staff at turning point did not bring him upstairs because they were understaffed. I will be contacting their facility today and should be able to provide a verbal report on this call.

Thanks for allowing me to serve.

Brooke B.

**Correctional Facilities Coordinator**

Hey Family,

All is well at jail.

In loving service,

Tom W.

**Phone Line/Meeting List**

The Phone line for June was $24.31. For July (to date) it was $29.85. Report is attached.

-Jeff K.

***If you have meeting lists, please scratch out Downtown Resting Place since it’ll be closing.***

**Activities Report:**
Filled co-chair (Kelly) and event coordinator (Kaitlyn and Taylor) positions. Activities is asking for $200 for sept 16 and sept 30, made out to Clancy.

Andrew: is that part of the rotating budget?
Floor: yes
Margaret: $200 for both?
Julie: $200 each.
F: Can you explain the events? *explanation of events*
Andrew: If we’re gonna be closing the bank account, it’s gonna have to be cash to do that.
Julie: It can wait till we’re set with the bank account.
F: Julie, do you have flyers for the chili cook off?
Julie: Fred has some.

**Old Business:**
Tax ID is taken care of, we have an EIN.

F: Someone up north had $2500 stolen so we should make sure we’re doing the double checks.

**New Business:**
Andrew: $268.82 collected tonight

F: Natural Life has changed their format. *reading of new format*
F: Can you get me that new format in writing so I can change the website?
F: Yes.
F: Downtown Resting Place--the building was sold and the new owner didn’t want a meeting there. Looking for new place.

**GROUP REPORTS:**

**Action:**
Trusted Servant: Kayla P.
7th:
Donation: $0
Report: No report

**BYOB (Bring Your Own Book):**
7th Tradition: ?
Area Donation: $5
Report: No report
Trusted Servant: Andrew K

**Downtown Resting Place:**
no report

**Just Hope Group:**
7th Tradition: ?
Area Donation: $10
Report: No report
Trusted Servant: ??

**Just for Today:**
7th Tradition: $35
Area Donation: $35
Report: Good evening!
Today we discussed hosting a spaghetti dinner activity in conjunction with our area’s activities subcommittee. We are currently doing the preliminary work necessary before making a final decision. This includes...

- Contacting the church where we hold our meeting for a space, as well as looking into a backup facility just in case or primary location is not available;
- Pricing out the food and drink, paper goods, facility, and other incidentals;
- Deciding on a date, which will either be November 3rd or November 10th, 2017 (depending on
- facility availability and potential conflicts with other activities in our area or adjacent areas).

We will make the final decision on or before or next group business meeting on August 23rd.

ILS,
JeffK

Keep Coming Back:
I Jason Emery will not be attending area for the month of August for the group Keep Coming Back. Here is my report for the month.

1. Total room rent paid for month was $110.32 and room rent is $35 per hour each day. Never come close to making rent.

2. Area/keytag money withheld was $22. We have not been donating due to treatment center bringing new people every week and going through a large amount of keytags.

3. We had a total of 203 people for the month and average of 17.

4. 56 keytags were given out. Most were white and orange from treatment center newcomers.

Thanks

Keeping the Dream Alive:
7th Tradition: ??
Area Donation: $15
Report: Meeting is going great
Trusted Servant: San C.

Keep it Simple:
7th Tradition: $0
Area Donation: $0
Report: No report
Trusted Servant: ??

Open to Change:
7th Tradition: $20
Area Donation: $4
Report: No report
Trusted Servant: ??
Men of Character:
o report

Natural Life:
7th Tradition: ??
Area Donation: $150 to WSO
Report: No report
Trusted Servant: Jose B

No Name Group:
o report

New Beginnings:
trusted servant: Fred S
7th tradition: $40
area donation: $0
report: Monday night, 7-8pm, New Community Church. Plainfield Ave (Across from Lowe’s). Business meeting 3rd monday of the month.

Principles Before Personalities:
trusted servant: Earl G
7th tradition: $100
area donation: $33
Report: No report

Saturday Night Candlelight:
trusted servant: Bill
7th tradition: $33
area donation: $0
Report: The Saturday Night Candlelight Meeting continues to meet and follow the traditions to the best of our ability. We had very light attendance the month of June and will not be making an area donation this month as a result.

Sisters of Serenity:
7th Tradition: $10
Area Donation: $0
Report: Need support
Trusted Servant: ??

Staying in the Solution:
7th Tradition: $30
Area Donation: $10
Report: No report
Trusted Servant: ??

Steps to Freedom:
No report

Sunrise to Sunset:
7th Tradition: $54
Area Donation: $0
Report: Doing ok
Trusted Servant: ?

**Surrender to Win:**
7th tradition: $60
Area Donation: $0
Report: No report
Trusted Servant: ??

**T.G.I.F.:**
7th Tradition: $98.25
Area Donation: $95.82
Report: Troy K. 2 years, Kelly G. 18 months
Trusted Servant: ??

**Time Out:**
7th tradition: $18
Area donation: $0
Report: New group. 5010 S. Division 5:30pm-6:30pm on Thurs
Open meeting

**The Path Begins the Journey:**
no report

**Welcome Back:**
no report

**We Qualify:**
Trusted Servant: Bill Z
7th tradition: $88.36
Area donation: $25
Report: No report

**Young in Recovery:**
7th tradition collected: ?
Area donation: $25
Report: We have several new home group members, but have lost two long time members. We have faith that we will continue well.
Trusted Servant: Erica V