Greater Grand Rapids Area Service Committee Minutes
August 23, 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) - Excused
Secretary (Dan W) - Present
Co-Secretary (Jody B)- Present
Treasurer (Andrew K)- Present
Co-Treasurer (Bill S)- Excused
RCM (Sheldon S.) - Present
Alt-RCM (Ryan B.) - Excused
**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:**
*If your group is not on this list...please let the secretary know!
Thanks!

No one new.

Chair-
Andrew and I went to 5/3 and we were able to keep the account.

Co Chair-
Absent (excused)

Secretary-
Group reports on the table, if we run out I have motion submissions we can use.

Co-secretary-
Nothing to report.

Treasurer:
See attached documents.

Co Treasurer:
Absent (excused)

RCM and Alternate RCM:
Sept 9 we are driving to Ypsilanti for region but won’t need hotel money.

Public Relations:
August 23, 2017

PR REPORT

Chairperson

Hi Family,
The website is up to date. Still waiting to hear back from the new Regional Webservant to get
Bill Z. a login. If we don’t hear anything by next week, I’m just going to give Bill my login and teach him that way. I have a flier and application for Recovery Palooza. The table will be $100, just like last year. It’s on September 22 this year, which is a Friday, at New Vintage Place. Since it’s on a Friday, we should discuss if anyone would be available to work a table. Other than that, all is well.

-Gabe B.

**Cochair/Treatment Center Coordinator**

Hi all,

Everything seems to be going well at turning point. In my report I planned to include a list of all the point people and which weeks they attend

Turning Point.
Men Thursdays at 630pm
1st. Aaron M.
2nd Aaron S.
3rd Jose B
4th open

Women Tuesdays at 7pm
1st Julie T. and Sheldon S.
2nd Ann and Elisha
3rd Nellie C and Brooke Q.
4th Susan F. and open

I am looking for men to help cover the 3rd and 4th Thursdays. Thank you for allowing me to serve!
Brooke B.

August 23, 2017

**Correctional Facilities Coordinator**

Hey Family,

All is well a the jail. Since I have one more month to go on my service commitment, I am in the process of making a list of people that are currently going to the jail for meetings, and their
scheduled time and day for the possible person replacing me.

In loving service
Tom W.

**Phone Line/Meeting List**
The Phone line for July was $30.87. For August (to date) it was $17.43. Report is attached.

-Jeff K.
Community Outreach Coordinator

I report that I am out of meeting lists...I have to restock orange pamphlets (who’s an addict, etc) at 82 Ionia.

-James V.

PR Chair: Sheldon, can you ask at region what we have to do about web servant login?

Sheldon: Yes.

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

**Activities Report:**
Flyers on table for chili cook off and other event. Elections in September (treasurer, secretary, activities coordinator, flyers/templates are the open positions). Asking for $

**Old Business:**
Nothing.

**New Business:**
Activities: $150 for fred sept 16, $50 for cash box. Automatically approved and in the budget.

Andrew: We collected $460.44 today.

F: Are there new meeting lists?

F: Yes
F: $100 for recovery palooza (Gabe)

Andrew: Sending $189 to world and $189 to region. Balance- $1832.99 after that. $1532 with activities stuff.

F: I say we donate 500 to world and 500 to region.

All in favor

***Steps to Freedom to be held at 1975 Jefferson on Wednesday nights from 7-8:30pm***

**GROUP REPORTS:**

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

**BYOB (Bring Your Own Book):**
No report

**Downtown Resting Place:**
no report

**Just Hope Group:**
7th Tradition: $75
Area Donation: $25
Report: Our meeting is progressing. More newcomers are attending our meeting to listen to our experience, strength, and hope so that they can carry the message to others who are suffering. We are growing as a unified fellowship.
Trusted Servant: ??

**Just for Today:**
7th Tradition: $11
Area Donation: $11
Report: Good evening!

Today we agreed to move forward with the Principles Before Personalities group to jointly host a spaghetti dinner activity in conjunction with our area’s activities subcommittee. We are waiting to hear back from P b/4 P about the availability of their facility (St. Andrews Episcopal Church) during the first two Sundays in November. Then, based on the availability, we’ll choose a date and time and work with Activities to produce a flier.
ILS,

Jeff K

**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:**
*No report*

**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:**
no report

**Natural Life:**
7th Tradition: ??  
Area Donation: $50  
Report: No report  
Trusted Servant: Jose B

**No Name Group:**
*no report*

**New Beginnings:**
trusted servant: Fred S  
7th tradition: $45  
area donation: $12  
report: Getting ready for chili cook off

**Principles Before Personalities:**
trusted servant: Earl G
7th tradition: $100
area donation: $56.35
Report: Motion to change format tabled. Motion to host potluck passed.

Saturday Night Candlelight:
trusted servant: Bill
7th tradition: $48
area donation: $100
Report: The Saturday Night Candlelight Meeting continues to meet and follow the traditions to the best of our ability. We have our rent paid through September and are able to make a $100 contribution to area this month, leaving just enough to make a literature order.

ILS,
Bill S

Sisters of Serenity:
No report

Staying in the Solution:
7th Tradition: $30
Area Donation: $0
Report: No report
Trusted Servant: ??

Steps to Freedom:
7th Tradition: $15
Area Donation: $4
Report: Things are going great! Many loyal members!
Trusted Servant: ??

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

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

T.G.I.F.:
7th Tradition: $179.83
Area Donation: $123.09
Report: No report
Trusted Servant: ??

Time Out:
No report

The Path Begins the Journey:
no report

Welcome Back:
7th tradition: $30
Area Donation: $10
Report: No report
Trusted Servant: ??

We Qualify:
Trusted Servant: Bill Z
7th tradition: $70
area donation: $50
Report: No report

Young in Recovery:
7th tradition collected: $50
Area donation: $20
Report: Things are good!
Trusted Servant: Erica V