

*District 13 of the NH Area Assembly
Minutes of the GSR Meeting on November 15, 2006*

The meeting opened at 7 PM by Joyce DCM. With a moment of silence followed by the Serenity Prayer.

The Preamble, Tradition 11 and Concept 11 were read.

Joyce DCM was in attendance, no secretary in attendance so Steve of Men's R4D meeting volunteered to take notes and prepare secretary's minutes.

A motion was made by Dick to accept the minutes of the October meeting, the motion was seconded by Gail and motion passed unanimously.

Treasurer's Report

Joyce gave a description of the Treasurer's Report. Due to the Alkathon we are presently in deep to our prudent reserves. Currently the District only has \$1652 in reserves. It was stated that we have paid \$1504 this far towards the Alkathon (Hall rental and insurance) and will be reimbursed for some of those expenses. It was also mentioned that Richard will return next month. Mike made a motion to accept the treasurer's report, Dick 2nd motion carried unanimously.

DCM Report: Joyce

1. **Hotline Report:** In October 2006, District 13 used 120.86 minutes of Hotline call time. This amount equals \$85.36 of the cost burden carried by the Area.
2. **NERAASA Registration Forms now available** – at Service office – or download at www.marylandaa.org/neraasa - Date: February 23, 24, & 25, 2007 – Hunt Valley Maryland.
3. **News from GSO** – AA directories will not be published this year.
4. **Urgent need for Corrections Correspondents!** Male A.A. inmates put on “waiting list” – GSO receives an average of 140 requests from male inmates monthly. Rick mentioned that if someone wants to correspond they should not use their home address, a PO Box instead.
5. **Area Inventory Assembly** hosted n Nashua Saturday 11/ 18 8AM to 4PM.

Alkathon Report

Things are going quite well. Commitment forms have been distributed to groups. Certain GSR's stated their group had not yet received the commitment form. It is expected that all groups will receive forms by end of week. Donations and volunteers are still needed.

Corrections Report- Rick

Correspondence with Prisoners 140 requests came from inside and outside of area. Once again mentioned not to use home address. Additionally, stated that some Areas or Districts use their PO Box.

Glenn has donated a TV/VCR that is used to bring message to the corrections facilities. Thank you Glenn.

Grapevine-No Report

Hotline- No report (covered in DCM report)

Newsletter- Sidney- Reported computer problems and a slight typographical error on page 1. Saturday not Monday.

PI/CBC- Dick, stated that he visited Merrimack High School and the OB/GYN office at Dartmouth Hitchcock Clinic with literature and information.

Treatment- John has 4 meetings to mention

- New Brookside- Meeting on Thursday Nights 7-8 PM. Attendance is encouraged
- Farnum Center- 5th Thursday at 7PM he coordinates speakers
- Valley St 4th Sunday of Month. Attendance is low.
- 5th Tuesday Keystone Meeting Commitment possibility. If group wants to pick up a commitment contact John.

Webmaster- Mary not present.

Joyce said website is up.

Minutes are available. Log in and password to retrieve minutes online are available.

(Login and password given at meeting did not appear to work when attempted). E-mail request to webmaster: webmaster@nhaa13.org

If chairs want to have e-mail listed on website or forwarded also please let Mary know.

Budget- Discussion about budget. Gail asked about the decrease in budget from \$400 to \$300 for Treatment. John replied that the \$400 was not met this year, and that he probably spent about \$200 so far. Money used to purchase and distribute literature to places like Keystone, Farnum etc. No significant change expected. Rick motioned to accept budget as written. 2nded. Motion carried unanimously.

New Business

Motion to use District 13 PO Box for prison correspondence. 2nded. Discussion on whether whether that would make sense. Size of mailbox and logistics of getting mail to recipients. Rick instead suggested that he would investigate whether he could obtain a PO Box and forward the mail instead. Motion tabled.

Motion to adjourn 2nded. Motion carried meeting adjourned at 8PM.