

Primary Purpose Area of Narcotics Anonymous
December 3, 2011

Meeting opened at 1 p.m. with the Serenity Prayer. Service readings read and roll call was taken with **10 GSR's** present.

Business of the day was suspended by the Chair and a letter of resignation from the secretary was delivered to the Area. A new secretary was appointed by a vote of confidence on the floor by the GSR's and the business of the day resumed.

The [Treasurer report](#)([click here](#) for budget report) was given and accepted by the GSR's. The [old minutes](#) were read, corrected and discussed on the floor. A short break was taken by the Chair. The minutes were late for some groups, one group did not receive their minutes and the GSR's discussed and voted that all motions and nomination (including Regional) shall be sent back to the groups and votes to be brought back in January. A set of corrected minutes will also be sent back to the groups.

RCM report was given and attached.

Subcommittee Reports were given and are attached for H& I, PI, Literature, Activities and Ad Hoc

Ad Hoc Committee for finding a new meeting place was dissolved by the Chair

Old Business

As reported above corrected minutes, resumes and nominations from November's Area will be sent back to all groups. Concerns on the floor and a vote taken by GSR's allowed all groups to have a vote on all Area business.

Open Forum

The Activities Committee will be loading the supplies on New Years Eve from the Bourke Street Building at 2 p.m. Service work is wanted to help load and unload.

Discussion on the floor about suspending the business and votes being taken back to home groups.(please refer to GSR'S notes)

Break 2:10 - 2:20

Roll call: 8 GSR's present

New Business

Nominations

The following positions are closed and votes to be brought back in January. Resumes are included in the minutes.

Activities Chair

Treasurer

H & I Chair

PI Chair

The following positions are still **open**

Secretary

Alternate Secretary

Literature Chair

Outreach Chair

Announcements

Group starter kit received by Chillicothe Group. They need support and meeting is on Saturday @ 5:30 pm @ the Salt Building.

Magic City Speaker meeting is January 28, 2012 @ 7:30 pm

The Treasurer informed the Area the rental agreement was renewed for 2012 with Bourke Street Building Club at 105 Bourke Street Macon Missouri for the Area monthly meetings

Closed meeting with serenity prayer.

SUBCOMMITTEE REPORTS

RCM REPORT

Greetings Family,

Good news, the plan instituted by the RSO Board is showing progress.

Although the office showed a fiscal year end loss of \$1,688 the fourth quarter posted a gain of \$1,659. It looks like all the hard work and effort to get things turned around is starting to pay off. They are continuing to monitor the business closely, looking for other improvements. The RSO Manager mentioned a couple of upcoming obstacles. First of all because the gross sales for the year was down \$75,000 from the previous year, it was likely the RSO will lose 1.25% discount on next year's contract from the WSO. Additionally Bank of America has raised their credit card processing fees by .25%(point 25%). Because of this the office is urging their customers to pay by check when possible to help keep costs down.

The RSC Meeting Ad Hoc was created last RSC. They are directed to examine the service committee structure of the region and the feasibility of simplifying the administrative duties of the region. Some of the topics mentioned were reducing the number of RSC's each year and reducing the need for Subcommittee chair's to spend the night. We are going to ask that they look at the budget approval timeline so that the home groups have the opportunity to vote. If you have any idea of suggestions on improvements please let your RCM team know as soon as possible.

The 2012 Conference Agenda Report is available at na.org/conference. Free downloading versions are available there and hard copies can be ordered for \$13 including S&H. The Regional Assembly & CAR is scheduled for February 25 and everyone is welcome to attend.\

The region currently has four open positions; Alternate Secretary, Vice Chair, Literature Chair and Writing Steps for Recovery. The MO-KAN area will be hosting the next RSC scheduled for January 14 &15, 2012. We hope to see you there.

And now it is time for home group vote results for regional business for motions 100811-02 thru 05,06,09,10 and 2 resumes.

In Loving Service,
Your RCM Team

H & I

6 addicts were present with 2 meeting that met 3 times represented. We finalized plans for the workshop New Year's Eve.

Literature

I am getting a copy of The Living Clean Project and making copies for the

workshop @ New Year's Eve Function. We received a Basic Text, Just For Today, It Works How and Why, a Step Working Guide, but the Group Starter Kit and Group reading Set are on back order for the Area Group Starter Kit. Thank you for allowing me to serve as the Area's Literature Chair.

Activities

Opened at 11:30 am with 5 addicts present. Discussed New Year's Eve shopping Moberly Wal-Mart 10:00 am December 31st. Load up Dec 31, 1 pm. Trying a new way for item raffle, Palm's worth for \$1.00 half an arm length \$3.00 Full arm length \$5.00. Both arms \$10.00. Discussed Spring Up and dance Moberly flyers are out march 17th James Youth Building Moberly. Discussed Annual picnic June 23rd tentative date at Bethany Baptist Church Marceline. Once again I would like to remind groups to bring their cards, if you do not bring your cards your group will not be eligible for the plaque. Also we have the Vice Chair position open for Activities if anyone is interested. Also just wanted the Area to know I did take the key from the Activities Box to the Bourke Street Building and Storage so we can load and unload Dec for New Year's Eve.

In Loving Service

Ad Hoc

We discussed and wrote motion for sending votes via email for groups not able to attend ASC.

PI

PI met with 3 addicts present. We discussed speaker for workshop and if the speakers are not available falling back on Sub Committee members to share experience, strength and hope. Website is up to date.

At December's Area we had some issues with groups not receiving the minutes and not being able to vote. I am attempting to redo your minutes and we are asking groups to please vote and bring results back to Area in January for Regional motions and Nominations as well as Area's motions.