

AREA SERVICE MINUTES

ATTENDEES: Jimmy – Area Vice Chair, Jessica – H&I Chair, Jesse – Technology Chair, Dana- Area Treasurer, Walter – PR Chair, Ray – RCM, Desiree – Area Secretary, Kerry – Convention Vice Chair

Meeting opened @ 7pm with **Serenity Prayer, Purpose of Area Service, 12 Traditions, 12 Concepts**

10 GSRS Present

September's Minutes Accepted/Passed

Reports Given By:

H&I Chair – attached

PR Chair – attached

Technology Chair – attached

Area Treasurer – attached

11 GSRs Present

Area Vice Chair addressed the body and informed them about open commitments still to fill on Steering Committee: Area Treasurer is open and the commitment needs to be filled urgently as of January 2021. Other open positions are Area Secretary, Technology Chair & Homebound Chair. He also discussed, live/hybrid meetings growing capacity at Anniversaries. With spillovers outside of meeting places. He urged GSRs to discuss with their groups ways to keep capacity down.

PR Chair – Also talked about the issue of capacity, If 33 people show up and 33 chairs are filled everyone else who shows up will be asked to go outside. He offered, maybe the solution is not to celebrate at live meetings maybe hold anniversaries virtually until pandemic restrictions are eased. Of the 5 meetings places holding meetings Tottenville has 2 meetings. There are some issues with people being outside the meeting space. He cautioned; this could affect NA as a whole.

Questions/Discussion

Addict – Should we be announcing Anniversaries on Website? **PR answered** – Each group has to come up with policy for that.

Area Vice Chair – Offered, it's not about control we are just suggesting hybrid anniversaries.

Convention Vice Chair – We don't tell groups what to do. The idea of hybrid anniversaries is just a friendly suggestion.

Meeting closed @ 7:56pm

Treasurer Report- December 8, 2020

Bank Balance as of 12/1/20 is \$7,438.19 plus I will be making a deposit of \$1634.75, which encompasses the money collected last month (\$813.75) and money collected this month (\$821).

Checks written to:

1. \$100 to GNYRSC- donation
2. \$139 to American Self Storage
3. \$29.98 to Jessie Zoom

If any groups want to donate to area, please mail your money orders to our PO Box at the following address:

SIASC
PO Box 40752
SI, NY 10304

Or you can contact me directly and I will be more than happy to meet up with you.

Please put your groups name on the money orders, so I can keep track of where the money is coming from and please make your money orders out to Staten Island Area Service Committee or SIASC. Specify that you are making a donation on the memo line.

Donations

Steps to Freedom:	\$ 102.75
Clean Times:	\$ 100
PI Fundraiser:	\$ 200
Merchandise:	\$ 380
Total:	\$ 782.75

Literature Orders

Steps to Freedom:	\$ 38.25
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Total for donations and literature for December: \$ 821.00

I am going to continue serving the AREA as treasurer until someone steps up or at the very least the pandemic ends.

Please e-mail me at SIANAtreasurer1953@gmail.com with any questions.

In loving service,

Dana S.