District 12 Meeting Minutes

January 19th, 2023

Meeting was called to order at 6:30pm with the serenity prayer and introductions. Ten members were present. Concept 1 was presented by Chris L. Karen volunteered to present Concept Two. Thank you!!

Officer's Report

DCM: Terry A	A (612)) 910 4832	theresa.ahlgren@yahoo.com

Report: Terry reported on Area Workshop held at the Holiday Inn. She discussed the presentation done for the third legacy of Service. Further discussed spoke about breaking close to even with coffee expense.

Alternate DCM: Shelley H (651) 343 0288 shelley@turningpointduluth.com

Report: Shelley reported on her time at the Area workshop. Shelley discussed that numbers of meeting in District are at the same numbers pre-covid.

Secretary: Addy R (218) 260 0268 ratliff.net@gmail.com

Report: Addy reported no changes. (Minutes from last District Meeting were accepted)

Treasurer: Roy S. royszmatta@gmail.com

Report: Roy reported a beginning balance for January of \$5,317.02 Roy reported total credits of \$441.42. Roy reported total debits of \$80.00. Roy reported an ending balance of \$5678.44, less prudent reserve of \$1000.00 leaves a balance of \$4678.44 for service. (Roy also provided report for December) (Roy reported a beginning balance in December of \$4912.62. Roy reported total credits of \$460.00. Roy reported total debits of \$55.60. Roy reported an ending balance of \$5317.02, less prudent reserve of \$1000.00 left a balance of \$4317.02 for service.) Roy discussed renewal of Grapevine Subscription for all four local jails with total of \$104.00. Motion was made for approval. Motion to renew subscription for grapevine provided to corrections facilities was approved.

Committee Reports

Archivist: Steve E sengel1951@yahoo.com Report: Steve reported archive materials remain stored in the Duluth Alano Club at this time. No further report.

Corrections: Frank K

Report: Frank discussed literature used by those in correction facilities. Frank reported that FPC will be suspending meeting until spring due to volunteers are unable to make it and limited

attendance of those at FPC. He reported that requirement may change for bringing meeting to FPC. He reported that current meetings in all jails re meeting with various attendance.

DULYPAA: Vacant, On Hiatus

Intergroup: Twin ports Intergroup (218) 727 8117

Intergroup Representative: Chris L (715) 817 3580 ctlukken@gmail.com Report: Chris reported intergroup is open 12pm to 6pm. She reported inability to expand hours due to limited volunteer. Chris reported only 39 volunteers. She reported only having nine out of twelve board members. She reported on webpage for Intergroup on the District website. Chris reported on outdated contact list for temporary AA contacts. She passed list. Chris also reported on possibly needing new place.

Literature: Scott A (763) 228 0730 alhlgrenscott@yahoo.com **Report:** Scott reported on *Alcoholic Anonymous Comes of Age* tonight. He discussed link of the literature to concept. He reported on history presented in the book *Alcoholic Anonymous Comes of Age*.

PI/CPC: Rich G (218) 343 2120 richardgould4@gmail.com **Report:** Rich reported on current CPC/PI cooperation with the professional community and possible outreach via websites of professionals.

Veterans Outreach: Frank K

Report: Frank reported on current veterans' outreach. He reported some disappointment about use of literature that was provided to the VA. He reported plans to visit various VA resources.

Treatment: Kevin K (702) 217 6886k.knodeljr@yahoo.comReport: Kevin reported recent contact with Area 35 contact who provided literature resources.He provided sign up for possible contact outreach. He reported speaking with Tammy E. aboutpast contacts for Treatment Chair and H&I.

Webmaster: Scott A.(763) 228 0730alhlgrenscott@yahoo.comReport: Scott made a report that he has been working on filling up the events list on the website.He reported on past event through Area 36, and that this event will be happening via Zoom thisweekend. Information can be found on District 12 website.

Church Liaison: Ginny N. **Report:** Ginny was absent. No Current report.

Old Business

Possible billboard was discussed. Rich reported on reasoning behind not being billed by Lamar due to lack of contract. He discussed inability to know the billboard's effectiveness. Nonprofit price is \$430.00 for 1 month guaranteed with the billboard remaining up until the space is sought after by someone else.

Motion was made to purchase two billboards with stated contract with a grand total of \$860.00. Motion was approved. Location will be discussed furthered. Discussion about staggering billboards and possible timing was discussed.

New Business

Terry discussed current group outreach. She discussed further cooperation with intergroup for updating group information.

Terry discussed beginning group inventory process with support of intergroup. Terry discussed the process of group inventory. She discussed desire to get a list of volunteers to offer the group inventory through intergroup. Terry will pass around signup sheet.

Terry reported on upcoming events. She discussed the Spring Assembly coming up in April followed by the Delegate's report. She reported on West Central Regional this year in Omaha

GSR Reports

Coppertop AA meeting – Friday - 9am

230 E Skyline Pkwy, Duluth, MN 55811 - In personGSR: Rich G. richardgould4@gmail.comReport: Rich reported that attendance is around 30 members in attendance. Meeting membership is interested in Area.

Rule 62 Group - Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday - 12pm

219 North 6th Ave E, Duluth, MN 55805 - In personGSR: Nancy A. chzzyd@gmail.comReport: Nancy reported attendance has been good. She reported on current format of all three meetings.

On Awaking Group - Monday, Wednesday, Friday 7am - Closed Meeting

Arrowhead Place 201 W. 2nd St., Duluth - Use back door please Separate; In Person and Zoom - Zoom ID: 622-319-760 Password: 12 **GSR:** Karen S.G. karen.st.george@gmail.com (218) 343 3791 **Report**: Chris reported he has stepped down and that current GSR will be Karen. Karen reported in person attendance for the group has been above twenty and close to thirty people in person. Karen did not report on attendance via Zoom. She reported good sobriety in the group.

Closing

District meeting was adjourned at 8pm with the responsibility statement.