

Bay Area Service Committee Minutes for

July 13th, 2014

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Moment of Silence & Serenity Prayer

Definition of an Area Service Committee (ASC)

Introduction of New Members to the Area Service

Tradition/Concept of the Month

Roll Call / Group Reports

HOME GROUP	APR	MAY	JUN	JULY
1. The 11 th Step Beach Meeting	P	R	A	P
2. The 11 th Step Meditation Meeting	A	A	A	A
3. Acceptance and Change	P	P	P	A
4. Always Here	P	A	A	R
5. The Autonomous Group	A	A	A	A
6. Basic Meeting	P	P	P	P
7. Bay Area Youth	P	A	P	P
8. Be a Part Of	P	P	P	P
9. Beach Group	A	P	P	P
10. Breaking Chains	A	A	A	A
11. Clean Harbor	P	A	P	P
12. Come As You Are	P	P	P	P
13. Defeating Our Addiction (D.O.A.)	A	P	P	A
14. Dopeless Hope Fiends	P	P	P	P
15. Do You Really Want to Know	P	P	R	P
16. The Dunedin Group	R	P	A	R
17. Freedom Group	A	A	A	A
18. Get A Life; Get Off The Horse	P	A	P	P
19. H.O.W. Group	P	P	A	P
20. Happy and Free	P	P	P	P
21. Hope for Hope	R	P	P	P
22. I'm Clean On Fridays (I.C.O.F.)	P	P	P	P
23. It Works	P	P	P	P
24. Just for Today	P	P	P	P
25. Keys to Recovery	P	P	P	P
26. Life's a Beach	P	P	P	P
27. Life's in Session	P	P	P	P
28. Living Clean	P	P	P	P
29. Logical & Educated	A	A	A	A
30. Miracles Happen	P	P	P	P
31. Morning Serenity	P	P	A	P
32. Never Alone	A	P	P	P
33. New Attitudes	P	P	P	P
34. New Beginnings On Southside	A	A	P	P
35. A New Day	A	A	A	A
36. No Pain No Gain	P	A	A	A
37. Noon Group	P	P	P	P
38. The Point of Freedom	P	P	P	P
39. Primary Porpoise	A	A	A	A
40. Regardless Of...	P	P	P	P
41. Relax and Recover	P	P	P	P
42. Resurrender	P	P	P	P
43. Saturday Night Live	P	P	P	P
44. Save Your Ass	P	A	A	P
45. Serenity in Addiction	R	P	P	P
46. Serenity on the South Side	A	A	A	A
47. Sisters in Serenity	P	A	P	P
48. Sisters on Step	P	A	A	A
49. Spiritual Principles	A	A	P	P
50. Spiritual Solutions	P	P	P	P
51. Stairway to Recovery	P	P	P	P

New To ASC:

- Alan – Regardless Of
- Dan – Never Alone
- Alan – We Do Recover
- Lewis – We're Clean
- Herbert – Save Your Ass
- Tom – Point of Freedom
- Jason – Stairway to Recovery
- Megan – Wake Up Call
- Ryan – Basic Meeting



18: areas in the Florida Region 66: home groups that are members of the Bay Area Service Committee of Narcotics Anonymous.

52. Step Free	P	P	P	A
53. Sunshine	P	P	P	P
54. Trust the Process	P	P	P	P
55. Unity	A	A	P	A
56. Wakeup Call	P	A	P	P
57. Wakeup Clean	P	P	R	P
58. We're Clean	P	P	A	P
59. We Do Recover	A	P	P	P
60. We Found a Way Out	P	P	P	P
61. Welcome Home	P	P	P	P
62. Women and Recovery	P	P	P	P
63. Women on Wednesdays	P	R	P	P
64. Work the Steps and Live	P	P	P	P
65. Work the Steps or Die...	A	A	A	A
66. Young, Free, and Clean	P	R	P	P
HOME GROUPS REPRESENTED	50	44	47	54
VOTING PARTICIPATION	47	41	45	52

Quorum (avg. of 3 previous months' attendance, ÷ 2, + 1): 23

Total Home Groups Represented at Roll Call: 54

Voting Participation (number of groups able to cast vote): 52

Simple Majority (51% of this month's voting participation): 27

POLICY CHANGE (75% OF THIS MONTH'S VOTING PARTICIPATION):

ADMIN. & SUBCOMMITTEES	APR	MAY	JUN	JULY
Chairperson — Kristi-Beth F.	P	P	P	P
Vice Chair — Ernest E.	P	P	P	P
Secretary — Erin R.	P	P	P	P
Alternate Secretary — Michael V.	P	P	P	P
Treasurer — David B.	P	P	P	P
Alternate Treasurer — Chuck S.	P	P	P	P
RCM — Denise F.	P	P	P	P
RCM-II — Dathan J	P	P	P	P
Literature Distributor — Tara F.	P	P	P	P
Alt. Literature Distributor — Christine C.	P	P	P	P
Web Servant — Chris A.	P	A	A	P
Alt. Web Servant – Andrea B.	A	P	P	A
Activities Chair — Brian H.	P	P	P	P
Activities Vice Chair – Danette R.	P	P	P	P
Archivist Chair – Shawn M.	P	A	A	P
Archivist Vice Chair – Vacant	V	V	V	V
Helpline Chair — Miles H.	P	P	P	P
Helpline Vice Chair – Mike P.	P	P	P	P
H&I Chair — Bert Y.	P	P	P	P
H&I Vice Chair — Chris B.	P	P	P	A
Literature (Newsletter) Chair – Dawn E	V	P	P	P
Lit. (Newsletter) Vice Chair – Vacant	V	V	V	V
Policy Chair — Phil L.	P	P	P	P
Policy Vice Chair —John R	P	P	P	P
PR Chair — Mark B	P	P	P	A
PR Vice Chair – Todd	P	P	P	P
BASCNA Inc. Representative Barry C.	A	A	A	A
BASCNA Inc. Representative Jeannie H.	A	A	A	A
BASCNA Inc. Representative Jackie S.	A	A	A	A

GSR INFORMATION SECTION

What to bring to your home group ☐

Motions

Last month (*thank you for your participation!*)

#2014.06.08.01 To increase Activities' monthly budget by [REDACTED]

This month

None.

Please review nominations for ASC administrative positions and vote with your groups!

Activities

August 9 th	Tampa Funcoast FACNA 2014 Fundraiser Masquerade Party
August 10 th .	Deadline for Newsletter submissions to lit@bascna.org . Topic is "Faith".
August 22 nd – August 24 th	Speaker Jam (Sponsored by The Freedom Group)
September 13 th	Bay Area Deep Sea Fishing Trip
September 26 th – September 28 th	Rivercoast Area Campout is being held in Spring Hill

GSR Reports

HOME GROUP	GSR	DAYS AND TIMES OF MEETINGS	# GROUP MEMBERS	# PEOPLE ATTENDING
The 11th Step Beach Meeting	Fawn J	Sun. 11:00am	5	6 - 30
We're all good. Attendance is p & down – depending on the weather. We are selling water for \$1 a bottle and excepting donations fir our up and coming end of summer Beach Bash which will be on October 5 th , the 1 st Sunday in October after the meeting @ 11am. Flyers will be available at the next Area in August. Rebecca B. will be picking up her 1 year medallion this month on June 27 th , please come out and support her. Our donation this month is [REDACTED]				
The 11th Step Meditation Mtg.	John C	Sat. 10:00am	3	20
No report submitted.				
Acceptance and Change	Bruce G	Fri. 8-9:30	2	10
No report submitted.				
Always Here	Adam U	M-S 12-1pm	22	38
Noon group thriving. We have 6 literature studies and 1 meditation mtg. thanks.				
The Autonomous Group				
No report submitted.				
Basic Meeting	Michelle W	Sun @ 7:00 PM		
All is well. We have a new alt GSR (again) – Ryan C. Mark S is celebrating 8 years on July 5 th .				
Bay Area Youth (BAYNA)	Brent S	Sat 8pm	5	15+
All is well @ BAYNA. Aaron M will be celebrating 17 yrs on July 16.				
Be a Part Of	Michael S	SAT/SUN 6P – 7P	10	30
All is well.				
Beach Group	Richard C	Wed & Sat @ 8:00 PM	4	20
Request additional attendance from area members where feasible. Suggest special consideration be given to the Saturday 8:00 pm meeting. Thank you.				
Breaking Chains	Matt K	Friday 7:30 PM	8	40
No report submitted.				
Clean Harbor	Brian M	MWR 8pm, Sa 10pm, Su 7pm	6	8-10
Kelley K. with four years in August. All meetings could use support...attendance is low.				
Come As You Are	Steve G.	Thursday 8-9	15	30-40
Gerry H is speaking the last Thursday of this month. All else is well.				
Defeating Our Addiction (DOA)	Rahul S.	Th 8pm	4	10
No report submitted.				
Do You Really Want to Know	Mike M.	Monday 6:30 – 7:45 PM	13	30
There will be a celebration meeting, on July 28 th at 5:45. All is well.				
Dopeless Hope Fiends	John Y.	Tues. 6:45pm – 8:00pm		
Meeting are going great. Recovery is in the house. Ashley D is celebrating 1 yr Aug 12 at All Saints Church Keystone Rd				

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Tarpon Springs, ILS, John Y.				
The Duncedin Group	Dana F	Tues 8pm	5	30
No report submitted.				
Freedom Group		M&W @ 7:30	30	12
No report submitted.				
Get A Life; Get Off the Horse	Kevin K	7:30/8:30 FRI OUTSIDE	3	4
5 ST EL. 6 SW MOVED > I Mouth				
H.O.W. Group	Kelly F.	Fridays 8pm	6	15+
Things are getting better in Duncedin ☐ Our eating meeting on July 11 th was a huge success with 44 addicts in attendance! Thank you to everyone who came and we look forward to seeing everyone again for our next eating meeting on Friday August 1 st at 7pm. We are also in the planning stages of holding a celebration for HOW which turned 30 y/o this year. Stay tuned more will be revealed!! ILS, Kelly F. GSR.				
Happy and Free	Mike L.	Tues @ 7:30 PM	15	35-50
All is well. Our celebration meeting will be on the last Tuesday at 6:30 with lots of food. Barbara will celebrate her 18 th anniversary this month. August celebrants are Mandy with 1 year and Mike L. with 5 years, God willing. Thanks to all, especially to HP.				
Hope for Hope	Erin S	Thurs 6:30 pm	11	20
Phil L. celebrates Aug. 21 (14 years). This meeting has been formed since January 2014 and our attendance is strong. It is a po meeting that focuses on the spiritual principles of the program.				
I'm Clean On Fridays (ICOF)	Liz M	Friday 7:30 PM	12	30-40
Sharon C. celebrates 13 years at ICOF on Sept. 12 th . Good attendance. Please join us! ILS, Liz				
It Works	Valerie S	Mon 6:30 – 7:30	14	20
All is well at It Works!				
Just for Today (JFT)	Mel B.	M, W, F, Sat 10PM-11:30PM	2	2-10
A great candlelight meeting, emphasizing the spiritual principles. We appreciate all the support you can provide. ILS, Mel B.				
Keys to Recovery	Emily M.	8-9pm, Every Day	10	7-50
Keys to recovery would like to welcome Tony as a new chairperson. We are still in need of attendance support, particularly NA members with a clear NA message for our attendees in multiple fellowships, newcomers, and those from treatment facility. Your experience, strength, and hope are valuable and would be welcomed at Keys to Recovery. We are still unable to donate to the ASC due to low 7 th Tradition contributions and confusion with our bank deposits, despite reduced rent from our facility and homegroup members purchasing our literature for the group. We meet every day at 8pm at Terra Nova (with which we are not affiliated), and have very low attendance on some nights. We hope to see you and The Traveling Road Show (hint, hint) at Keys to Recovery! ILS, Emily M.				
Life's a Beach	Billy B	Mon. 7:30pm / Sat. 8:00pm	8	15-60
All is well. Could always use more support.				
Life's in Session	John R.	Wed. 7:45 PM – 9:00 pm	20	48
All is well at Life's in Session. We meet Wed. night from 7:45 – 9:00 at St. John's Episcopal in Largo. We are a literature study and we are currently working on the 1 st step out of the step working guide last month we had an average attendance of 48 and after paying out rent and bagging literature for our group we will be making a donation to the area in the amount of ██████. Last month, the event that we co-sponsored with never alone "Open Mike Night" was a success. After expenses for the event we will be making a donation to the area in the amount of \$252.30. This onth we have Ernest E. celebrating 6 years on Aug 13 th and we would love to have you out. ILS.				
Living Clean	Megan D	Monday 7:30 pm	7	25
All is well ☐				
Logical and Educated	David M	Tuesday 8pm		
No report submitted.				
Miracles Happen	Sharon L	Mon 7:30AM, Tue 6:00PM, Fri 10:00PM	5	10-12
We have a new meeting Monday 7:30 am that needs support. We are meeting the rent but don't have a donation for area at this time. Sharon I. ILS				
Morning Serenity	Candice H	Everyday 7:45 – 8:45	9	30
All is well.				
Never Alone	Jenn N	Tues 8pm	27	50
No report submitted.				
New Attitudes	Neal B	Fridays 8-9pm	14	54
All is well with our Home Group. Our meetings continue to grow, we had a total attendance of 215 for the month of June. Our speaker for July will be Paul M. on Friday July 25th. Thank you for allowing me to be of Service. Neal B				
New Beginnings on Southside	Leroy S.	Mondays 7pm until 8pm	12	10
All well at New Beginning on the Southside. We still reaching out for NA to be more involved on the Southside. The message is need to make the message of NA to be reach by all addicts. New Beginning on the Southside 7 th Tradition Contribution ██████				
A New Day	John P	Fri Sat		

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No report submitted.				
No Pain No Gain	Robert R	Mon & Fri 8:00 to 9:00		
No report submitted.				
Noon Group	Bill V.	MTWTHFS NOON	14	13
Monday literature is now directed to daily meditation direction in BT or IP. Karly Wagner – stepping up 1 month early for GSR – please email minutes to 1436 Drew St Unit B Clw Fl. 33755. Ernest celebrating 28 years. Group celebration potluck 3 rd week speaker Usef.				
The Point of Freedom	Brad S.	Daily @ 8pm	18	20
The Point of Freedom group welcomes anybody in need of a homegroup to ours...and we have open positions of service available. Thank you. H.S, Brad S.				
Primary Porpoise				
No report submitted.				
Regardless Of...	Allan N	Tuesdays 6:45p-7:45p		7
All is well, but attendance is down. We could use your support. Tim K. Celebrated 8 years, and our group celebrated 1 year. H.S Allan N.				
Relax and Recover	Rhonda F	Saturday 10:00 – 11:00	15	20
Jane M 8/1/10 4 yrs. Susan W 8/7/99 15 yrs.				
Resurrender	Elizabeth W	Wednesday @ 8pm	10	58
All is well!				
Saturday Night Live (SNL)	Danette	Sat. 8pm	4	20-30
All is well.				
Save Your Ass	Herbert B	7 days a week 5:30 – 6:30 pm		
Group doing great. Marcida 1 year and Georgiana 2 years in the month of July.				
Serenity in Addiction	James B	M, W, F 8-9pm		
All is well at SIA, we are glad to report that our Wednesday and Friday meetings that were lacking attendance are starting to build up with people attending the meetings regularly. We are always in need of home group members, there are still alternate positions that need to be filled. We meet every Mon, Wed, fri 8-9pm the last Wed of the month is a speaker for July it will be Pop 24 years from South St. Pete.				
Serenity on the Southside	Johnny C.	Sat NOON	7	10
No report submitted.				
Sisters in Serenity	Brittany M	Wed 7:30	10	0
All is well.				
Spiritual Principles	Joe S	6:45 PM Thurs	10	10-24
Spiritual Principles, along with 2 membs. (Roslyn & Romne) Just celebrated 1 year clean on June 20, 2014. That, a miracle. Even though good things are happening at Spiritual Principles, we still need support.				
Spiritual Solutions	Joe J	Mon-Tues 8:00 – 9:00 pm	17	25
All is well.				
Stairway to Recovery	Jason T.	Wed. 7:30-8:30pm	14	20-
Jason T. GSR, Sara S. Alt GSR, Walter M. Treasurer, Les M. Alt Treasurer – These are our current HG trusted servents.				
Step Free	Stacy R	Thurs 8pm	8	15
No report submitted.				
Sunshine Group	Planen	Sunday 8pm	10	
Well attended ☺				
Trust the Process	Hailey B.	Tue. 8:00pm	20	20-30
All is well. Hailey B will be celebrating 18 months August 5 th !				
Unity Group	Timmy D	Sunday 8pm	5	10
No report submitted.				
Wakeup Call	Meghann P	Sat. 9am.	9	23
Tim P is celebrating 13 years on July 19 th . Small meeting that needs support. Topic led discussion. Tim P is stepping down from GSR due to moving out of state. Meghann P will be GSR w/Sarah S. as alt. GSR.				
Wake Up Clean	Frank S.	7 day / 7:45A	13	23
I'm Teresa P. Stepping down from GSR. New GSR is Frank S. 2 celebrants for July to be held on last Fri/mo. Gemia lyr, Kurt J. 3 yrs. All's good.				
We're Clean	Deborah R	Wed 7pm, Sunday 7pm	10	28
No report submitted.				
We Do Recover	Kelly C	Tues 8pm	15	40-60
All is well. Dick & Cathy celebrating 39 years on Tues. July 15 th . Come help celebrate. H.S, Kelly.				
We Found a Way Out	Alicee N	SUN-SAT @ 6:30	8	15
We are in need of support, please come to our meetings, we meet at The Place 7 days a week @ 6:30. Also we are in need of home group members and financially. I want to say thank you to the "traveling road show" the group got a lot of NA members and they came to our meeting last night, it was a success we had a total of 54 people show up to our meetings. We are able to donate ██████ to Area. Our upcoming celebrations are: Josie T. 8/13/01 13 yrs, Mary B. 7/29/09 5 yrs, Lisa C.				

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9/28/00 14 yrs. In Loving Service Alice N.				
Welcome Home	Jim S	Thursday 8pm	30	100-150
All is well. Life is good. See you Thursday.				
Women and Recovery	Lisa M	Sat 9:30 Sun 9:30	10	
All is well.				
Women on Wednesdays	Shelia C	Wednesday @ Noon	7	7-10
Hello All, Several things this month. We are switching to the Living Clean book this week, and will now have coffee! Next month it will be a year – a couple more changes coming, more will be revealed. We are in need of support. ILS, Shelia				
Work the Steps and Live	Cara H	7 days 12-1	12	12-25
Meeting attendance is growing but 7 trad. is still low. Would like people w/more experience & recovery to help the newcomers seeing how we are a "newcomer" group we could use people who are able to sponsor.				
Work the Steps or Dic...		3 rd Sat 11a-5p	3	25-35
No report submitted.				
Young, Free, and Clean	David S	Friday @ 8pm	12	50
We're still averaging 50 people a meeting and we have 7 th tradition contribution this months of [REDACTED] We're also having our monthly speaker meeting July 25 th and our speaker will be Jeannie H. Pizza will be served and deserts can be brought. ILS, David.				

Old Business

#2014.06.08.01: Made by Activities / 2nd by Treasurer

To increase monthly budget/allocation [REDACTED] Total monthly amt would be [REDACTED]. This increase is for inflation of goods and svcs to put on events.

Intent: Concept 11, Trad 7

Action of the ASC in June: Tabled to groups.

Action of the ASC in July: Passed.

Regional Proposal 01-05-14 Disaster Plan

Vote of confidence given to RCM team.

New Business

None.

Subcommittee and Administrative Position Reports

Secretary's Report

Good Morning! If you are new to ASC or have a change in contact information, please complete a change of address form on the front table. You can also change your address online! If you did not get your minutes please see me. Check your junk mail for minutes – they may be bumped there.

ILS, Michael & Erin

RCMI Report

Nothing to report.

RCMII Report

Nothing to report.

Administrative

Admin met on 7/13/14 normal reports will be given on the floor. Newsletter expressed concern with participation from Bay Area fellowship with topic submissions. There has been a shortage in support from the fellowship. Admin members committed to be an example by submitting writings in support of newsletter. ILS Ernest E.

Activities

Hello everyone! The Bay Area 33 Anniversary is around the corner and we are excited about this year's theme... a 50's Sock Hop on 08/23/14 at Sacred Heart Parish Center 7981 46th Way N. Pinellas Park. Doors open at 6pm, Dinner will be Hamburgers and Milkshakes! Admission is [REDACTED] for dinner and dance or [REDACTED] for dance, but no addict turned away. Meeting at 7pm and Dance at 8:30. We will also have a raffle and would appreciate donations. See Flyer for more info.

UPCOMING EVENTS:

09/13/14 ~ Deep Sea Fishing Trip – 9 hr Private charter on the Super Queen, from Clearwater Beach. Boat departs at 8am and returns at 5pm Group rate [REDACTED] per person includes rod & bait. This is a Pay Your Way Event with Advance Purchase only on or before 08/23/14. Tickets are on sale and available from an Activities member. See Flyer for more info.

10/26/14 ~ Are you ready for some football? Bucs vs Vikings at 1pm at Raymond James Stadium. [REDACTED] per person, Private Box, Only 50 seats available, first come, first serve. This is a Pay Your Way Event with Advance Purchase only on or before 09/15/14. Tickets are on sale and available from an Activities member. See Flyer for more info.

Please see flyer for more info. All events are posted on www.bascna.org or Bay Area Activities page on facebook. NA is not affiliated with any organization, facility, franchise, or social networking site mentioned. If you have any ideas of events or activities, please feel free to attend our subcommittee meetings at 6:30 pm on the 1st and 3rd Wednesday of each month at the Place 5540 Park Blvd Pinellas Park, by email (activities@bascna.org), or contacting the Chair or Vice Chair

ILS,
Brian, Danette, & the Activities Subcommittee

Archivist

No report submitted.

Helpline

Helpline met on 7/6 at 8pm at the place. Everything is going well, all shifts are covered. We will be changing the time of our meeting. Starting in August we will meet the first Sunday of the month at 10:00 am instead of 8:00 pm. We will be putting in a check request for [REDACTED] for simply hope for our rent. In loving service, Miles H.

Hospitals & Institutions

- H&I met on June 29th due to FRCNA.
- 15 facilities rep. and attended.
- 4 new H&I members.
- Awaiting response from prison on VA facility.
- Re-commitment of panel members at jails + facilities.
- Next H&I sub-committee meeting scheduled for Aug 3rd at 8:30am at The Place.
- Requesting GSR to announce all PLs 1 & 2, panel members to attend next Aug H&I sub-meeting please.
 - Re-orient the Do's and Don't;s
 - Language.

Literature Distributor

All is well, we had a mixup with meeting list but have fixed it now. We have a few special edition books as well as celebration cards. Take a look at the flodisarso.org website and if you see something you'd like ask is to order it. In addition I just want to thank you all for the experience I have gotten while serving at the ASC. You guys will be in great hands with Christine and Rob, Go lit team! In loving service, Christine, Rob, and Tara

Newsletter Report

The newsletter subcommittee did not meet in July due to FRCNA. The newsletter for next quarter is on track for distribution at ASC in September. The topic is "faith". We are in need of articles, artwork, poetry, or any other NA related items. Please send submissions to lit@bascna.org by August 10th. We will be collecting anniversary dates at August ASC so please

confirm your homegroup members dates for Sept, Oct, and Nov. The next subcommittee meeting is scheduled for Sunday August 3rd at 10:00 am at the place. Thank you for allowing me to be of service, Dawn E.

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No report submitted.

Policy

This morning we discussed when we would reprint the revised version of the policy packet and the possible effect of the regions proposal on the Disaster preparedness, Response, and Recovery Plan Coordination. After some discussion we decided that it would be prudent to wait until the region makes a decision on the proposal, as so that our area may adopt some of their policy in order to be prepared in the case of a natural disaster, we may have a plan. We are open to anyone who would like to share their experience and input. We meet the second Sunday of every month at 8:30 a.m. at 5540 Park BLVD. All are welcome.

In Loving Service, John R.

Public Relations

We presented to 3 of the 5 board members (Carlton Manor) and found that they provide services for foster kids that are at high risk for drug use 8 – 18 years old males. They have some current issues with boys using and would like them to know that there is another way to live. They feel that the boys will respond better to peer rather than to an authority figure.

We are in the process of setting up a presentation with Mark Hamilton and the VA to bring in meetings. The same with the Boley Centers (Lili Kennedy).

We do have an approved NA PSA that we have agreed to use. Finalizing the details of that.

Todd B.

Treasurer's Report

Hi Bay Area, Our july beginning balance was [REDACTED] minus outstanding checks of [REDACTED] leaves [REDACTED]. Our inflows were [REDACTED] Our outflows were [REDACTED] which left us minus [REDACTED] for the mo. adding in our beginning balance minus our prudent reserve of [REDACTED] and activites reserve of [REDACTED] leaves us negative [REDACTED]
ILS David B and Chuck S

Web Servant

No report submitted.

Open Sharing

James B. - concerns with the Bay Area anniversary being held on the same weekend as the Speaker Jam.

Note from Alternate Secretary: I apologize, I failed to take proper notes during the open sharing session and most likely missed some. I will try not to let that happen again. ILS. Michael V.

Ad Hoc (Survey)

No report submitted.

Ad Hoc (GSR Training)

No report submitted.

Ad Hoc (Traveling Road Show)

No report submitted.

Area Nominations

Erin R – Vice Chair

Stated Qualifications: My clean date is 8/27/07 and I have actively participated in Narcotics Anonymous since that time. I have an NA sponsor who has an NA sponsor. I have worked the 12 steps multiple times and have an understanding and

working knowledge of the 12 traditions and 12 concepts. I have held service positions at the homegroup level, serving as a treasurer for 1 year, secretary for 2 years, and chairperson for 2 years at Keys to Recovery. I have also served as secretary for Resurrender for 1 year. I have been committed to the Bay Area for the past 5 years, serving as Activities Vice Chairperson for 1 year, Activities Chairperson for 2 years, Alternate Secretary for 1 year, and Secretary for 1 year. I sponsor women and have brought a weekly meeting into a correctional facility for the past year. I have the ability to lead a group of people as well as the ability to remain neutral and objective. I am in love with Narcotics Anonymous and have a passion to maintain and restore the integrity of service at the area level. I have great time management and organization skills and have a working knowledge of Robert's Rules of Order. I am willing to serve.

Emily M. - Vice Chair

Stated Qualifications: Qualifications for the position of ASC Vice Chairperson and BASCNA, Inc. Vice President/Director:

1. Clean since 3/1/06
 2. Willingness and desire to serve, and an interest to learn how to better serve
 3. The time, knowledge, skills and resources required by the job as Vice Chairperson, and if the ASC would choose me to be, as Chairperson, as well (including organization, coordination, communication, delegation, correspondence and leadership)
 4. Experience within the Bay Area service structure since I fell in love with service at my first service day with less than 30 days clean (I went to H&I to join a panel and they told me to keep coming back!)
 - a. Group level: meeting chairperson, Alternate GSR, GSR multiple times, have helped with everything from lit orders, coffee and cleaning to chairing business meetings and calling hg members
 - b. ASC level: Helpline Secretary and pager carrier (old-school, right?), ASC Alternate Secretary, ASC Secretary for two years
 5. Working knowledge of the 12 Steps, Traditions and Concepts, A Guide to Local Services, Bay Area Policy, and Robert's Rules of Order (I had to get Robert's Rules for Dummies a few years ago to make sure I understood what was going on at ASC—it really helps!)
 6. Experience stepping up to learn and fulfill roles as needed (e.g. with my group's blessing, I left the position of GSR early when the Area needed an Alternate Secretary mid-year; I have stepped up to chair home group business meetings, etc.; when I was Secretary for the Area, there was no Newsletter Chairperson and so I fulfilled the responsibilities of the Chairperson until one was found)
 7. Outside experience with nonprofit paperwork and leadership, as it would pertain to BASCNA, Inc., as well as preparing for and leading meetings, taking notes, and following meeting decorum
- Service has kept me clean; it is a debt I can only repay by continuing to give it back.

Sara W. - Alternate Treasurer

Stated Qualifications: 7/21/06 is my clean date, I have attended 4 Area Service Committee meetings in a row since April 2014, I have the willingness to do the position, I balance my own checkbook and have for 6 years, I'm a math major, I just finished a 1 year commitment as homegroup treasurer and I have never absconded with NA funds or not fulfilled a service commitment. Thank you.

Elizabeth W. - Alternate Secretary (Note: nomination withdrawn after Area Service)

Rob M. - Alt Literature Distributor

Stated Qualifications:

Sharon L. - RCM II

Stated Qualifications: I have been active in the area service structure for many years. I have a knowledge of the 12 steps 12 traditions and 12 concepts. I am learning the guide to local service I have the willingness. I have 17 years clean and the ability to communicate.