

DISTRICT 6 MEETING MINUTES FOR WEDNESDAY AUGUST 25TH, 2021

PRESENT: VIA ZOOM: BARBARA S., HEATHER M., PAM H., CASEY H., RON A., TERRY W., JOHN B, DON W. BRADLEY A., AND KRISTINA W.

OPEN WITH A MOMENT OF SILENCE FOLLOWED BY THE SET ASIDE AND SERENITY PRAYER

AGENDA AND MINUTES: AGENDA AND MINUTES WERE APPROVED FOR JULY 2021

TREASURER'S REPORT: SEE ATTACHED

GROUP CONCERNS: HEATHER BROUGHT UP "HOST DUTIES" WITH CONTINUATION OF GROUPS BEING ON ZOOM. THE ZOOM HOST CAN SET UP A HOST KEY OPTION WITH A CODE SO THAT ANYONE WITH THE CODE CAN HOST THE MEETING.

JOHN BROUGHT UP ISSUES WITH HIS HYBRID GROUP. BRADLEY SUGGESTED ANNOUNCING IN THE BEGINNING OF THE HYBRID MEETING THAT THE MEETING IS HYBRID AND A GENERAL WELCOME STATING FOR EXAMPLE: "WELCOME TO THE FOUR LIVE MEMBERS AND FIVE ZOOM MEMBERS" AND COULD CALL ON ONE PERSON LIVE AND THEN ONE PERSON ON ZOOM.

HEATHER BROUGHT UP HAVING DISTRICT EVERY OTHER MONTH FOR TWO HOURS LONG HOWEVER AFTER SOME DISCUSSION THE GROUP DECIDED TO STAY EVERY MONTH FOR AN HOUR LONG.

THE GROUP ALSO DISCUSSED GROUPS RETURNING TO LIVE MEETINGS AND THE IMPACT OF THE COVID MATRIX.

COMMITTEE REPORTS:

CPC/PI/TX: HEATHER REPORTED SHE ATTENDED A TRAIN THE TRAINER PUT ON BY A DISTRICT IN MINNESOTA THAT WAS VERY HELPFUL AND MOTIVATING.

EDUCATION/WORKSHOP: BARBARA STATED THAT THERE WILL BE ANOTHER ZOOM WORKSHOP IN OCTOBER OR NOVEMBER. SHE WAS THINKING SOMETHING ON MENTAL HEALTH OR DUAL DIAGNOSES. JOHN SUGGESTED THAT THE WORKSHOP COMMITTEE ALSO PUTTING ON ANOTHER "THE GROUP" WORKSHOP AGAIN. THE GROUP THOUGHT IT WOULD BE HELPFUL TO EMAIL BARBARA WORKSHOP IDEAS. BARBARA'S GSR PACKETE WILL BE EDITED AND PLACED ON THE DISTRICT 6 WEBSITE.

CENTRAL OFFICE LIASION: NO REPORT TODAY.

AREA 32: THEY ARE PLANNING ON HOLDING CONVENTION OCTOBER 1-3, SHANTY CREEK. THE MOCK CONFERENCE WILL BE ZOOM (DETAILS ON AREA WEBSITE). THE NEXT AREA MEETING WILL BE ON HYBRID FROM BRIGHTON ON 10/10/21.

NEW BUSINESS: THE GROUP DISCUSSED HAVING VENMO AND PAYPAL AVAILALBE FOR CONTSTIBUTIONS. JOHN, KRISITNA AND BRADLEY OFFERED TO MEET TO SET IT UP.

THE GROUP DISCUSSED ONGOING ISSUES REALTED TO THE FORMAION OF A MEETING DIRECTORY. BRADELY IS GOING TO TRY AND GET THE DIRECTORY FOR LANSING CENTRAL. BRADLEY, PAM VOLUNTEERERD AND THE GROUP SUGGESTED THAT CENTRAL OFFICE LIAISON, TIM H. BE INVOLVED IN THAT ENDEAVOR.

THE GROUP DISCUSSED THE FUTURE OF DISRTICT 6 MEETINGS BEING HELD VIRTUAL. THERE WAS A MOTION PASSED THAT DISTRICT 6 WILL STAY VIRTUAL INDEFINTELY NTIL SOMEONE WATNS TO BRING IT UP TO THE GROUP AGAIN IN THE FUTURE.

CLOSE WITH RESPONSIBILITY PLEDGE.

NEXT MEETING WILL BY HELD WEDNESDAY SEPTEMBER 29TH AT 6PM VIA ZOOM.

IN SERVICE, HEATHER M.