

**Monthly Meeting Minutes**  
**Hope Central AA Group**  
**October 9, 2023**  
**Location: Online via Zoom**  
**Meeting Time: 7:00 PM**

*Tradition 2 is read, followed by a moment of silence and the Serenity Prayer.*

**COMMITTEE REPORTS**

**I. Secretary's Report: Allie E.**

- i. Last month's minutes are read
- ii. Motion to Accept passes

**II. Treasurer's Report: Kevin L.**

- i. Total contributions \$210, we have \$2501.22 in Bank of America and \$454 in Venmo, totaling \$2,955.22. GSO contributions will be added to prudent reserve.
- ii. Motion to Accept passes

**III. Grapevine Report: Serenity.**

- i. This month's topic is Mid-Sobriety Challenges: what challenges are we facing at 10-20 plus years sober?
- ii. They are asking for stories for their podcast and YouTube, pictures for Instagram to promote the new app
- iii. Want members to sign up for daily Grapevine quotes and mention those quotes during meetings
- iv. Motion to Accept passes

**IV. Intergroup Report: Jerry.**

- i. I emailed the report, but really there's nothing to report
- ii. Motion to Accept passes

**V. GSR Report: Linda A**

- i. I got the letter from Kevin and sent it to the district chair
- ii. I attended the area meeting, couldn't attend the district meeting: for PICPC for the area, there are some things going on. There are some health fairs and volunteer opportunities to work with UTSW to present to medical students about alcoholism. Rick W. expressed his concerns with transparency
- iii. They are increasing the number of board meetings to 5 per year
- iv. 11/15 deadline for proposed Agenda Items for next GSC
- v. Motion to Accept passes

**VI. Literature Report: Ray C.**

- i. Just purchased and sent Kevin the receipt for 12 & 12s and BBs, a 45 year chip, we purchased a lot of books last month
- ii. Motion to Accept passes

**VII. PICP Report: no report**

**VIII. Treatment Report: Dan M.**

- i. Still going to the Fort every Saturday
- ii. Motion to Accept passes

**IX. Meeting Chair Coordinator Report: Jerry S.**

- i. Nothing to report
- ii. Motion to Accept passes

**X. Website Coordinator: Jerry S.**

- i. Nothing to report.
- ii. Motion to accept passes.

**XI. Zoom Coordinator: Jerry S.**

- i. Nothing to report
- ii. Motion to Accept passes

**XII. Corrections: Dan M.**

- i. There was a report given yesterday. There are lots of opportunities, contact Dan if interested.
- ii. 2023 Corrections Conference is 11/10-12 in OKC
- iii. Motion to Accept passes

**XIII. Special Needs: Vinny B.**

- i. There's an accessibilities checklist that was sent out with the 9/16 district meeting notes
- ii. Going to these meetings has opened my mind concerning what online deals with versus in-person.
- iii. When making phone calls to these facilities, we get push back, there is still a stigma.
- iv. We're coming up with contact cards for nursing homes
- v. Motion to Accept passes

**OLD BUSINESS**

## **NEW BUSINESS**

### **I. Service Workshop**

- i. Should we have a service workshop?
- ii. Linda and Dan gave input on some recordings regarding service
- iii. No vote is taken.
- iv. The discussion is tabled.

### **II. Length of Service Terms**

- i. Would we have greater interest in service opportunities if the length of the service terms were shortened?
- ii. Jerry, Allie, Linda, Steven, and Dan give input.
- iii. No vote is taken.
- iv. The discussion is tabled.

The Lord's Prayer is read and meeting closes.

