Transcript

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God is friendly. And someone please read.

I'm Rick and I'm an addict. God grant us knowledge that we may act according to your divine precepts and still it's in the sense of your make us your servants of your will and grant us a bond of selflessness that may truly be your. Work, not ours. In order that no addict anywhere need die from. The horrors of addiction.

And can someone read the 12 traditions?

That's just good.

Hey, Jessica, can we speak? Speak. Speak. Gotta speak up.

We have to speak up so that we can get some zoom.

OK.

We need what?

We have only with vigilance and justice freedom for the individual comes from the 12 steps of freedom for the group. Stronger than those that would tear him apart. Be low one. Our Commonwealth care should converse. Personal recovery depends on NAU for our group purpose. There is but one ultimate authority and loving goddess and they express themselves in our group content. Our leaders are the trusted servants, they do not govern 3 the only requirement for membership is a desire to stop. For each group should be autonomous, except in matters affecting other groups or NA as a whole. 5 each group has but one primary purpose to carry the message to the addict who still suffers 6 and enabling fault, never endorse, finance, or lend in a name to any related facility or outside. Enterprise, less problems of money, property or prestige better from our primary purpose 7 every in a group ought to be fully self supporting declining outside contributions. 8 narcotics anonymous sugar remain forever non professional, but our service centers may employ professional workers nine and a. As such, I'll never be organized, but we may create service boards or committees directly responsible to them and they serve. Hit Narcotics Anonymous has no opinion on outside issues, hence the in a name will never be drawn into public controversy. 11 our public relations policy is based on attraction rather than promotion, and you always maintain personal anonymity at the level of press, radio and foundation of all our vision, that reminding us to place principles before personalities. Understanding these traditions come. Slowly, over a period of time, we put up information as we talk to Members and visit various groups. It usually isn't until we. Get involved with the service. Someone points out the personal recovery. Depends on a unity. And that unity? Depends on how well we follow our. Traditions the 12 traditions of NA are not noticeable. They are the guidelines that keep our fellowship alive and free by following these guidelines. Dealings with others and society at large, and we avoid many problems that we want to say that our traditions eliminate all problems. Have to face. To the Philippines as they are. Times communication problems, differences of opinion, internal controversies and trusts for individuals and groups outside the fellowship, however, and why these principles we avoid some of the pitfalls many of our problems are like those that our predecessors. The hard one experience gave. To the traditions and our own

experience has shown that these principles are just as valid today as as they were when these. Traditions were formed. Our traditions protect us from the internal and external forces that could destroy us. They are truly advised that like this together, it is only understanding and.

As they were.

And the 12 concepts.

I'm the anime addict 12 concepts of NA service 1. To fulfill our fellowships, primary purpose, and a groups have joined together to create a structure in which which develops, coordinates and maintains services on behalf of NA as a. Goal 2 the final responsibility and authority for any services rests with any groups three and a groups delegate to the service structure the authority necessary to fulfill the responsibilities assigned to it for effective leadership is highly valued. Narcotics Anonymous leadership qualities should be carefully considered when trusted servants. 5 for each responsibility assigned to the service structure, a single point of decision and accountability should be clearly defined. Six group conscience is the spiritual means by which we invite a loving God to influence our decisions. 7 all members of a service body. There is substantial responsibility for that body's decisions and should be allowed to fully participate in its decision making processes a our service structure depends on the integrity and effectiveness of our communications 9. All elements of our service structure have the responsibility to carefully consider all viewpoints in their decision making processes. 10 any member of a service body can petition that body for the redress of a personal grievance without fear of reprisal. 11 and a funds are to be used to further our primary purpose and must be managed responsibly. 12 in keeping with the spiritual nature of narcotics Anonymous. Our structure should always be one of service, never of government.

And the purpose of the essay?

Justin Ferguson of the WTA SC is to be supportive of the NHL's primary purpose by associating with other troops. Deal with its day-to-day situations and these.

OK, I'm Suzanne and I'm at it. So Marcus is not feeling well. He's joining us by zoom, but I'll be conducting the the meeting today. I'm the vice chair. And just a couple of reminders about the members who are joining us on zoom. If everyone could please not speak all at once and raise our hands to be recognized. And keep any outside conversations out of this room if you have to speak to Catherine, just please be do so quietly and let's be respectful of those. That were good. Enough to join us and do service both thing. Thank you for your service, Marcus. We hope you feel better. All the GSR's you gotta be sure to turn your literature reports in the forms that we have up here are not current. So if you see something on there that you want to order and don't see it on the phone, just write hand. Write it in.

Catherine, did you get that \$30.00 that didn't have a name on it?

OK. And we got our new secretary today. She's she's floating around here somewhere, but her new secretary is. Penny and Penny will be able to give you GSR forms at any form. Made and if not, we'll we'll work it out. We remind all the GSR's it's much easier for the Secretary if you e-mail your GSR GSR report. So she didn't have to have pepper to keep up with because I can attest to the fact that. Because I lost the reports last last and and it's so it's just we have a record of it if you if you e-mail them and that way if you know anything was happened to the secretary also somebody could pick it up and run with it. I I don't think that's. When you take, OK, so.

Yours to treasure and trouble.

Oh yeah, your motions. If anybody's got a motion, make sure you turn it into Penny. OK, so at this time we're going. To call roll. Start with the OK chair.

I'm helping her.

Well, Marcus, Marcus here. We don't have an alternate secretary. Alternate treasure we don't have one. Archives is not here. HI. A newsletter is open. Outreach is an open position. Policy and procedures open position public relations.

He's not here.

He's also to JSR. OK, let's go into the voting groups clarity. Clean air here. Life hope dealers. Keep it green. From your purpose. Amanda, are you here? Thursday nighters unity. OK, so we have forum. 3 + 9 + 20 yeah, sorry.

Have you done non voting group checks?

So that is that the next thing I do is non budding groups. OK, so now the non voting groups harmony. Could have help. No matter what.

Did you know George so?

Was harmony and desire here last morning?

So does our were you here last week? Paula, she's signed. Here she comes in, we'll ask her. OK, so who is desire, then? And and harmony, were you here last week? OK.

They were here last.

Month, I mean last month. Sorry I wasn't here last week either. I'm not here now. Can you tell?

Then they get privileges back and then that's when you move them up to here.

OK. OK, I got you.

OK, that's why.

OK. OK. Are there any new groups?

OK.

I don't know.

Now we're going to start.

OK. So yeah, well, so we have. A. Several still can't specifically. OK, so now we have there's 14 voting groups here. Can I get a motion to approve the permanence?

Make a motion to approve.

All those in favor?

Right.

OK. Can we make a motion? Get a motion to approve this updated September minutes.

The motion to approve the updated September minutes.

Thank you, Paula. Minutes for last month. She she sent the updated September minutes and then at the very last minute we sent the October minutes, so it may. Have looked like.

Right.

They were back-to-back, yeah.

You didn't need the contact list.

Yeah, we used to contact with us.

OK.

So anyway, the motion has been seconded all those in favor. Alright, thank you. Chair do you have a do you that? Marcus, do you have a report? Here #4. We'll come back to eat. Right. We'll come back to now.

Yeah, I'm still doing all this. The only thing I had a. Question about maybe I can bring this up. Lucy and I were talking to you today or last night, and conversation came up about. And H and I set aside. I don't have a set aside in here. Specifically for those groups, it's just. You know, if we have if HI needs. So I guess I need to know whether or not. It's just they can't spend over something.

Right.

Thank you, Catherine.

Tim Leonard, 100.

They had said.

It was one.

100 sounds good. Everything's well.

I'm going over there today.

Now let's say the activities.

Tonight and we had people come out for the morning your time and we showed them how to have fun without being hot. All will have our committee meeting on December 3rd at 5:00 o'clock. Saturday, December 10th will be skating night at Cordova skating rink at 7:00 o'clock. No, no, no, no, no, no. Money will be coming out out of out. Of our better factor that. After that, we will be having our next big event in the years even down in our welcome to phone me. We're going to have bingo food. Music, fireworks and things on camera. It's gonna be 5 dollars, \$5. Getting the letter turned away. I am. I am also asking. I am asking to do the get our set aside. It is not in my not in my report but I am we I have.

Thank you, David. That sounds fun and archives not here. And they also had. No report literature. So while she's going to get Ricky the our chair from archives, sent me a text message Mark and he had a

real good friend that that. Had a good friend who was involved in that shooting in in Colorado, so that's why he was so my that those people, that whole situation.

If you want.

That's the word.

Let's go on to newsletter.

We don't have one.

OK. Then in a mate's not here, do we have a report? I had. I got it.

Right. Here's the report from. Hold on, Ricky. It's really short. Here's the report from NA in May 33 subcommittee met on 11/13. We decided on theme unity together again. Do a venue change. Next year's event will be different. While trying to keep our tradition as it has been, the next subcommittee meeting is 12 four 3:00 PM at the lunch, bunch in loving service 1/1.

Anybody have any questions about that?

There are four.

Ricky, good evening. Good afternoon.

So we'll subcommunity like please order some of those service pamphlets. They're on that last. One and running it for a long time. We still have. They're moving, but they're good. Also wanted to address. That, hey, that white book. I have 5 copies. From that from the white. And they're not going to order anymore of those because. They're not moving as fast back. If they like them to. Unfortunately, going to be out of that way. Dad told me until further notice. I think I could go to world and. Sponsor it like that and like talk to you. You know this and give some information. About how how? We can set up an account is.

We used to order from Lone Star before we switched to Florida so you could go to another server.

Going with what I didn't. Know how long it was here. Also, what about the question about the laminated copies that I passed around last one, but a lot of cool, especially because there's a lot of stuff. This is stuff that we were thinking we could go back to their respective groups and then stay there and then put the numbers and they can go. OK. You like me to put a motion on it? So and let's see.

And that's about.

That's about it.

Our total total this year order this month was 1174 dollars cents.

I got any questions?

For Ricky, I got one.

Is there a way to order the 8:00?

Yes, I actually have it. OK. Yeah, the. The new order one, the new one, has. Yes. Yes, I can, yeah. Ohh. He passes around.

Any other questions?

Well, some people here are new faces.

Pass them around.

Any other questions, Ricky, David.

How much is it gonna cost to run?

Ohh well, uh, I think I addressed.

OK.

That last month. All the people who the company. Have it was going. To be it wasn't going to. Be cost effective, Glenn checked on that.

They told me they have a.

They have a. Little machine, right? There self-service you can use it for. You have to buy your own.

And it was.

If you yeah. The cost is like the same about. FedEx what I pay for that like? Well, Glenn told me. But when he told. Me you could. You know you go. To Amazon and get a lot cheaper. Me and look at Amazon and you get a. 100 like 100. Laminated sheet 8 1/2 or 9 1/2. By 11 half. For like 20/20/22 dollars \$20.00 so it's yeah, that's definitely worth it so. Yeah, I mentioned that last time. Like you mentioned it again. Yeah, that's mentioned. Because yeah, I did arrest that last time and. So I wouldn't mind. Doing the lamination because I mean it's, you know, FedEx Office down the street, my house just like it is everybody's. In that case, but yeah, so. Something about Leanne's husband used. To do something with this little. The the cards for the for the male and female.

Yeah, for the phone.

Where it was accessible.

Where you just, you know, put your wallet, wallet. And this is like your wallet. And it's it's, you know, it's it's there, it's starting. It's not going anywhere. These little fluffy copies, I mean, you know. We're hoping that they.

Thanks Ricky. Thank you, Ricky.

His letter has those sensations.

I don't know how to make this situation works. I know last one was kind of crazy. Ohh so especially one thing that I want to go in the minutes. Especially expensive please. But I repeated what I remember. So we're still doing great. And so that's all fine. And it's been OK, so. Far, but I have. To look repeating, it's like the same. Anyway, we'll see. He has been trying to. Get in touch. With Serenity House and he has been. And that is not against him. You haven't been able to. Get in touch with these people. But they do need support. They need more. You can do it in person. You can do. It on zoom. We'll be taking over results. Mr. Bruce from. And he came by last month and. He was trying to. Everything they're looking for people to come in and speak. Apparently they can be either gender, apparently, and so I'm going to

would like to. Reach out to me. Cool. I don't know. I don't have any. So this is the key point right here. Please each GSR go back to your Members and request a list and compile list of anybody in your homework that you know that would be willing to occasionally go speak. I'm gonna put you on the list. I'm gonna text you and. If you say. Then I'm going to move on. To the next person. I'm not going.

To give weird.

Alright, so you know, give the truth. I just need a. List because I don't have a long. So please do that three months to sit in six months. To defeat both of them are very important.

Even if you can't.

You can be the same person.

OK.

So three months. Is just as important to sit in. And then I just have a question real quick. The next subcommittee meeting is 1218, but when I'm looking on the calendar, I don't know if it's just like. So it says that uh, it's 8:00 AM to 5:00 PM that's that's not right.

We'd love to bring that in.

In case somebody really thinks that. We need any properly. So no letter order. Right. And 11 service anyway.

Thank you, Andrew. Good coach. Do I have any questions for Andrew?

Hey, is all that in your report?

OK.

Please put in minutes.

I'm saying I have a I have a question. I guess if you you tell me if I need to address this with you and the. Agent I'm meeting. But why are we going into MRC without? A panel there. Without a panel later, because I don't have nobody.

We, we we went, he we. He and I went just on 16th.

Yeah, I'm just asking random people to go.

No, no, sorry. There's not a building panel, no.

No. So yeah, I. Don't have any good. You saw how many people were there.

Right.

I don't have the picture.

Why are we? Why are we committing to go to facilities without panel leaders?

Because otherwise we wouldn't be doing. Enough. I'm saying six hours.

Right. We wouldn't not as narcotics anonymous.

I mean, I kind of.

Just service I find the. So I'm essentially the channel there for both. Of them there, that's why.

Yeah, I get it. I was just curious because because it matters, having a panel later.

I fully agree with. You I would love to have family, but I don't have nobody who will be wondering, you know? And then that's why when people come and they're like, hey, this place, I know somebody here and they would like us to come do H and I here. I don't feel comfortable excepting that whatsoever because I barely have the people to do the two that we already had.

I guess I guess I what I hadn't maybe ever understood cause I've done it too is you know how. Now how we represent ourselves. And those facilities, officially a panel and all versus just taking them a meeting, are we, you know, are we supposed to tell them that we're just bringing you a meeting, we're not really.

I mean, honestly, what I tell people and what I've done is and somebody can tell me. If I'm wrong.

If you haven't been, then they haven't.

Heard your story? Free to Share your story. Right. And if you have been? Because like I said, I have.

Like a core of people who would go small.

So they're a lot of times for us, sending people have already been to that facility four or five times. And so I just tell them. You know, ask.

I get them.

Engaged and say, do you all want to have a regular meeting? You want to have like a Q&A, whatever. I understand if I'm not doing. It like buy the. Book or whatever, you know, somebody can talk to me about it. But I'm also working. With what I have. You know, I would love to be able. To do anything by like. The NA standard or whatever, but.

So I guess what my question is, is.

I don't know. I mean, I haven't really worked on it. I haven't ever heard any complaints. I haven't had anybody that's had a problem every time that I've personally. They're they all. I mean, I want to say that I reach out to people. They go generally not often, not every time. And they all say that it. Goes well I. Mean communicating with people that are actually working there. They said that it went well. And everybody seemed pleased. But like I said, if somebody has. Input or guidance or whatever it does before.

So there's kind of the new Luciano fanatic. So when Jerry was chair, we created that new not a position. That's like people were concerned because, like, we were getting speakers to go in that weren't members of H and I and they at the time they couldn't be members of H and I because they were from all over the country and. We're doing soon, so there's the speaker category and like if this if they have clean, they don't have to be coming every week but some, but there does need to be a regular person. I mean I I think at least with the one agent regular person goes in, then it's an action on me. I think that's what I think and.

Saying like so. I mean, let me ask actually shows. So there's no.

It's actually guidelines. Yeah, there's there. Yeah, there are guidelines. They're, you know, hmm. I panel members are supposed to attend. Need panel meetings. They're supposed to be, you know, schools on the guidelines and all that stuff. So we're hearing. As a as an action committee. So yeah, so. But you know, I guess my thing was in the past, what I have seen in the past have been and and I know this probably sounds terrible. To y'all but. We didn't go into Facilities H and I if we didn't have a panel later, we need, we may have taken a meetings. We've taken lots of them to Grace house that weren't. Under the auspice of Job Committee, because you know off and on same thing off and on. Well, because I think, I mean I you know the guidelines are there for a reason. I don't always know what the reason is and I don't have to know the guidelines of the guidelines. But I would kind of guess that you know if. You know, we go in as. H&R you know, the H and I committee that we have some accountability to that facility whereas you know if I ask Suzanne, just call it Grace House alone and I'll be glad to bring y'all meeting. This is not part of H and I, but I'll be happy to bring y'all a meeting. Then they can't hold. You know, they can't help the the fellowship. Response for free funked up ashit I do.

Well, I do.

Well, that, that for sure we, I mean that's just common sense. All of that's common sense. But you know, I've I've heard this, you know, I've heard this that where where speakers are using incorrect terminology, they're, you know, not. Following the **** we learn in, you know HI school and and and and that's important. We need to be as a as a fellowship and as a. Committee, we need to be carrying a consistent message of narcotics on us. Now, if you know George decides he wants to go carry a meeting and talk about some other kind of ****, that's the. But as a. Committee, we should have a single, you know, we should have the you. Know we we carry the message of Marcus. And we should be carrying it, correct? I mean, that's.

I'm an addict. I'm looking here and it says that the positions are the panel leader, a panel member or an H and I subcommittee member. Those are the three positions. Right. And it says in order to qualify for. Any of the above position a person needs to come when H and I meeting and inform the subcommittee of their desire to serve. They're required to attend all monthly subcommittee meetings in the event of unforeseeable circumstances, right? That that that's OK. But they're not to show up and and participate unless they like Suzanne said, come to H. And I school. So I would call it a meet a meeting. I would call it a meeting that we're carrying a meeting in there. And and you. Can coordinate it through and I.

But the members only need a H and on member only needs to come twice a year. The panel leader is the one that's supposed to come every time.

I've got it. It says no and it's right. Underneath all three of them.

Bringing it immediately.

They're not, they're not representative, and that's the.

Because you don't have. We don't have a panel later for facility. You know, we don't currently have a panel leader for this facility, but you know so and so is happy to bring you a meeting. But I would still even with that if. We're really involved in it, you. Know like you said. Yeah, yeah, that's what I would think. That's how I was called. Lucy taught me. And grace houses are at. Thank you, Andrew. Anybody else got any questions for Andrew? Shut the hell out. Of your service. We haven't, we don't. We don't have any of the other committees except for.

Alright, my name is George and Relations subcommittee is in this embassy. It began by I begin by answering the call of Jerry B to attend a workshop held by Shelby County Health Department on Opioid Response Coalition on September 20. On September the 28th. At the IT was at the bin Hooks Central Library on Poplar from 11:00 to 12:30. It was very informative and the start and stop events that they were having in the Community, as well as information on increasing access to treatment and recovery through raising awareness. I participated in a breakout group for increasing their awareness of recovery and treat. And I attempted to contact Bill A for information on the libraries, but have not gotten a response back from him. Left an e-mail from him. Contacted Lucio and Glenn H in reference to the Webmaster and often Webmaster duties and they're willing to continue until yeah subcommittee can properly. We need just printed the meeting schedules for this month and have received them here. They are GSR. I want you to raise your hands after I finish this report and I'm gonna give them out. Anybody go to the area where I keep the green meats?

OK, I'm gonna have to take some pictures.

For you. Alright, thank you.

OK. The first PR subcommittee meeting was held in Great St. Lukes at 1720. Peabody on 11/19, which was yesterday at 2:00 o'clock. My agenda was to discuss the structure and the function of the subcommittee. I reserve space at Great Saint Luke's for my PR subcommittee meeting on Saturday, December the 18th. At 2:00 o'clock please enter through the. Red door on the master St. I will order. Approximately \$170.90 was the literature from for PR, but I think it's rounded down to \$99.10, so I'm within budget in logging service.

Pete, thank you so much, George. OK. So our ad hoc committees not here. That's the archives of. So it's time. So we had a motion to we had to actually and if I could get the secretary to read this. To give me a second.

I gotta raise your hand, please.

We don't do.

OK, I'm an old business.

This new new this ohh.

OK.

OK, I'm ready. OK, so the first motion paid by Thursday night or seconded by Clean Air. Motion to the entire 390108 from a main to the basic tax fund. The intent to make a decision about the NA and make funds.

And continue to. Carry the message.

And the second. Motion made by Thursday night or seconded by Clean Air. The motion was to put 3000 in the basic text text fund and add 9/01/08 in a one time set aside. One of them set aside subcommittees to make requests. Funds as needed intend to make a decision about the in a bank funds and continue to carry the message.

OK. So thank you, Penny. OK. So basically there's two motions. So on the first motion, you have to vote yes or no. And on the second motion you have to vote yes or no. So all in favor on the first motion.

Which one was?

With the one in the basic next month.

Thing the total amount, the one there the.

SO22 Brias and how many Nos. Any other apps white counter?

5678. So we're missing two votes.

Yeah, I didn't need to go online.

I'm sorry, I'm a raised hand on a yes. I just didn't raise my hand fast enough.

OK, so they were OK and so.

So there's man voting now. Amanda voted yes.

Yes, so 3 yes. Thank you, Amanda.

Yes, and Tim knows, is there any in absentia? OK. And then on the second motion, which is to? So that 3000 stays in the basic tax fund and 900 goes into. The committee is a set aside.

Set a sound.

So all those in favor? OK. And we anybody on same in. Favor of that? OK, now who? And now the.

Nose should be 3 nose one. And then we should be.

One of and one abstention. Alright, so look what we have.

So so this so the second motion passed. Second most motion did not. So 3000 to the basic text on phone and 901 or whatever it is, is going to go to the set aside Subcommittee so.

You can get those numbers. You need those numbers give you those numbers.

Like the guidelines need to be updated, it's it's really in effect.

Do you have to make? A motion to do that.

I mean it's, I mean the what the guidelines, yeah to it needs to say what the guidelines are supposed to.

Say so, are you making a motion? So what do?

Does somebody make a motion to to update the guidelines? Somebody needs to write out how they want it, how it needs to be updated, and somebody can get made when you can come back next time. Saying it be done.

Books are right out. What? Do we on the you know what this motion was? So we need someone to write a motion saying that this year it's this year only we're not voting for.

And and we changed the guidelines so to say that every year we're going to decide what goes. On with the money. So.

What to do?

OK, with Anna and makeup lines are what needs to be what it says is the guidelines say NA and may will be a fundraiser for WTA SC that deserves funded funds will be voted on other groups. All funds raised prior to 2022 will be used to subsidize WTAPS literature. Literature will be sold. At the subsidized rate or list, see the Nana guidelines. Somewhere we need to say that we need the current funds are also for subsidized literature and so.

Well, we just need to change that line that. Says that it. Goes all to the state fund, goes to the basic tax fund and a set aside fund for subcommittees.

We can or we can have the NA in May guidelines mirror the area guidelines. They just say we vote on it. Every year? Yeah. And that might be the easiest thing. That way it features groups have complete autonomy. So can I get somebody write that motion? Well, I mean, you gotta turn it in. And so we'll have it in our. In our business. May be nice or y'all. You know, we can just keep bouncing it around and talk about it every time we can get together.

OK, so which guidelines need to be updated, Lucy?

And a thanks.

It's correct, and it may well be a fundraiser for WTC all funds raised. So I thought that this was changed because we changed. We weren't using all the money for that. All funds raised will be used to subsidized literature, all in a books on the area. Literature order form excluding gift additions will be showed sold for \$5 maybe, and then the regular guidelines.

OK.

I guess it just needs to. You mean we didn't need to take out that sentence that says all funds raised. Used to subsidize WTS literature. Anyway, I don't know how it needs to be changed. I don't think we need to rush in right now. I think we need to think about it.

We'll bounce it around. That'll be something to talk about. About it, OK. All the motions? Then we're going to notice.

Our meeting incentives has increased. So about 13 November. On December 27th, David B. We'll be celebrating 18 months. We have a nurture order of \$45.50 dollars information.

Anybody any questions?

Hey, I'm leaning an addict. We have 10 to 15 addicts attending in person and on zoom every week we have upcoming birthdays. Carol S 19 years on 12/10 and Keith P with 37 years on 12/24. It's 12/24/20. 12/25. We have a literature order of \$25 in a donation to area of 30 in loving service Leanna.

OK.

Give just add.

Four people we have.

Two newcomers, last meeting and one newcomer.

New home room.

Room still meeting at 7:00 on Tuesday events. Please turn your book as it is.

1222 Paul are celebrating 4 years.

We have a literature order. Of 336 donation of 26.

6430.

Anybody got questions from any? Jihad, it's not here.

I'm glad we still meet Mondays and Thursdays at 8:30 and come out of our lives. We don't get any better support. You are going to. Have to either move or lose a knife. And we don't. Really want to do it? Either we will. Be meeting this Thursday on Thanksgiving, which is Thanksgiving. It will be yourself also be a celebration night shall be, will celebrate eight years clean. We've had an average of seven hours per meeting and having no good order or donating to our.

OK.

Thank you, David. Dealer sign up dealers.

We still meet.

On Tuesday nights on Monday nights at 7 on average, we have. 10 to 12 people. This month we celebrated me and Tracy's one year clean markets, and on the 28th we celebrated 16 years. And for that previous celebration we had. On average, about 30-5 people that night.

We had a literature order of \$20 and your donation of \$8 total of \$28.00.

Thank you so much, Sandy. OK, keep it green.

You're gonna hear the message of recovery. The doors open, no events or birthdays to order. The order of 1120 donation of \$40.

Thanks so much, Jared. Anybody got questions, Jared?

I'm an addict. Greetings from the lunch box. All is well with the group. We continue to be a seven day a week literature based meeting attendance ranges from 10 to 22. Not sure how many newcomers we had this month. I failed to check yesterday at the business meeting we arrived yesterday for our regularly scheduled meeting to find our room had been booked for a Ladies prayer luncheon. It was an opportunity to embrace powerlessness and practice. I mean, it was a spread. Anyway. We moved to an adjacent room. And even though at times we could barely hear each other, we got it done. OK, we got some some anniversaries this month of 1223. Patrick's team in two years. 12/8 Parker and was 14 years 1218 Tony and four years 1224. Corey two one year 1226 Delvin A with two years. Ohh at one point it got really quiet in the other room and then this blood curling screen that sounded like somebody's leg was getting. It's fair to start.

OK.

OK, we have the literature order of.

12642 and an area donation of 4358. For a total of 170.

All those birthdays are partying down. My day I wanna. Know what was happening on the screen.

It was quite scary.

Yeah. OK. Positive.

We remain A literature based meeting with the rotating format. We are averaging about 6 recovering addicts each meeting. We did that through newcomers coming through this month. We are celebrating on December 12th. I will be celebrating 2 years. We have a letter for order of 5686A donation of three with a total of \$60.00.

Thank you. Questions for Dinah. From your purpose.

I'm George and I'm an addict. As well, the primary purpose can you still so fanatic our meeting average is about 10 to 20 and 10 degrees in person. Meetings are at 7:00 o'clock on Sundays at Grace St. Lukes Physical Church at 720 Peabody Anniversary, will celebrate this. This month are Alex. Alex, Alex W with five. Years, who so great on December the 11th. Penny Kate will celebrate nine years on December the 18th. And Lucy? Oh, we'll celebrate 36 years.

Now it's February.

We're gonna do. It in February because I want housing anyway.

I think you're.

Are you Georgie?

Ohh I have a little order of 3140. Every donation of 1730 for a total of 4872 area I'll. I'll voted yes on. The 2:30 this morning and then. 1:30 for the submitted fund. OK, another service, your people.

Questions for Georgie? Wake up, Amanda.

I'm Amanda and I'm an addict. We are plugging along. We have averaged 3 to 5 attics with the occasional treatment center in attendance, including multiple newcomers. I would like to ask if anyone is available on Monday nights to please attend. We could sure use your support. There is no literature and no donation at this time and loving.

Service I mean.

Anybody got questions for Amanda Thursday, nighters?

All right. Yeah. Yeah.

Right.

1520 rotate format. Meals every one year old or maybe 1064 dollars.

Thank you so much, Darren. Oh, I'm sorry. Any questions for Darren?

Right. Due to area being week early. We have our business. Meetings and birthdays are still to come. We meet every Sunday at 2:30. We're still holding measures 30 meeting every Tuesday at 5:30 and we having all over you. Gonna join us? Any knowledge of the letter will be later will be extremely appreciated. Right now we're going to. We're playing. We also meet at 5:30 on Thursday, we attendance was 170. Attic replacement order for \$86. \$0.20 and an area donation. Of \$30.00 for a total of \$116.20.

Thank you, Justin. It was may.

Ohh hello family. My name is Tammy. Let's see here. We have birthdays. We had 16 newcomers, 123 people in attendance expand on that, that we, we. Have been added some national film. List we get addicts in from Washington State, Mississippi, Calgary. Tampa that are in on the 8:00 AM. Birthdays are cheap, you know. He makes his tour, yeah. Yeah, tore on the Walmart the 2nd of January, he believes he'll be selling for 33 years and you'll be weak. And Rick here on the 24th Thanksgiving Day, we'll be celebrating 12 years. And I waited to say Rick and. I are adopting. A 13 year old. Her name is. Let's see, we. Have this order of. \$13.40 donation to the West. Sierra is \$16.60 a total of \$30 eleven service.

Thank you, Tammy.

OK guys, that wraps up. The does anybody, anybody want to break?

When you eating? No.

So they're turned in their motions. Everybody turned in their money. If I turned in their literature orders, if I turned in their turn, their stuff they got turned in reports.

Can I say something? We just got an e-mail from VRC for the programming person, so they still need some cheer people to workshop so you know, we only voted in Carl or we voted in Ellis, but he couldn't do it. So if anybody is going and is willing to be, oh, that's his chair, people. So if anybody's willing to just. Here a workshop one year clean. Time let me know when looking.

OK.

Forward your information to them. That's Lucy. Thank you, Lucy. OK, so we now we need to reestablish. OK. OK. Are you still here? Lenny still here? Families or gift? Are you still here? How life still here? I hope they works. Keep it green. Let's keep it going, going.

With the new chair.

Lunch Bunch house awareness.

I am here.

Here, so simplicity is not here anyway. So let's say something different. Wake up, Amanda. 30 Niners unity and E Plus may OK so, but then.

You still want to know.

Harmony, are you still here?

Because now they'll be marked apps and they won't be able to get counted, and that's when they won't, that's OK.

OK. Look, I'm working on for me. OK, so now we have 13 groups present. We still have 4. OK. So now it's time for open forum to discuss any topics anybody wants to bring up. Anybody got any topics? Nobody's got anything they want to talk about.

Right. Like what?

OK. Set the door now.

Just kidding. I'm just kidding.

It's not really. I don't know, Lucy. And I'm just texting about this, about the newsletter. Set aside when we started growing that back in February. Is going to have a literature. I mean there's literature and so. We just put a flat \$100 in. There, in case we ever get a. New letter sharing that. Wants to print newsletter. We want to keep that set or just put it back, create a set. Aside, again, when we if. We ever have because it's been going out e-mail or. When we had. It for long.

It's been years since we had a printed newsletter. Even when Carrie was doing it, she wasn't printing it. So I've just been holding that \$100 for years and it could.

And more -. 77 Right now until. I'll get the PayPal amount so.

So what has to happen is that we have to do a motion to not do anymore. We just Catherine, Catherine, just not set aside anymore or we vote on it.

You have to keep.

Is it housekeeping? It's it's in the guidelines. I don't know if it's it's just there's something in the guidelines about set asides, but let me look.

I don't think we vote to Adam, so it doesn't seem like we both.

Says that we're just supposed to have a certain I'm looking.

David, I'm David. I'm I I believe that we. Do work on. The amount on whether we raise the amount or not for the set aside, I don't not sure. If we if we, if we have. To lower it or just eliminate it. So I mean. That's, that's all I know my 2:00. Cents not worth a whole lot.

Yeah, I think you're right, David. It says funds to replenish subcommittees, set asides in the event the subcommittee does not generate sufficient funds to do so. And then so it just doesn't. That's all it says a a subcommittee in dire need of literature. Funds can request that the policy be.

So does that answer your question, Catherine?

God, just tell me whether or not I can.

Zero it out or not. Sounds like you can zero it. Out, if that's what you think, every person.

I mean it's, I mean, y'all tell.

Me if you're.

In agreement, OK.

There we go.

OK.

We got any? And are there. Any cons to what we just discussed? Anybody against what we just discussed and every two, I didn't see anybody. I didn't see anybody shaking their. Head OK, we got any nominations for any open positions. Options other than the one that was already been turned in. So do I need to read that? Motion, can you hear me that motion? OK, so this motion I gave it to you but.

I no, no, no, I don't.

Eddie, you're doing awesome stuff. OK, so this motion is made by we don't know. We made it, Ricky. OK, this questions made by.

From the literature.

And it's to create the laminate laminated specialty item form for the groups to order the you know related items materials. And it's gonna cost 22. Dollars per 100.

And that's something that we can vote on here.

And anybody want to 2nd that? OK, clean here seconds.

OK.

Write that on there.

And and we can vote on that here we don't have. To send that back to.

Yes, it's only \$22.00.

OK, so everyone in favor? Is anybody OK? So anybody say no. He knows any abstentions? OK, so uh, wait on the zoom. Anybody on zoom, I can't say.

Amanda, anybody guess?

I already raised my hand in it.

OK.

Alright, so so Pastor yay.

That's gonna work.

OK.

OK. So any other new business? And can we get the final treasurers report? Yeah, you did me. You.

I'm still counting once. All right, so.

We had a.

Beginning balance of eight percent \$1513.68 I've added the \$3000 in and made funds to the basic or book subsidy and created set aside the subcommittees of \$901. We have literature order, our literature sales of \$690.70, which includes \$99.10 literature for public relations, and we had a \$296. Of tentative

literature, order of \$1076.60. We've previously added \$75 shipping to the tentative lunch order. I noticed it's close to \$150.00 and. Shipping. So I made that. Two checks from last month. For \$108.19 that they still have their my next area I will. Be sent that I'm paying the. PO Box today, the yearly charge for that has gone up to \$212.00 from \$184 on adjusted sets up with that position now and.

Large, better and I.

Still need to get the chair and vice. Chair thing out. At some point, we're gonna have to all together. The loving service pattern.

Awesome, will you?

Like to keep you in perpetuity. So what's so what's the?

Ohh, there's one more point to my report. OK, so with a change that \$100 since this conversation on the newsletter and. I don't think this thing I was I was. Hoping it was going to be. Fixed by the end. Of area, but Brad is on his payment still and when he gets back to his hotel, he's going to send me what the PayPal donation was. So when I send this out, I'll add that. In correctly to the spreadsheet. But without that in there we have available cash. \$22.00 and. \$0.31 and I highly recommend we. Don't send it to be just.

We can use that for the for the laminations.

Do I need to pay that today?

Well, we can ask Ricky, I don't know. If he's going.

OK, tell me what that.

To, but we voted.

Have nothing to do.

With. Yeah. What's that?

OK, so all in favor of. Giving Ricky the \$22.00 that we have leftover whenever Ricky needs it for the laminations.

I just like if I just double check today.

We just just check with him.

So don't have.

Know we might need just do that on him.

This we don't have to vote on.

Whatever, ever. But there's \$0.22.

OK, OK. So that's it.

Sending Speaking of recommendation, because we either make.

A motion, do you? Send it or no motion to. Right. I'll make a motion and not send it second. OK. OK. And I think now we can close the meeting. Right. The next meeting. Remember that the next one is the third week of December the 19th. So December 19th and it's not from 8:00 to 518-1818. It was 80,000. Her her birthday is on on Sept 17. OK. OK, December 18th is the next area. My meeting is on the 17th. December 17th is Georgia's PR may will be revealed. The area is December 18th birthday. Y'all show up show up. I hear she's gonna have a speaker. Yeah. We stayed in class. Right. Right. New version of this spring.