District 06 (San Francisco) **MINUTES** for General Service Meeting **Tuesday**, **January 14, 2014** St. Marks Church, Fellowship Hall (downstairs), 1111 O'Farrell Street, SF, CA.

**6:30 – 7:00** Bridging the Gap Orientation/Meeting: Susan G./Ed McG.

7:00 - 7:30 New GSR Orientation: Andy T.

7:00 - 7:30 12 Concepts & Service Manual Study: Rhys G.

7:30 - 8:00 GSR Sharing Session: Facilitated by District Committee Members

**8:00 – 9:30** District Meeting: Facilitated by Teddy W., District Committee Member Chair

## A. Opening - Standing Items

- General Service Preamble, Tradition 1 and Concept 1
- Welcome of New GSRs, DCMs, and Visitors

# New GSR's

Christina S. - Living Sober - Wednesday 8pm

Jason J. - Alt GSR Living Sober - Wednesdays at 8

Karen R. - All Together Now - Thursdays 8 pm

Charlie MacN. - Waterfront - Sunday 8 pm

#### Visitor:

Jeff O. Alt delegate visitor

Stephen - Visitor

### **Birthdays**

Gabe S- 23 years

Mark - 10 years

- VOLUNTEER for a 2-Minute Presentation on Concept 2 at February meeting
- Approval of Minutes and Financial Reports
- Distribution of District 6 2014 Budget
- Presentation of Concept 1: Rhys G.
- **D**istrict **C**ommittee **M**embers / Officers / Liaison Reports (please submit written report to secretary prior to the district meeting).

- Housekeeping motions (if any) arising from reports:
- Visiting Area Officer Presentation: Getting Ready for the Agenda Topics Jeff O., Alternate

Jeff explains the commitment he has and shows us where to find the calendar of events. Agenda topics: If our group picks one or 2 topics and we bring that to an assembly, that is more than most groups do. Show up at assembles. If all we did was show up and take notes, assemblies are useless. If we just share opinions, that's not what to do either. The group has informed us of their opinion. Then we get to "This is what my group share w/me, and this is what I think is best for AA." Then we take that back to our group.

#### Delegate

**B. District Business** [Business of the San Francisco District. Items here will either affect our local district or may be referred to the Area if items could affect AA as a whole.]

PRAASA: Select GSR to attend PRAASA, San Diego, March 7-9. Service Positions – Positions to be filled: Literature Assistant, District Committee Members (DCMs) for Sub-Districts; 210, 215, 230, 245, 270, 285, 315,1320, 335, 370 and 375.

1st vote: Dennis (5), Luke(2), Elizabeth(6), Mike B (9), Dave(0), Gilbert 6, Jason 3, Mark 4, Chris 2 (37 total)

2nd vote of available: Dennis (5), Luke(3), Elizabeth(8), Mike B (9), Dave(0), Gilbert 7, Jason 1, Mark 3, Chris 1 (37 total) ONLY Elizabeth and Mike

3rd vote: Elizabeth (20) or Mike (16) (36 total)

4th vote: Elizabeth (21) or Mike (13) (34)

5th vote (after group conscience said yes) Elizabeth (21) or Mike (13) (34) Therefore we go to the HAT

Old Business: That future pressings of the AA Service Manual include blank Group Change and New Group Forms on the last page of the service manual. New Business:

- Form Ad-Hoc Committee to report back with recommendations from District Inventory. Discussion Topics: [Brought to the district by groups, GSR's or any trusted servant and discussed until a motion is brought forward for consideration or the district decides to pass.]
  - Safety In AA

Animals at Meetings

**C. Area Committee Meeting Business** [Business being discussed at the Area Committee Meeting. [We may obtain a district conscience on these items and/or you may obtain your group's conscience]

Presentation of New Business: None New Business: None

Old Business: None Discussion Topics: None

**D. Assembly Business** [Business to discuss with your groups and upon which to share your group's conscience at the next assembly business meeting. The next assembly is April 5-6, 2014 in Monterey]

**Old Business:** 

 That CNCA cease production, copying and mailing of hardcopy versions of CNCA Comments/Comentarios except when individually requested. – Web Committee

New Business: None Old Business: None Discussion Topics: None

9:15 - 9:30 E. Closing - Standing Items

- Group highlights out of "the hat"
- Sample GSR Report
- 7th Tradition
- Pass the Basket for Food Contributions
- What's On Your Mind

#### 9:30 Close

### **Trusted Servant Reports**

It is our Group Conscience that we do not have verbal reports during the meeting, but that Trusted Servants with information provide a written report to be circulated with the agenda. Time at the meeting will be allowed for time- sensitive items that have arisen since the mailing. What follows are written Trusted Servant reports:

**Registrar:** If you are a new General Service Representatives (GSR), please submit a Group Information Change Form during the New GSR Orientation or visit the Registrar before, during, or after the District meeting. If you have any changes to your contact information or meeting

information, or if you have not been receiving District or Area correspondence, please visit the Registrar or email <a href="registrar@sfgeneralservice.org">registrar@sfgeneralservice.org</a>.

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