

# Group Conscience Meeting Minutes

Serenity of the Woodlands

February 17, 2020

## Opening/Updates:

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### Meeting Chair: Mike

Opened at 7:12 p.m. with Serenity Prayer. Ken read 2<sup>nd</sup> Tradition.

### Secretary: Bart

Read minutes of prior month's Group Conscience. Motion made to accept, seconded, approved.

### Treasurer: Brian

Read Treasurer's Monthly Report. Motion made to accept, seconded, approved. Will be posted with minutes so group can follow the money.

### GSR: Eddie

GSR report will be posted along with treasurer report and minutes. District 32 has a thousand dollars they want to give to district groups. District 32 still looking for a literature rep. New website still being worked on. AA GSO at convention. Want us to promote The Meeting Ap. July 2-5 GSO International Convention in Detroit, Mich. Susan went over key information from Troy D., SETA GSO Delegate. SETA Convention 2021 will be Houston City Place Marriott, 1200 Lake Plaza Drive, 77389. Again, see report on bulletin board for more GSR info on events happening nationally, state, and locally. Ginny had question about the CFC correspondence. Andrew will assist her.

### Intergroup Rep: Scott

No report.

### CFC Rep: Andrew

Meeting 2/19/2020. Was at conference last weekend in Galveston. Will have more report in March.

### Grapevine: Meghan

No report. Meghan is keeping the board up. GV workshop March 14, 12:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m.

### Website/Communications: Larry

No report.

### Literature: Dan L and Lizzy

Lizzy does not have much to report. Lizzy will get 1, 2, and 7, year diploma forms we use at b-day night. Andrew has concern about people writing in books and putting them back up for purchase. Charlie said Vicky is having a gathering about accessibility in AA and getting material ready for that.

### Treatment Facilities: Carlos

Carlos had introduced himself to several facilities. Especially in Conroe/Woodlands area.

## Old Business:

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- Recommendations to spend 2,900 off over prudent reserve funding.

- Ken brought up fact we need to continue to get the word out about GC. Will work it in Saturday Birthday Night Meeting per Mike. Mike mentioned we are supposed to put events on the board behind the chairperson.
- Ken brought up low turn out for New Year's Eve, so word needs to get out.
- Andrew asked about We Are Not A Glum Lot. Jeff said there was an activity director at one time. Sometimes now it is a group of people or an individual. Andrew voiced his concerns about how to go about it. New York Mark out the board up a while ago.
- Bart makes a motion to put on the board We Are Not A Glum Lot to discuss how to work it from here on out, Susan seconded. Andrew said to use group rep, no need to invent the wheel.
- Ginny M. for Co-Chair voted in passed.
- Grace M. for Co-Secretary voted in, Passed.
- Ken – tired of parking announcement. Christy asked to take to club to see if valid reason to keep it in there.

#### New Business:

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- Still have open positions – IG, Treasurer, and Group Rep. Find people to help. Handout up at front table cover requirements to fill positions.
- Troy – Last weekend in April 25-27, 2020 Northside 24 Club has a bbq competition. Would like to get crew together to compete. Troy will head it up.
- How do we use the Not A Glum Lot board so the group will know how to fellowship? Mark said the original intent a none meeting focused group not attached to meeting or club, just for a group of people to get together and fellowship. To run an activity, you'd have to have at least a year of sobriety. Maybe get an outside activity group chair and co-chair. Ken suggests we use the website to get the word out. Mike suggests announcements at the end of the meeting. Ginny expressed un-comfortability with it as it is not AA per se.
- Andrew makes a motion to keep the schedule as is when a newcomer comes in, take them in the back and discuss with them when the next meeting is if they need to go to a meeting. GC says we should qualify them first and if they are not an alcoholic, technically we should ask them to leave. Andrew and Bart will create a workshop for how to conduct a meeting. Mark says we should table it. Motion passed.

Meeting adjourned at 8:00 p.m.

Next meeting is March 16, 2020 at 7:15 p.m.