

NAGSC Business Meeting

Date: August 4th, 2018

Location: Court House Battle MT NV.

Meeting Opens: Chair Tinna O. opened the meeting at 1:00 pm with the Serenity Prayer Reading:

Reading from General Service Manual: Fellowship beyond Responsibility, Read by: Lou

Review Minutes: Minutes of previous meeting (Juneth, 2018) reviewed, Corrections: none

No Corrections: no

Motions to Accept: yes

1st:yes

2nd:yes

Vote:yes

7th tradition collected: \$103.00

Treasurer's Report: Will L: August 2018 NAGSC/Hi my name is Will currently serving as your treasure. I would like to start out with an apology to the body for slacking on my job as your treasure. I have had some health stuff going on and got really busy. I have been working really hard at my commitment now thank you. We have a current balance of \$7,267.27 in the checking. We made deposits of \$7,725.70 This year. we have a cd with \$1,252.84. I have receipts up here whatever isn't picked up will be mailed. Your groups could provide email to save on postage. PLEASE have your groups send your donations to Any questions contact Will. Thanks, Will L

Phil Delegate gives report: Gives Verbal Report: Thank you 10a for hosting, Show

Area 42 Chair: Julie C.: For those of you who are not aware, Emily C stepped down as Area Chair after she moved to Arizona in May. As Alternate Area Chair, I stepped up as Area Chair. It is an honor and a privilege to serve Area 42 in this capacity. As your new Chair I am planning our next assembly which we have delayed one week due to the Pacific Regional Forum in San Jose. The Forum takes place on Sept 7th - 9th and our assembly on Sept 14th - 16th. We will be hosting the next forum in 2020 in Las Vegas. If it is possible for you to attend both that would be wonderful. The forum is where GSO brings a wonderful sampling of our General Service Office to you. Most people are not able to get to GSO, so this is an opportunity to

meet the people who serve alcoholics anonymous on a full-time basis, to hear about our many services we provide, to meet many of our Trustees and to meet each other from around the Pacific Region. My first forum was in Spokane in 2008 and it was an amazing and educational weekend. That is when I really began to understand the value and necessity for general service. If you have not been before, I highly recommend going. Our upcoming assembly will not only be our election assembly, but will also have a focus on the conference committees. Each of our area conference committee chairs will be giving reports and we will have past trustees and delegates sharing their experiences so that we can better understand what these committees do. If anyone is interested in standing for an area position, please email me your service resume. I will be putting a package together, which will be emailed a week or so before the assembly. It is not required to email your service resume or that you provide one, but in keeping with the custom of our General Service Board, we encourage you to provide your service experience so that we can elect the most qualified leaders. The resumes will not be included in the packets, so if you want your resumes available at the assembly, please be sure to bring copies. Enjoy the last weeks of your summer and I look forward to seeing everyone in September. In Loving Service, Julie C. Nevada Area 42 Chair

1:15- Conference committee Reports (3 minutes):

Agenda- none

Corrections- Clint (verbal report)

Public Information-Samantha (verbal report)

Report and Charter-EMMA (verbal report)

Finance-Ed (verbal report)

Treatment-Pat B- Area 42 Conference Committee Initiative Conference Committee on Treatment and Accessibilities NAGSC Progress Report - August 4, 2018 [Background](#)
Volunteers in this initiative were assigned to the Conference Committee on Treatment &

Accessibilities from the North and South during the June NAGSC and SAGSC meetings. As of July 31st, I had heard nothing regarding the project. I had been sent a list of the original volunteers from the North and South. I called all the volunteers on this committee and offered to Chair the effort and requested a return phone call with any objection to my Chairing the effort and for confirmation as to the volunteer's intent of being an active participant in this project. I sent an email to the same effect to all volunteers. As of August 2nd, two volunteers from the South confirmed active participation and one volunteer from the North declined participation due to unforeseen personal circumstances. Current Status The committee has three confirmed participants; Pat B. from the North who will Chair the committee, Ashley S. from the South who will Co-Chair the committee, and committee member Jen R. from the South. Questions Presented for Committee Consideration What does this committee do? The short answer is they consider subjects of importance, (Agenda Topics), to the U.S. and Canada Fellowship relative to their Committee Scope and make a report to the General Service Conference. Their report may contain suggestions that are considered by the Conference and become "Advisory Actions" and their report may contain important discussion items that may be "Additional Committee Considerations". The long answer to the question of "What does this committee do?" can be summarized by the written statement called "**Scope of the Conference Committee on Treatment and Accessibilities**" which states: *"The purpose of a Treatment and Accessibilities committee is to coordinate the work of individual A.A. members and groups interested in carrying our message of recovery to alcoholics in a wide variety of treatment settings, and to set up means of "bridging the gap" from the treatment setting to the A.A. Fellowship. In addition, the committee supports the work of individual A.A. members and groups serving those who experience barriers to accessing the A.A. message and participating in A.A.'s three legacies - recovery, unity, and service. Finally, the committee supports the work of individual A.A. members and groups striving to ensure that A.A. members who live in underserved or remote communities- communities difficult to reach because of geography, language or culture- have access to the A.A. message. The committee will review all aspects of service to A.A. groups/meetings in non-correctional in-patient and out-patient treatment settings, as well as to A.A.s who experience access barriers, and make recommendations for changes and/or improvements."* Who Sits on this committee? Delegates selected to serve on this committee and a GSO staff member who serves as the secretary to the committee. Who is the contact at GSO? Patrick C. Are there Trustees assigned to this committee? No. Trustees may be summoned to the Conference Committee meetings to answer questions or clarify items pertaining to committee discussions. Prior to this Conference Committee's meetings during conference week in New York, a joint session of the "Trustees Committee on Cooperation with the Professional Community / Treatment and Accessibilities" and the "Conference Committee on Treatment and Accessibilities" takes place. Does this committee take action or make recommendations? The committee makes recommendations to the entire Conference body. Any other pertinent information? None at this time. Respectfully submitted, Pat B Area 42 Conference Committee Initiative August NAGSC Report.doc

Int Conventions, Regional Forms- (verbal report)

Policy-Lyle- (verbal report)

Grapevine- None

Archives-None

CPC-None

Literature- Debbie S: Area 42's Conference Committee on LITERATURE

My name is Debbie, I am an alcoholic. I am currently assigned as Area 42's Conference Committee Chair on Literature. I have a co chair by the name of April, from the Southern Area. Our Area 42 Literature committee has a total of 3 participating members. We were given a week to research a few simple questions, as the SAGSC meeting was held on July 8th.

The Literature committee is primarily concerned with recovery material related to specific areas of service. (Corrections material is developed by the relevant committee). The literature committee reviews new literature and audiovisual needs, reviews existing pamphlets and new pamphlet drafts as they are prepared.

The Literature committee is composed of 4-5 first year Delegates, 4-5 second year Delegates, a non-trustee director (currently Beau Bush), and Sandra Wilson (GSO's current Staff Coordinator on Literature) as Secretary.

There are no Trustees on the Conference Literature Committee. There is, however, a separate Trustees Literature Committee that meet every 2-3 months to do the work that the conference committee ask to be done. Sandra Wilson, GSO's current Staff Coordinator on Literature serves as Secretary on that committee as well. The Conference Literature committee itself does not take action. As a committee they discuss the agenda topics on Literature. They can make recommendations to the entire conference floor for a vote or determine that more information is needed.

Trustees- Paul: Trustees Committee

Hi I'm Paul and I'm an alcoholic. Our little committee got off to a very slow start. A member in the south was supposed to be the chair of this committee and I was asked to be the co-chair for the north. The member in the south got very busy and did not have the time to devote justice to our committee. So, she asked me if I would be willing to step up and be the chair and I did. I contacted GSO and found out some interesting information. First there is a Trustees committee for all of the different committees (Treatment, Corrections, CPC, PI etc.). The committee that is the Trustees on the agenda items is actually the "Conference Committee on Trustees", but when contacting GSO they call it the "Trustees Nominating Committee". It was formed as the "General Service Conference Committee on Trustees" at the first GSC in 1951, then it was made up of 5 members drawn by lot geographically. There responsibilities were mainly involved in the recommendation of A.A. trustees from regions. They also offered disapproval, if any, to non-A.A. and New York A.A. trustees.

Julio is the contact at GSO and he sent me some wonderful information; the history and highlights of actions from all of the GSC and the composition, scope and procedure of the Conference Committee on Trustees. There are at least 9 voting members of this committee

and a non-voting secretary. (all Delegates) There are no Trustees on this committee. Since the 1951 Conference, this committee has been mainly involved in the qualifications and procedures for election of Class B regional trustees and trustees-at-large. Members of this committee are part of the voting body and the chairperson of this committee co-chairs the election. The responsibility of this committee has evolved to include the qualifications and procedures for selection of Class A trustees, General Service trustees, corporate board directors, and appointed committee members. This committee is to make recommendations, reached in committee by majority vote, to the entire Conference. To present these recommendations to the Conference for approval, disapproval or amendment in a report given by the committee chairperson. Most recently; 1) The committee thoughtfully reviewed a proposal to censure the General Service Board and after seeking extensive additional input from the general manager of G.S.O., the chair of the General Service Board, and additional General Service Board trustees, agreed to take no action. 2) The committee reviewed a proposal to reorganize the A.A.W.S. and General Service Boards and took no action. The committee noted that although a reorganization was not considered necessary at this time, the committee requested that the trustees' Committee on Nominating develop procedures for a partial or complete reorganization of the General Service Board, the A.A.W.S. or AA Grapevine boards and that a report be brought back to the 2019 Conference Committee on Trustees, including all possible options. 3) The committee expressed their appreciation for the report on the regional geographic service structure from the trustees' Committee on Nominating and the suggestion that the General Service Board discuss a possible survey of past and current regional trustees regarding their workload and ability to fulfill all their responsibilities. The committee expressed their hope that every option will be considered to allow as many A.A. members as possible the opportunity to serve on the General Service Board. Thank you for allowing me to serve.

Tinna O.-Goes over joining committees and asks Joyce and Phil if they would answer questions or give feedback for everyone.

Joyce Past Delegate- loves this exercise, loves this for our new comers gives feedback

Phil Delegate- If you have any questions about AA you can feel free to call office in New York. Reach out this is great to have committees who know about these htings. And in New York they will call you back.

Julie C. Area Chair- Goes over back ground to help those here for first NAGSC Meeting. Breaks down how it works, for fun, and unity.

1:55 Pat S. Presentation: Create your service resume for the Area Elections.: (verbal report)

Opens for Question:

Q. Are we going over Service Resumes? A. There are templates on table.

Q. Do you have to do a resume? A. Opinions on both sides, conclusion is No not necessary

Q. Where do they go once I make a resume? A. Email to Julie C.

Comment from Paul: lets those new know that when you are making yourself available that you will have opportunity to go the Mic and let people know who you are in case you don't have a resume.

Comment from Joyce: If you are willing, able, and available you can make yourself available.

Break 2:30-2:40

DCM Reports

District 2, Joel- August NAGSC Report for District 2 DCM- Joel B. Alt. DCM- Nicole P. August 4, 2018

- 1) District 2 has a new secretary. Many thanks to Michelle M. for stepping up.
- 2) Grape vine writing workshop on July 14, 2018 went very well. We had an intimate gathering of 10 people who learned to write and submit articles to the Grapevine. We had 3 published people in attendance who shared their experience with the rest of us. We wrote an article and read them aloud during the workshop which turned into a tearful and heartfelt experience. Many thanks to Pat S. for facilitating the workshop and Pat B. and Joyce for sharing their experience.
- 3) We are working to rectify a problem between two groups in our district. These groups have adjoining meeting rooms and one group is accusing the other of stealing their cups. We hope to have both groups represented at the District meeting and work toward resolving this issue.

Thanks to all of district 2 committee members and thanks for the opportunity to be of service. Joel B., DCM District 2

District 4, Darrell S-Since my last report have visited a couple of groups. Currently in process of registering one of the groups and will be attending the business meeting for that group this coming week. District 4 continues well, our last meeting was approximately 10 people in attendance. We were happy to see Tom B. our Alt DCM returning after a couple months recuperating from an accident. Thank you for allowing me to be of service, Darrell S, District 4

District 6, Mike L(Read by Drew Alt DCM)- Michael L District 6 Report August 4, 2018 Hello my name is Mike and I am alcoholic serving as the DCM for District 6. District 6 serves Carson City, South Lake Tahoe, Douglas County and east to Stage Coach in Lyon County. Again I have to give my regrets for not being at this NAGSC meeting. I have returned from the Bay Area caring for elderly parents living my living amends to them. Today I am required to be at work since is the date my leave of absence from work ends, not good to take the day off my first day back. I very grateful for Drew for stepping in while I was gone. The biggest job Drew had was the District 6 Founders Day picnic and speaker meeting. From all the reports I received the day was a beautiful day of gratitude in Kahle Community Park in Stateline. I am so grateful for the District 6 members who helped to make this such a wonderful day and making our district such great district to serve. On the agenda at our next district meeting next Sunday the district will holding elections for the next panel with the AA tradition of spirit of rotation in mind. All Officer positions and committee chairs will be open. I am grateful to be able to serve such a active district of alcoholics who serve the district

District 8, Peggy H-(no report

District 10a, Ema E- Hello Everyone Grateful Alcoholic my name is Ema DCM for District 10-A in Elko Wanna take a minute and give thanks to my creator for giving me this opportunity to be here with you and be a part of something greater, I feel honored and privileged Thank You. I will definitely miss being a dcm when rotations comes. Of course if I had it my way I will be a dcm for the rest of my time here as long as I'm in the program right! Lol..its seems like the 2 years flwed passed me where was i! Hmmm? Lol it's been an amazing journey here with you and I enjoyed every bit of you 😊 and the knowledge and lessons you have thought me and hopefully I get to pass it on to others and use it to the best of my ability one day at time. I like to Thank Danis Phil And Laura for making things easier for me for always helping me when I needed I really do appreciate you and for Phil for suggesting me to host this Nagcs meeting even tho I had no idea what I was going in to I'm glad I did. And here is our report in June 9th we celebrate the founder's day bill and bob. it was a great success we all pitched in for food drinks we n talked about bill and bob how it all come about. very inspiring. as our annual camp out for elko group is on the 27-29th and our gratitude dinner is unknown on the date as of today still waiting on it. thank you for letting me serve

District 10b, Samantha G (Contact Only)

District 12, Alt Lisa- District 12 Alt DMC Hi I'm Lisa Alcoholic. Currently service as alternate DCM for District 12 So as it turns out attendance at the district level has been slow this summer, due to vacation and camp outs. Even so, district meetings (Birthdays 7 Business) have went on without any hitches. Bridging the Gap in Fallon continues to trudge on, thanks in part to our district 12 Bridging the Gap Coordinator Tracy B. Next week is our business meeting and hopefully district 12 will have some new willing and able service members! Thank you for this service opportunity.

District 14, Mark P- DCM REPORT DIST 14 AREA 42 FALL ASSEMBLY2018 Well I'm happy and sad to be making my last report to Area 42 as the Dist 14 DCM. I feel grateful to have been able to serve in this capacity the last 2 years. I've learned so much from my fellows in service. Although this is my last assembly as DCM I will possibly keep going in service with the area. Our District is doing well. Most recently we had our annual Jamboree by the river in Truckee. Our local YP group was the host group and it went very well. We still have one more speaker meeting this year. Even more recently I attended the business meeting of the Kings Beach Golden Group. I took on questions and concerns regarding the operation of our District events and services. One of the main focal points from members of the Golden Group was voting in district, and whether it was appropriate for officers (such as treasurer, schedule coordinator, cpc/pi chair etc) to have a vote regarding district matters. In our district the officers often out number GSRs and the golden group feels as if this is not right. I brought up the right of participation and it wasn't received very well. Long story short, We are still dealing with this

groups concerns. All in all I am pleased with how things have gone the last 2 years and very happy to have people in Dist 14 interested in general service. It has been a pleasure to work them and with all the people in our area. Thanks for letting me be of service.

District 16, Nancy W (no report)

District 20, Jay: DCM report 8-4-18 Hello everybody my Name is Jay S. and I have been serving as your District 20 Alt DCM. I am very sorry to announce that Heidi has stepped down from DCM. However, I am Delighted and honored to step up for the rest of the year as your District committee Member for District 20. I would like to begin by thanking our groups in District 20 that always step up for commitments and service work. Our members in Chester Ca., Westwood Ca. and Susanville Ca. are wonder examples of AA at work. Our outreach program is showing signs of success. Members from Quincy Ca have been traveling to Speaker meetings, signing up for Bridging the Gap, and attending BBQ's. Hats off to the Greenville Meeting for the wonderful day at the Lake last weekend. I believe our furthest Outreach Is Alturas Ca. They are located another 100 miles from Susanville up by the Oregon Boarder. They are a mix of AA and NA with perhaps 10 to 15 meetings a week. They really separated from District 20 and were kind of lost in figuring out where they belong. Imagined my excitement when I found written on their announcement board "We are part of District 20" Followed by NNIG website I offered up Area 42's Website, and an E-mail and contact number for District 20. They quickly made a phone call and before the meeting began their newly elected GSR arrived to greet me. John is the first GSR that group has had in many years. He is excited about attending Tonopah, and has plans to make our District 20 Meeting in Susanville August 18. District 20 will be holding trusted servant elections at our normal meeting 10:30 am August 18th. The meeting will be followed by BBQ/Potluck Hamburgers and Hotdogs supplied and cooked by District 20. Following the BBQ we are having "Ask an Old-timer Panel". Members will submit question. Old timers will answer. We are expecting between 150 years and 200 years of sobriety on this panel. As always everybody is welcome! I will leave some flyers on the Table. In closing- let me thank you all for allowing to be of service. I am once again delighted, blessed and overwhelmed at the love, patience, and friendships I have found in Alcoholics Anonymous.

District 22, Luis- (no report)

Report from Jonelle Area 42 Secretary: Read by Monica S.: Hello all, I hope everyone is having a great summer! So... September is right around the corner-ish. Here are some dates to keep in mind: I will send out a preliminary agenda for the Area Assembly around August 14th ish. Any presentations, and what I mean by presentations is - if you were asked to present anything at the Area Assembly, I need to have that in writing - as well as proposals, reports, etc. must be submitted to me (Jonelle) by Thursday, August 30. I am going to the printers that weekend. This will also give our Tonys, the free-no charge translators/ interpreters time to work their linguistic magic! We are trying to get as much of the Assembly documents - including minutes, agenda, etc. - properly translated. I will send another copy of the Area Minutes a week or so prior to the Assembly. I will also be sending a copy of the "revised thus far" Area Guidelines. According to the Secretary's Guidelines, you are to receive a copy, so they will be emailed. I will email the Area Committee and Standing Chairs friendly reminders of all this, because that's what I do! I know the amount of emails can be a lot and I appreciate all of you who lovingly accept them! And distribute them. Thank you for all you do and allowing me to do it with you. Jonelle W. Area 42 Secretary

Chair Reports

Chairperson, Tinna O-Hi All, I am excited to begin my first NAGSC as your Chair. I'm also a little anxious, I want to serve you well. I'd like to thank everyone for their support and help. We are going to expand a bit on the General Service Conference Exercises that we started last NAGSC meeting. Pat S has agreed to help us with preparing our resumes for the Area 42 elections. We should have a full and informative day. Please feel free to ask me any questions you have, I may not know the answers, but we can learn together. Yours in Service
Tinna O, NAGSC Chair

Secretary, Monica S- Monica alcoholic. Thank you all for allowing me to be of service as your Secretary. If you have hand written reports please if you can give those to me today, I will be happy to type those up to be included in the minutes. I am very excited to be out in battle Mt. Love the unity thank you District 10a for hosting. If this is your first service assembly please come to see me, I would love to meet you and get your information. Thank you all for everything you do.

Registrar, Laura J(Read by Julie): Area 42 Registrar Report to the Nagsc Body – Saturday, August 4, 2018 Greetings and good afternoon to the Nagsc body and thank you to whomever is reading my report today. My work has kept me in Mammoth Lakes for this meeting, thank you also, to our host district 10A. My main words to you today will be to remind you that registration for our fall election Assembly is available online at: <https://bpt.me/3572302> This link went out in an email from Jonelle and should have reach all in the body by now through your DCMs and GSRs. The link will not appear on the Area website in keeping with our Area Website guidelines. The Assembly is in Tonopah, Nevada on September 14 – 16. I encourage you to pre-register for Assembly to assist the organizers with numbers and to speed up the lines when the doors open in Tonopah. Banquet tickets are also available online. The online fees for Assembly are covered by the Area, the online fees for the banquet tickets are paid by the purchaser. The advantage to pre-purchasing your banquet ticket is that they sell out quickly at the Assembly, also if you need to pay by credit card or registration and/or your banquet ticket, you may only do so online, at the event we only accept cash. I also want to take a moment to encourage participation in this Assembly. We will be electing our new panel of Area Committee members who will serve for the next two years. This is also a good time to reach out to your members in the groups and districts to encourage participation in General Service at all levels. We need new GSRs, DCMs, Committee Chairs, Grapevine/La Vina Reps, District and Group level Chairs, Treasurers, Recording Secretaries and Registrars. This is a great time of year for groups & districts to host General Service Workshops. Encourage those who are interested in General Service to attend this Assembly to observe our election and meet those that they will be working with if they accept a position at the group or district level. The position of Area Alternate Registrar will be available to the North for the next rotation. If you are interested, please contact me and I will tell you how much fun Jake & I had in the last 2 years! Thank you for allowing me to serve in this position, I look forward to serving in the next rotation in whatever capacity my Higher Power and Area 42 wishes! Love & Service, Laura J

Archivist, Lyle C: Area 42 Archivist I am honored to be your Area 42 Archivist; I have been maintaining and displaying our Archives. A lot of work is being carried out in Las Vegas at Central Office, where most of the Archives are stored. Gabriel R. Alternate Archivist and a wonderful

team of volunteers have been working on construction of the rooms, installing shelving and the much needed organization of our vast history of Area 42. We hope to be able to have display cases in the near future that will allow us to exhibit some of our many pieces of history. To our Districts Archivists or DCM's please help me update your binders, with flyers, business minutes, and your history and information. Thank You for this opportunity, Lyle Childers, Area 42 Archivist

Area 42 Treasurer, Paul: Area 42 Treasurer; Hi I'm Paul and I'm an alcoholic. The Area 42 Treasury is doing very well thanks to all of your contributions. At the upcoming Area 42 Fall Assembly we will be voting on a budget for the 2017-18 fiscal year. The Area secretary should send this out prior to the Assembly so that you will be able to review it and bring any questions or concerns to the assembly. When we are ready to vote on it. It will also be printed and in your packets. Thank you for allowing me to serve, Paul

Public Information, Andrea B(Read by Monica) Our Conference Committee is Report and Charter. Our contact at GSO is name Racey Joseph, the Secretary to Report and Charter Committee. Her 2yr rotation will be over soon and she will be rotating out of that position.

Six or eight delegates sit on the committee along with a secretary who is keeping notes. The number is small so they can hold conversations. No trustees are assigned to this committee and there is no corresponding trustees committee either. The committee makes recommendations for agenda items to go to the floor of the Conference.

The primary function of Report and Charter is to maintain the AA Service Manual, the Final Conference Report and the Regional / International Directories for 12 Step Contact List. They also read drafts of the Conference Report and check it for accuracy.

Thank you.

Grapevine, Pat S. (no report)

Corrections, Samantha- NAGSC Corrections Committee Report August 2018 This Committee is in place to help your Groups and Districts carry the AA message into Correctional facilities. I have not received any interest lately. Please remember I am here to serve you. DCMs and GSRs, if your District or Group would like a presentation or workshop, all you need to do is invite us. We'd be glad to come! If you're interested in helping get AA meetings into correctional facilities or contacting AAs who are already taking meetings in, please join this committee! And please let me know if you are already taking meetings into correctional facilities or are interested in participating on the Corrections Committee. We still have 4 months remaining in this rotation and I would love to come to your Group or District! I'd like to thank the Northern Area General Service Committee for allowing me to be of service. I am grateful to have made myself available to serve Alcoholics Anonymous in a fun and informative way; however I need your participation! *Respectfully submitted by Samantha G., Northern Area 42 Corrections Chair This is a confidential AA document.*

Bridging the Gap, Pat B-Bridging The Gap Report August 4, 2018 Greater Reno area, (Districts 2 & 4), Treatment and Bridging The Gap functions fall under the umbrella of the Northern Nevada Intergroup, (N.N.I.G.), and there are separate Chairs for Treatment and Bridging The Gap. Recovery meetings taken into treatment facilities are coordinated by Rob L. A new Bridging The Gap Chair was voting in during the July N.N.I.G. meeting. The previous

N.N.I.G. BTG Chair and I, (same person), met with the new BTG Chair, Cyndy M., on July 13th for an orientation and training session. Cyndy will coordinate BTG work with the committees in Reno, Sparks, and Carson City. We also have a BTG Temporary Contact Coordinator as part of the Reno BTG Committee who aligns all treatment client temporary contact requests with one of our Temporary Contact volunteers so we can connect the client with A.A. as soon as they depart treatment. We continue to wait for word from Washoe County as to their plans to open a new detox center in the downtown Reno area. The previous detox center operated by West Care closed abruptly in April. The county was to issue a "Request For Proposal" for a new outside contractor to operate the detox center. Washoe County is very much in support of our Fellowship and has expressed clear desire for our cooperation with whatever entity opens the new facility. We had been taking recovery meetings into the old detox on a daily basis. We have some terrific news out of District 12! At long last we finally have a start date for Bridging The Gap presentations at the New Frontier Treatment Facility in Fallon. Thanks to the persistence of District 12 BTG Chair Tracy B. and DCM Kate S., our first BTG presentation will be on Saturday September 22nd and we will be making presentations to the clients at New Frontier every other Saturday. In District 20 we are still awaiting word from the Director of the Lassen County Drug & Alcohol Program on a possible start date for Bridging The Gap presentations at their facility in Susanville. Jay S. from District 20 is coordinating our effort with this facility. In District 10A Bridging The Gap Committee member Orien C. is pursuing the Bridging The Gap opportunity with the treatment facility Vitality Center. We have an ongoing need for BTG Temporary Contact volunteers throughout the Northern Area, particularly in some of the smaller communities. Today I have volunteer packets available for everyone to take back to their Districts. Respectfully, Pat B. NAGSC Treatment / BTG Chair

Special Needs/ Remote Communities, Mary D-(no report)

Intergroup Liaison, Chris S- So a lot has been happening at NNIG. Over the last couple of months the Total amount of calls into Central office has been 457 and the volunteer hours have been 226.5. All volunteer positions have been filled. Central office is still open on Saturdays from 10am to 2pm. In May Central office received a grant from NV Energy and was able to receive new LED Lighting in the office. Voting took place at the June business meeting and most positions were filled. BTG, CPC, and Corrections were of those positions not filled. At the July business meeting Bridging the Gap was filled. At the July business meeting Rhonda who has been filling in as the Central Office Director officially was voted into the position. Also at the July business meeting the ad-hoc committee brought forward the new guidelines and said that in August we would be voting on those. Upcoming events include Halloween event and dance Oct. 27, Gratitude dinner November 3 at the Eldorado resort, New Year's Eve event Dec. 31 at the Automobile Museum in downtown Reno. If you would like to know more of what is happening please go to NNIG.org. There you can find events, meetings and much more.

GSR Survival Manual/Trainer, Debbie S: August 4, 2018 NAGSC Report
GSR TRAINER-Debbie S. I am Debbie, your alcoholic GSR trainer. Let us remember that the GSR's are our upcoming generation of officers, committee chairs and ad hoc committee members that will be doing the work for our area. Every opportunity given to network, listen, ask

questions and participate in a small group is opportunity to grow and better serve. I am enjoying the time that I have been able to spend with our GSR's. In my opinion, the GSR's having the 30-45 minutes before the actual NAGSC meeting is a wonderful opportunity. It serves as a briefing of the NAGSC agenda, an opportunity to have questions answered and a sharing session of how business is conducted for their groups. There are still five months left to serve on this rotation. I am making myself available to any districts that would like to hold a workshop for incoming or prospective GSR's, alternate GSR's, or for any other reasons concerning GSR's and their roles/responsibilities. Thank you for allowing me to facilitate such a wonderful group of servants of Alcoholics Anonymous...Debbie S

DCM Standing Committee Facilitator, Ed L- NAGSC Report

August 2018 Good Afternoon, My name is Ed and I am an Alcoholic and present DCM Chairperson. I don't have much to report this time as things have been very quiet more than likely because its summer and everyone is out having fun or at least I hope you are. Speaking of having fun and being out and about. I have to apologize for not having a report on finance for the mock conference. Problem #1 the chairperson was in California when she was chosen and unaware she was elected. #2 I was elected co-chair but didn't find out until I got home from a camping. #3 By the time all of this came about there wasn't time for a report to be put together for the SAGS meeting in early July. #4 I tried to get something together for our NAGS meeting but didn't get any response. Edie tried her best to pull something together in the south but to no avail. A suggestion if I may, If we pass out the signup sheet at the Spring assembly we might get a better response. This will also give SAGS enough time to put something together I hope everyone is enjoying their summer and out doing fun things as we insist on enjoying life now that we have been given a daily reprieve. I am still

available should any DCM need help or a question answered. I also have another position and it is that of co-chair of the ad hoc communication committee we have made some great progress and should have something to present at the fall assembly. I have enjoyed working with everyone on this committee as collectively we have made great progress. Funny how God puts together just the right people to get a job done well God and Julie, she has a knack for putting the right people in the proper position.

Cooperation with the Professional Community, Anne Y- (Read by Monica)- Things are good. Look forward to visiting some some districts. Thank you Hugs, Anne

Finance Chair- Sue H- No Report

Next Meeting: December 1st, 2018

Hosted By: District 12

Location: Oasis Community Church 1520 S Maine St. Fallon NV. 89406

Closes at 4:00 pm with the Responsibility Statement