

NAGSC Business Meeting

Date: June 2 , 2018

Hosted by: District 14

Location: Community Arts Center

Address: 10046 Church Street, Truckee, CA. 96161

12:00 DCMs & Standing Committee Chairs/ GSR Training

Chair Julie C. Opened the meeting at 1:00 pm with the Serenity Prayer

Welcome:

Reading: Joe Reads : - from The A.A. Service Manual - Chapter Eight -

Review/Approval Minutes: Minutes of previous meeting (February 24th, 2018) reviewed,

Corrections: None

Motions to Accept: Yes

1st: Yes

2nd: Yes

Vote: Yes

1:15-Conference Committees(NAGSC & SAGSC Collaborative Committees): Opportunity to learn about General Service Conference Committees and participate on an Area-wide. (Laura & Pat S. Pass out info)

Julie asks group if they would like to participate in discussion?

Unanimous: yes

Counted by number into 13 groups and go over questions for each 13 agendas

1:30- Delegate Report: Phil-(Gives verbal report): Hi everybody grateful to be here, just want to say one thing about what Julie just went over for us about the committees in and that happens in January for delegates. I'm Phil area 42, panel 67 delegate, I'm just bringing a little bit of what I got the privilege and honor of doing. Went to conference on his 65th birthday and flew to conference when last year got to White Plains New York was exhausted. Did it a bit different this year and got up early and went to empire state building, and got down and went to General Service Office meeting. It was a wonderful meeting, he got to go to microphone and tell them that he was 66 that day and thanked AA for the ability to be alive to have his 66th birthday. Went to dinner and exhibit with Joel and fiends. Next day Sat went on historical tour in Brooklynn and Manhattan and George D gave us our tour he is past trustee he is hilarious. We sang a song crossing a bridge, called The Bowery. Reads line from: "The Bowery" Music by Percy Gaunt Lyrics by Charles H. Hoyt **Verse 1** Oh! the night that I struck New York I went out for a quiet walk;

Folks who are "on to" the city say, Better by far that I took Broadway;

But I was out to enjoy the sights, There was the Bow'ry ablaze with lights;

I had one of the devil's own nights! I'll never go there anymore. **Refrain** The Bow'ry, the Bow'ry! They say such things, And they do strange things On the Bow'ry! The Bow'ry! I'll never go there anymore! **Verse 2** I had walk'd but a block or two, When up came a fellow, and me he knew; Then a policeman came walking by, Chased him away, and I asked him why. "Wasn't he pulling your leg?," said he. Said I, "He never laid hands on me!" "Get off the Bow'ry, you Yap!," said he. I'll never go there anymore.

we all sang that song and had a great tour. That afternoon got to host the committee meeting based on the military topic, lots of information brought, got a lot of I'm out. A lot of people didn't realize that remote communities don't just mean being in the middle of nowhere, it also means language barrier, information barrier, and being far away from

everything. Had a few other small meetings. Then Sunday morning a solution for all. Composition of the conference, the average of members, (goes over ages of people and there sobriety, just amazing was to experience) opens for questions, with exception on questions regarding things that haven't gone through committee yet. Goes over how grapevine and La Vina are doing. We still have a bit of downside where prescriptions are falling. Class A Trustee said best thing at this moment could do is get a prescription to grapevine. In keeping with remote communities... newest grape vine literature/books "Stories of AA in the Military", next will be agnostic and atheist. AAWS report, Speaks on Rich gave a report about an hour and half on 896 new groups in AA/Canada, as website 130,396,071 increase 6% rose of join since last counted in 2016.

Next save the date card for Las Vegas area 42, year 2020 PRAASA will be handed out in San Jose.

Talks about inspiring story of David- Class A Trustee- wife got sober 35 years ago and daughter a few years ago. Goes over the \$7.40 challenge, our \$7.40 to GSO by July 4th. Trip on Monday broke into committee meetings. In his committee, went over remote community situation. Are we doing enough for remote communities? His committee came back with some other stuff, we spent half a day working on remote communities issues including deaf and hard of hearing literature. They went over the different needs between difference in deaf and hard of hearing. Deaf people based language is not hearing is an additional form of communicating, we asked for more info on how to approach those with hearing problem. They gave the trustees a lot to do. When they were through with committee stuff by Tuesday, they started hearing on the report backs form committees that was the time when people wanted to bring up floor action. If that committee report didn't cover everything then it was opened to floor. They went over advisory actions until finished, but throughout the day microphone would open. Goes over Items: Corrections A, spent a lot of time on that item, produce pamphlet for those getting out of prison, committee came up with: enough literature put out for people in prison and they didn't really need something new they would like to add something stating how to get a hold of AA, they modified it to go into something.

Lit C- there was a split on this lit committee 24 items they gave a report on all items over 3 hours, what they came to agree on was to use the GOD word pamphlet. But do not feel there is a need for new pamphlet for Aetheist/Agnostic. Added the anominity to the sponsee pamphlet. New book 12 and 12 and concepts didn't go through.

Lit O- update video and general service structure- they were for that will be working on that this year. There was break Last literature item- He went to mike for Last item. Last item Spanish speaking Woman's pamphlet- Phil gave the feedback from us "AREA 42" to the committee, it was received very well. The trustee lit committee is requesting feedback from Spanish speaking woman. Need stories from the Spanish woman. He then went to Grapevine meeting, meeting of reviewing new technologies for A.A. The things of next year conference 80 years, 71 languages. **Phil reading from his notes posted(Copied Notes added to delegates report from AA42 Website)**

In news about translation of our literature into other languages, the Croatian Big Book has been approved, a revised translation of the Slovakian Big Book has been submitted for review, and the Navajo Big Book is proceeding with translation of the final two chapters. The Big Book is currently available in 70 languages, including the original English-language edition. There are 21 non-English language editions pending (14 new language and seven revisions in progress). Our message continues to be made more and more widely available to help the alcoholic who still suffers. AAGV The newest GV book, Voices of Women in A.A., is in production and will be available this fall as both a print publication and an e-book.

Finance and budgetary On the AAWS side, total revenue for the first six months of 2017

was about \$8.8 million. Expenses were about \$7.8 million, and net profit was just under \$1 million. Significant factors contributing to the strong results were increased literature sales and increased Seventh Tradition contributions. The GSB is once again grateful to the Fellowship for the contributions that help to make services possible, and also grateful to management for the prudent approach to operations that is helping to keep increases in operating expenses below budget. The financial picture also looks good on the Grapevine side. Total income for the first six months of 2017 was about \$963,000. Expenses were about \$915,000, and net profit was about \$48,000. Significant factors contributing to the strong results were increased gross profit on the magazine and interest income from the subscription deposits held in the Reserve Fund. The GSB's gratitude goes out to the whole Grapevine community, as well as to Grapevine management for prudence in keeping increases in operating expenses below budget. La Viña had a shortfall of revenues versus expenses for the first six months of 2017 of about \$62,000, which is about \$21,000 less than the budgeted shortfall. Please remember that the General Service Conference has asked that La Viña be supported as a service to the Fellowship. It is different from other aspects of our services, in that it also has a revenue stream, and we should always keep its distinct hybrid status in mind whenever we look at La Viña financials. The Reserve Fund had a balance on June 30, 2017, of about \$16.3 million, which reflected a contribution of \$1.2 million from GSO and a contribution of \$40,000 from Grapevine. The current balance represents approximately 10.7 months of operating expenses (we like to keep it at somewhere between nine and twelve months of operating expenses). With the strong financials reported above in mind, the GSB approved a recommendation from the finance committee to transfer \$2 million from the Reserve Fund, with \$1.25 million going to the Pension Plan Trust and \$750,000 going to the Post-retirement Medical Fund, as part of ongoing efforts to ensure that we keep our promises to our retired employees. After this transfer, the Reserve Fund will be at about 9.4 months of operating expenses - still within our preferred range. The committee met on July 30th, and the finance department at GSO was already able to report that there were 459 online contributions on July 27th for \$7.27. I can't tell you how delighted the finance department personnel and the GSB treasurer are about this grass-roots campaign that began last year in the Pacific region and continues this year. For those who may be reading this report as a pass-along and who may not be familiar, this is an effort to spread the word about how much it costs per member per year for GSO to provide services to the Fellowship and to encourage members to make a contribution in that amount on the date that corresponds to the dollar amount. GSO didn't ask for this; it came about through people taking the initiative at the local level. Here's the idea behind it. In 2016, it cost \$7.27 per member to provide services, and members took it on themselves to send a contribution in that amount on 7/27. The finance department plans to track mail-in contributions for \$7.27 received in the coming weeks and to report those figures at the October meeting. Thanks to the trusted servants and members at the local level who got this going and who have continued it this year. Dear members of the General Service Conference, At the most recent Board Weekend, General Service Board received an update on the pending legal matter in executive session with counsel present. While I cannot share that discussion, I can share some new information that will keep you current with our actions to date. The court has entered a stipulated order, as proposed and agreed to by both parties, which requires defendant (Mr. Kenneth R.) not to transfer or sell the Printer's Copy Manuscript of Alcoholics Anonymous for the duration of the matter.

The August 2 hearing (noted in the judge's initial order granting the temporary restraining order) did not occur, upon agreement of the parties and the court. The court has recently set the next status conference for October 11, 2017. The Manuscript is now in secured storage at

Crozier Fine Arts. Both Profiles in History (the auction house) and Quest royal Fine Arts (the gallery that had displayed the manuscript) have been dismissed from the matter. Please note: All filings in the case are a matter of public record. The discussions of the legal situation within the Board and with counsel, however, remain confidential and privileged, so this is as much as can be shared at this time. On behalf of the General Service Board and A.A. World Services, I wish to thank you for your ongoing engagement, all your questions and expressions of concern, and your love for our A.A. Fellowship and the Legacy of A.A. Unity. While some of you may disagree with our actions from time to time, please be assured that each Board member loves A.A. and is acting in good faith as a trusted servant in accordance with Tradition Two, as discussed in the Concept Seven essay. The Public Information desk at the General Service Office continues to be the primary source of communication about this legal matter, both within and outside the Fellowship. We ask that you direct your comments there, so that we can gather your thoughts in an orderly manner. All communications about this matter received as of July 27 have been provided to all Board members.

With much gratitude for your service to Alcoholics Anonymous, Michele G, Chair An Update on AAs in the wake of Hurricane Henry What's happening to Houston AA after Harvey? We are grateful to report that the Houston Intergroup office was spared significant damage from the storm. The office is now open Monday through Friday from 8:00am to 6:00pm. However, we are sure that many of the 500+ groups that we support in the greater Houston area weren't so fortunate. Many other offices, groups, and members from around the country have contacted us with offers of support. Houston Intergroup is setting up a distribution center to coordinate help and replacement literature for those groups and members who lost A.A. material in the flooding.

If you, or your group, has extra Big Books or 12&12's that you could contribute towards this relief we'd greatly appreciate the donations. Please mark all donations "HARVEY" so that we can segregate them. Clarification from Ron the Delegate from area 67 SE Tx. A little clarification on the Houston relief. Any money that is sent to Houston Intergroup will be used to purchase literature only. It is not and will not be used for any other purpose. At the present time Houston is still in the early stage of recovery, people are still flooded and the Group needs are still being assessed. Thank you all for your love prayers and encouragement. **(End Of Notes from Delegates page on AREA 42 website)**

(Verbal report continued) Cooperation of professional community: adding new section to page 16 of pamphlet "Members of Clergy Pamphlet" also adding another sentence to and additional pamphlet "For the professional" and for "Military" pamphlet as well. Individual contribution raised from maximum \$3000.00 per AA to \$5000.00 per individual AA. Went over living sober, section note to medical professionals. General Service Secretary of India: Valley talked about getting translations of their language. Translation of their dialect. They in India have, Got to see the young people video, still in editing, once finished it will be able to go to internet, there are lots of things going on in public information. Talked about calling proper law enforcement agencies is not against tradition in AA. Treatment and assimilates be changed to members share overcoming barriers, out together what members were saying, so what his committee did about remote communities, Do you need a committee for remote communities? Brought to conference floor: Moving into CPC go to professionals what we are doing. He goes over experience of the manuscript: Throughout the last year he's been sending out notes, going into this conference he knew there would be lots of talk about the manuscript. When we went to court, there were lots of items about censoring the, as the conference started, that was one of the items that we are not starting with by Tuesday it started to get a little heated. Opinions of the finding out about a chance to get the

manuscript, the general service board was in a place where there wasn't a lot of time, and that they did what they needed to do because we trusted them as our servants. It is love and tolerance that we felt for each other, with a Director, Trustee, and able to talk to them one on one, and I told the conference that we as area 42 really just wants an apology but we feel it should be dropped. The conference committee on trustees gave explanation of action Put in the further considerations: Phil reads this explanation. After discussion and explanation on Centure that night went over at about 8:00 pm floor actions. One floor action 6- the general service conference and operation board to protect the intellectual property of A.A. there is a website that is alcoholicsanonymous.com that is not our website and they are working on figuring out what that intellectual property issue is and how to do litigation. First vote 106 yes 23 no to reaffirm the protection of the intellectual property of A.A. then the minority opinion came out then yes-89 no-39, then they discussed Leon came and called question yes-11 no-117. Ended at 10:00pm. He talks about how loving his experience was, He told the conference how this couple of years he has gotten a lot more emotional and really appreciates the love of AA and loves us, Thank You all.

7th tradition collected: \$109.22

Treasurer's Report: Will L (Julie Reads)- JUNE 2018 NAGSC /

Hi my name is Will currently serving as your treasure. We have a current balance of \$6,706.26 in the checking. We made deposits of \$6,589.38 we have a cd with\$ 1,252.84. We would like it if your groups could provide an email address so we can send your receipts to save NAGS a lot in postage. I will also bring receipt When I see you guys. Sorry for not making it I've had some health stuff going on. Hope everyone is doing well I can mail mileage reimbursement to people. PLEASE have your groups send your donations to Any questions contact Will Thanks Will L

Delegate Report: Phil-Gives verbal report:

2:30 - 2:40 Break

2:40 - Julie goes Discussion on Conference Committees: An opportunity to ask Past Delegates questions on the Conference Committees. More time, if needed, to discuss the proposed Area wide committees. Opens for questions about these committees?? New Pacific Trustee, Cathy F from AZ is our new Pacific Trustee.

Joyce gives explanation of her experience on what conference is and what it isn't, how loving and inclusive.-

Tina asks question of what committee topics we are talking about?

A. Delegate items to go out, and answers come back

Julie states that her and Rhonda will rewrite the explanations

also note please put each topic name under each committee so we know which committee is doing which topic.

Laura- comment is this is good because there are lots of topics so maybe we will be able to go over more topics, we should do this more frequent like in august, not sure if its only trial but this is very good for information, or assigning all new GSRS to a committee once in service.

JULIE- goes over all good idea,

PAT- this is in September, we are talking about agenda items that already happened?

JULIE- The Process Is To Give Us Information

TINA COMMENTS- we are doing this to give everyone the basics behind what the conference is.

JULIE- goes over how we like unity for SAGSC and NAGSC during assembly we will at part be sitting with our committee n/s

LAURA- will this be continued with the new topics that we don't know about and haven't already reviewed?

JULIE- we will see, but we are at least going to start, since this is an experiment.

JOYCE- benefits of experiencing this and what goes into something like the conference, we get the final report, but since we don't all get to conference this brings the conference to us.

BARBARA-report and charter thought it was boring and now it's her responsibility, it's not boring

Julie goes over becoming our Area Chair- sent out email from Jonelle and Monica sent out going over someone standing for the NAGSC Chair, please send the emails to

Paul speaks on the 3rd legacy procedure on procedure on the how to go about appointing a NAGSC CHAIR.

3:00- Chair Reports

Chairperson, Julie C- Went over Discussion of conference

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 have been excited about getting things inventoried and ordered for passing on the AAWS literature for Area 42. I have had a lot of fun with doing the literature. Learning lots and doing lots. Collaborating with Area to ensure I'm getting things out to all of you. Also working with some of our Spanish members from district 22 to get some new meetings going in our northern Area. I just want to say I appreciate all the service everyone doing, keep up the good work.

Registrar, Laura J - Laura alcoholic. I am here if you need anything, you guys know how to get ahold of me.

Finance Committee Chair, Sue H- (No report)

Archivist, Lyle C- Area 42 Archivist As the Archivist, I maintain and add to our Archives. Also, I am available to provide presentations of our archives at your functions. I was able to attend the Spring Festival in Reno with Dawn and Charlie. The Festival had a great turnout and the Archives display had many visitors with a lot of enthusiasm. I went to Las Vegas to spend some time with Gabriel, your Area 42 Alt. Archivist and the

Archives. We were able to go through many of the boxes of binders and organize and get familiar with our Area 42 Archives. I felt enthused, overwhelmed and grateful for this wonderful opportunity. It was awesome to get to know Gabriel and other SAGSC members. Yours in Service, Lyle C

Cooperation with Professional Community, Anne Y- All is well looking forward to going to more district meetings.

Corrections Facilities, Samantha G- NAGSC Corrections Committee Report June 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 7 months remaining in this rotation. 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.*

Grapevine, Pat S- My name is Pat. I am an alcoholic and I am humbled to serve as the Grapevine/La Viña Chair for Northern Nevada.

- The duty of setting up a display handling the sales of Grapevine and LaViña items alternates between the north and south, and it was my turn to do so at our Area Assembly in Tonopah March 23
- I gave a presentation to District 14 May 21 at Kings Beach and another in Sparks on May 15.
- Do to a family issue I had to cancel taking a display to the Spring Festival in Sparks.
- There'll be a Grapevine writing workshop and potluck in Gardnerville on June 9. I brought flyers.
- I've been asked to talk about the Grapevine and LaViña in the Reno area (location to be announced) on July 14.
- If you would like to have a Grapevine/LaViña presentation at your district or group, please contact me.
- The Grapevine subscription contest continues through the rest of the year. The winning area will be featured in a 2019 Grapevine edition, including stories written by members from that area. Nevada is not doing that well.

If you do not currently subscribe to the Grapevine, tsk, tsk! Thank you for allowing me to be of service Pat S.

Public Information, Andrea B- Hello everyone. Last quarter Pat our NAGSC Grapevine Chair came to our District meeting and gave us an informative presentation on all things Grapevine. Thank you Pat!

I have also been in contact with Andrea our NAGSC Public Information chair and we are making arrangements to hold a PI presentation this summer.

Our District will be hosting a Twelve Traditions Workshop. We are hoping to co-host with other area districts. Our Tradition Workshop will be held Saturday August 18 at Saint Paul's Episcopal Church behind the Sparks Library on 12th Street in Sparks. Please take flyers to your groups as we will love to see you there! Thank you for letting me be of service as District 16 Alternate DCM Andrea B

Treatment Facilities/Bridging the Gap, Pat B- NAGSC Treatment / Bridging The Gap Committee Report June 2, 2018 Throughout the Northern Area, the Treatment Committee is currently taking 67 recovery meetings per month into 7 facilities. This is 49 meetings fewer than two months ago. The reason is significant. The West Care operated detox facility that had been operating in downtown Reno abruptly closed its doors about two months ago due to funding issues. Our committee had been taking 7 meetings per week into the detox facility. The sudden closure left few options for the inebriated but emergency rooms or jail. The state and Washoe County's Human Services Agency are now scrambling for other health care providers who can provide detoxification care. At about the same time as the detox facility closed, the opening of a brand new facility took place. Reno Behavioral Health Care Hospital opened in the Meadowood mall area of Reno. The 124 bed facility will be providing psychiatric and addiction treatment. On May 8th NNIG Treatment Committee Chair Rob L. and I made an A.A. presentation to the staff at this new facility. We offered to support recovery meetings and Bridging The Gap services. They are currently seeking Accreditation for their facility. What role this facility will serve in covering the services lost with the closing of the West Care detox facility is unclear at this time. The staff will be advising us as to what role they believe A.A. serve in cooperating with their Alcohol treatment plans. The Committee is currently making 7 Bridging The Gap presentations at 6 treatment facilities per month. We have two additional pending opportunities. In March I met with the Director and staff of the Lassen County Alcohol and drug program. They confirmed interest in Bridging The Gap. Following that initial meeting, we had A.A. member Jay S. of District 20 volunteer to be the Bridging The Gap Coordinator for District 20. We are currently waiting to hear back from the Lassen County personnel on a start date for Bridging The Gap. On May 11th, District 12 DCM Kate S., new District 12 Bridging The Gap Coordinator Tracy B. and I met with the Director of the New Frontier Treatment Facility located in Fallon. We have been trying to get Bridging The Gap established with this facility for some time. We received agreement from the Director to establish BTG at this facility with two Bridging The Gap presentations to their clients per month. We are waiting for word on a start date. On May 6th I was very pleased to have the opportunity to participate in a Corrections and Treatment panel hosted by District 6 Carson City. My role was largely limited to participation in the dessert pot luck. The Treatment and Bridging The Gap Committee members from District 6 made excellent presentations on how our services function and what the service opportunities for members on our committees are. The NNIG annual service position elections are taking place this coming Tuesday evening. Rob L. has been doing an excellent job as NNIG Treatment Chair and he does plan to stand for reelection. The current NNIG Bridging The Gap Chair has served the maximum two year service term and will be rotating out. Anyone interested in standing for election for either the NNIG Treatment Committee Chair or Bridging The Gap Chair position should be present at the NNIG elections this coming Tuesday evening.

Accessibilities / Remote Communities, Mary D- (No report)

Intergroup Liaison, Chris S- June 2, 2018 NAGSC report Over the last couple of months NNIG has gone through a lot of changes. The central office director has changed twice since February. There have been a couple of meetings where reports were only emailed in due to

the discussion on the floor taking up the whole meeting. I have even forgotten to email my report in twice due to all the commotion. I will say that this position has given me a renewed understanding of patience, love and tolerance. So since February, even though I know there have been more calls and volunteer hours the only total I have is 196 for calls and 109.5 for volunteer hours. Over the last couple of months a new committee has been formed to go over the NNIG operating procedures and bylaws. It was something that they wanted to have completed by the rotation of the officers but it will probably go into the next rotation. On June 5 at 630pm at the Sparks Alano club NNIG will be voting in all new members to fill all the 22 positions available. If you're interested in service at that level don't forget to attend. Central office always needs volunteers also so call Central office to find out what time slots are available. Summer is here so please go to NNIG.org to find out about all the events. Thank you for allowing me to be of service. Chris S.

GSR Survival Manual/Trainer, Debbie S- (No Report)

DCM Standing Committee Facilitator, Ed L.- DCM Coordinator Report June 2018 Hi Everybody my name is Ed and I am an alcoholic and current DCM Coordinator. It has been quiet in the DCM area. I can only hope things are going great in all of the districts. I have not gotten a 3 am call from a screaming DCM stating they are going to kill someone. I would like to share some wisdom that was given to me during my time as a DCM. If you are having difficulty with the lack of GSR's in your district go to the meetings that is the fun part of the position. Offer to send an email out to someone at the meeting who will be willing to share the information being discussed at each district meeting ie..Minutes. You can also explain that it does not have to cost anything to show up at the district meeting as a GSR. If the group cannot afford to send a GSR to the assemblies or PRAASA that's ok, They can always find out what's going on at the next district meeting or by email. The purpose of the district meetings is to keep all of the links in the chain hooked together. As a DCM going to every meeting in your district at least once a year helps to put a face to the information being sent and allows you a chance to explain anything that may not make sense to members. Not to mention all of the new friends you will make. Attending business meetings is always the best way to attract a new GSR or someone willing to take an email to the group. By doing this we will keep as many members as possible properly informed. I can't tell you how much fun it was when the topic of rewording the Big Book came up recently. I had a great time explaining to everyone that this topic has and will always come up every few years and that it is just a topic of discussion it hasn't happened in over 80 years. I made a number of new friends by visiting meetings in my district many will now be lifelong friends. Enjoy your Summer and all of the great activities that are about to start Be safe and Take Care. Yours In Service Ed L. DCMC

Paul Area Treasurer: Area 42 Treasurer: Area 42 Treasurer; Hi my name is Paul and I'm an alcoholic. The Area treasury is doing very well, thanks to all of your contributions. The Area tries to help GSR's and DCM's with limited funding to our two Area Assemblies that we have in Tonopah each year. There has been some confusion on how this works, there is a process to follow. First you go to your Home Group for funding, then to your District if your Home Group does not fully fund you, then to NAGSC only if you did not get enough funding from your Home Group and District and then last to the Area only if you have not received enough funds from your Home Group, District and NAGSC. There have been some members try to do this in the reverse order and say that their Home Group would make up the difference of what they were short. As I said earlier we have limited funds to help GSR's and DCM's in need and when we create a budget for the year we look at past history and try to have

enough funds for those that need it. It is very important for us to have our GSR's attend our Area Assemblies. Thanks, Paul Area 42 Treasurer

RVYPAA, Anthony M- (No Report)

DCM Reports

District 2, Joel- December NAGSC Report for District 2 DCM- Joel B. Alt. DCM- Nicole P. June 2, 2018

- 1) District 2 is hosting a Grapevine writing workshop on July 14, 2018 at South Reno United Methodist Church located on DeSpain Way right off Mt. Rose Hwy. It will run from 11am-2pm. We invite other local districts to be involved.
- 2) District 2 would like to help with the Traditions workshop in August. Sorry for not getting back to you yet Nancy.
- 3) The P.O. Box for district 2 is as follows:
P.O. Box 12872

Reno, NV 89510

- 4) Monthly district meeting is held the 2nd Thursday of the month at 6:30pm at Central Office for Northern Nevada Intergroup located at: 436 S. Rock Blvd Sparks, NV 89431
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- (No Report)

District 6, Michael L- Hello everyone I am alcoholic, Mike L serving as the District 6 DCM. It is an honor and a privilege to be able to serve. As you can see I am not able to attend this NAGSC meeting. I am living one my biggest challenges in my life, care taking of my elderly folks in the Bay Area, my Dad is hundred and my step-mom is 93. Thank god meetings and the message of hope of Alcoholics Anonymous are everywhere. I have made the Hayward Fellowship my away home group. Next weekend on Sunday the district June meeting and Founders Day Picnic with speaker meeting will be up at Kahle Park in Stateline. Drew has taken over most of my duties in my absence. leaving him to fill in the blanks on the other district activities. I so miss everyone hopefully I will be back soon.... Thank you for letting me serve

District 8, Peggy H- 11 Groups on the 395 coordinator of Inyo/ and Mono ct, Lone Pine, Big Pine, High Sierra Group, Boiled Owl Group, Benton, Crowley, Mammoth Lakes, Good Life Group, June lake, Bridgeport and our newest Group in Lee Vining. Renewal of our District Website w/ schedule, contact info, links and page for upcoming events, event flyers, we have a PI committee formal now for over one year that works to reach out to our local communities our corrections and treatment committee regularly meets and takes meetings into 3 county jails, I1 treatment center, 1 federal prison and is now taking panels to the DUI classes in Bishop. Gratitude Picnic Sat June 23rd at Mill Pond Park- BBQ and Chili cook-off, Delegates report. High Sierra campout August 24th-26th, at Shady Resort Campground. Weekend event including 3 AA speaker meetings, a workshop, Aalanon Meetings food and, fellowship, camping and hiking.
DCM D8 Peggy H.

District 10a, Ema E- (No Report)

District 10b, Samantha G (contact only)(No report)

District 12, Cate S-(Alt Lisa)-(No report)

District 14, Mark P- (No report)

District 16, Nancy W-(Alt Andrea)- Hello everyone. Last quarter Pat our NAGSC Grapevine Chair came to our District meeting and gave us an informative presentation on all things Grapevine. Thank you Pat! I have also been in contact with Andrea our NAGSC Public Information chair and we are making arrangements to hold a PI presentation this summer.

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District 20, Heidi R- Area 42 District 20 DCM Report NAGSC Truckee, CA June 2, 2018 Hello, Northern Area! It is nice to see everyone on this beautiful day in Truckee. District 20 is doing well with donations up from our groups this year. Our district meeting was held last month in Susanville. Thank you, to all who participated and for my alternate DCM, Jay S., for leading the meeting. We are moving at an AA pace to switch our telephone service over to Central Office. We need to put the idea out to our groups to get feedback from them but we are seeing several positives for the change including having people talk to alcoholics when they first dial-in and saving a little money from the answering service we currently have. Outreach to unrepresented groups is happening at a slower pace than we would all like. I was able to attend a fantastic meeting in our Spanish speaking district in Reno recently where Phil, Debbie, and Julie shared their experience strength and hope. It was a moving experience full of courage and love. We are still hoping to have a service workshop this summer with a couple of our Area chairs but nothing has been solidified yet. Despite a narrow candidate pool to fill service positions, most meetings are going strong and positions get covered by people who care and through the power of Grace. In loving service, Heidi R. District 20 Committee Member

District 22, Luis C- (No Report)

District Hosting: District 10 a

Next Meeting: NAGSC Meeting

Saturday August 4, 2018

12:00 pm DCM / Standing Chairs Meeting

1:00 pm General Meeting

Location: Lander County Clerk Court House, 50 NV-305, Battle Mountain, NV 89820

Closes at 4:00 pm with the Responsibility Statement