

# North Dade ASC Minutes

Sunday, October 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2021 – 2 pm – 4pm

**MEETING WAS CALLED TO ORDER:** Serenity prayer; Reading of 9<sup>th</sup> Tradition; Reading of 9<sup>th</sup> Concept; Reading of ASC purpose; Roll Call of Groups, Admin Committee and subcommittee/coordinators Zoom Info: meeting ID 87299642611 PASSCODE: 380821.

**QUORUM:** 22 of 45 GSRs present; quorum met per temporary adjustments due to the pandemic

**TREASURER REPORT:** \$9,733.86

**CHAIRS REPORT:** None

**VICE-CHAIR REPORT:** None

**SECRETARY REPORT:** Any information that needs to be updated should be updated on the group sheets. Any groups making flyer should put the disclaimer at the bottom that Narcotics Anonymous is not affiliated with that facility.

**GSR REPORTS:** Brownsville Recovery is unable to open this month because of Covid restrictions at the facility. New Connections will reopen November 6<sup>th</sup>. Our Gang meets Sundays at 4 pm via Zoom, information can be found online. Soothing Sunday is looking for trusted servants. Inner city recovery is reopened on Mon, Wed, and Fri from 5-6 pm. Tuesday Night Recovery needs support and trusted servants and meets at Tuesdays from 8-9pm. Alton C. is the new GRS of Get Fed. Alicia S. is the new GSR of Noon Comers. Recovery at the Villa is no longer a meeting.

**OLD BUSINESS: NONE**

**ENTERTAINMENT:** North Dade Area will be hosting its first 24 Hour room fundraising event. A Halloween Dance will be held October 30<sup>th</sup> at 5120 NW 24<sup>th</sup> Ave from 6-x10 pm. Tickets are 10 for adults and 5 dollars for kids at the door. Food will be at cost and there will be chicken souse, boiled peanuts with meant sodas and water.

**HELPLINE:** Met with 5/8 members present and had a new member, Herb W., to join the helpline/PR committee. The Yap system was discussed and is coming along just fine. They had a region rep come down and demonstrate how to set up the YAP system for North Dade. They are still looking for volunteers and Vice Chair is needed as the Chair is looking to change positions.

**MEETING LIST:** BMLT (Basic Meeting List Tool) is maintained by Herb W. Miami Lakes Serenity has been added to the B/M (brick and mortar) meeting list. Inner City Recovery time change has been updated on the B/M Meeting list. Will be contacting GSRs to find out the status of their meetings.

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**H&I:** Banyan health is relocating at the end of September, Location unknown. H&I will follow up on the meetings after the relocation. Betterway is back on lockdown due to covid. Here's Help is not allowing visitors into the facility. Metro west Mens and Womens has a freeze on the volunteers due to their covid numbers and once visitors are allowed back the number will be limited. Trusted servant for safe landing never made the meeting so there is a need for a trusted servant for this facility. 6 facilities are meeting face to face. Reeves house is requesting that the chair and any person who goes there to share be fully vaccinated.

**LITERATURE:** Order was placed. Total Sub 952.82; tax 60.63, total 1013.45

**NDACNA:** NDACNA met on Saturday 9/11 for its second review/revision of the NDACNA guidelines. The next meeting is scheduled for 10/2 @ 2pm and reports will continue to be provided to the Admin and ASC. They are working diligently to have the Guidelines in place for the new host committee and for the upcoming convention.

**NEWSLETTER: NONE**

**WEBSITE:** The North Dade Area website has been updated and is stable now. The BMLT is operating fine. All B/M and in person meeting information can be found on the website at northdadearea.org.

**2<sup>nd</sup> TREASURER'S REPORT:** Treasure's report attached.

**NEW BUSINESS:** Motion made by Blanca C. to move the ASC back to Zoom until January 2022. Motion was 2<sup>nd</sup> by Soothing Sunday. 2 pros and 2 cons were heard. Motion failed.

**NOMINATIONS AND ELECTIONS:** Janet C. was unanimously voted in as Vice Chair of ASC. Latoiya G. was voted in as NDACNA Chair; 20/21. Willie C. was unanimously voted in as Vice Chair of NDACNA.

**OPEN FORUM:** Blanca C. read submission from Breakfast Club: "We have been meeting over 30 years and are a part of North Dade Area. Most of our group members are over 65, and most have some kind of health issues. At the start of the pandemic, we went on zoom and have met there regularly since the start. At few months ago, we started to meet hybrid until Covid started to spike again and we went back to zoom only. The North Dade area minutes from last month say we will be dropped from roll call if we do not show up to area. This is not acceptable. THE AREA IS THERE TO SERVE THE GROUPS. We do not understand how people can be penalized and forced into putting their health at risk. We are making a motion to go back to zoom or hybrid for now and to revisit this in January. For now, we have no one willing to go to area service in person. This is group conscious from The Breakfast Club. Be Safe Nancy N-D.

**CLOSING OF SESSION:** SERENITY PRAYER; NEXT ASC DATE OF 08/08/2021 ANNOUNCED