Reason & Recovery GSR Report District 17 // Area 93 // Panel 75 Jun 2, 2025 D17 Meeting

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Bullet Points:

- D17 is reviewing their guidelines (to better line-up Area 93).
- Area Delegate Report (Rudy) is available, added to R2BSChat.
- Safety in AA meetings, Youtube shared to R2 Safety Committee.

Area & District Service Positions: ATTENDANCE (present have a 💟)

Camille - D17 Alt DCM (Bad Girls Club)

Christopher C - D17 DCM, Archives (We Are Responsible Group)

Kristina O'N - D17 Treasurer (sunrise sunset GSR &) - V

Lindsay P - D17 Registrar (Growing Into Ladies)

Marcus W - D17 Secretary & Website (Reason and Recovery Group)

MEETING START:

5:45 PM Meeting called to order by DCM with Serenity Prayer 5:30 PM Camille and Christopher were available for orientation - Tuesday & Robert were new

Introductions around the room - fun fact

Contact List: Attached to the Agenda. Please add your information if it is missing.

June AA birthdays: Robert (3 years on June 23rd)! Yay!

District Officer, Committee, & Liaison Reports:

Concept Presentation — Amy H concept 6 presentation. Concept 7 - Deidra in July

David P (Central Office): Not present.

Officer Reports:

- Secretary Report: Marcus shared and reviewed. moved to approve; 2nd, minutes approved.
- Registrar report Lindsey not present, no report. Registrar is the liaison between groups and GSO in NY.

- Treasurer report May treasury report: \$355.13 collected, approved PRAASA in April (paid in May, to including Mileage, \$2,110.04). \$17,897.88 grand total in treasury. Question on donations, as to how often (monthly, quarterly, etc.). There is a difference between contributing to District, Area, GSO, Central Office (4 arms). She is still wanting to reach out to the area registrar to get the master list to compare group information.
- Alt DCM Report Camille ALT DCM report: Went to Area 93 Assembly in May Allowed to give opinions on Living Sober, guidelines, PLBB, updates etc. Some decisions were made, reference minutes were sent to GSRs.
- DCM Report Chris (DCM) did attend Area 93 assembly in Bakersfield with Camille. Great assembly, nice 2 hour PPT form delegate from GS Conference in NY (Info was shared with GSRs before the meeting). Finances were a hot-button issue in the Area, issues from last panel to this panel. o not being recorded. They wanted to donate to a hospitality room at the International Conf, heated discussion. Debate went on until the time ran out. Harold B took Nov assembly, we can only host August or after Nov. Chris talked with Oscar (D16 DCM), it seems to be that a High School will be the best bet, Erica is helping to do the paperwork. Will submit after June 14th (after DCM sharing meeting). Still need to come up with the Food, \$1250 for the venue and 1250 for food, paid by Area. Noel offered to help with the mountain of paperwork. Chris is trying to plan for a higher attended event, thinking 150-160 people...need a venue, Sunday August 17th.

Committee Reports:

- Guidelines Area has new guidelines that were approved last year, we have been updating our district guidelines to mirror them and update them (21 years old). All guidelines changes require 2 votes to adopt. Reviewed where we left off last time. Motion to add District officers to guidelines under attendance, adopted. Item 5, Page 11 changes to verbiage. Motion to approve, 2nd, Passes for 1st vote (will need another vote to adopt it). Discussion again on the amounts for GSA reimbursement amounts and language around that. Discussion on whether to use GSA or other means to and whether or not DCM and/or ALT DCM both get funded. Kristina asked to add discussion to mileage amounts (Area guidelines are confusing).
- Archives Christopher. Still looking for a place. Archives traveling display is available upon request to any group that would like to host it. Should we have a District 17 archives? Our regional Districts are only 25 years old, any flyers or other items you want archived? Bring it to the archivist. Discuss next month more, we would need a district archivist.
- CPC Chris C, "talk to your doctor" program (talk about the meeting guide app). CPC became a conduit for AA, most important thing is the meeting guide app to show doctors. Shared card and pamphlet.
- Web-site no update, please send Marcus any changes or updates.
- Literature Amy H: No report yet, audio wasn't working for Area Assembly and she could not attend the literature committee on zoom. Will try again next time.
- Intergroup David, did not attend.

- H & I No report.
- Finance Kristina is on the finance committee for Area. Still need to establish a committee for D17, will readdress when Lindsey is present..
- <u>Need committee chairs</u> (Grapevine, Public Information/Accessibilities, Seniors in Sobriety, Translation, etc.). We need people to help.

Old Business:

- Same as last month: A place for hosting an area assembly, working with D16. Needs a hall for 150 people, needs to have food service, 2-3 break-out rooms, etc.
- Any ideas around District 17 events, bowling BBQ, workshop, etc. any ideas send to Chris and lets discuss.

New Business:

- Finance committee discussion. Kristina reiterated a finance committee, wait for Lindsey to attend next month and will circle back to discuss later.
- GSR recruiting how to get more GSRs (Simmie)? Share the latest flyer in your groups.

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New GSR's — please complete Group Information Change Form. Send it to Lindsay P — lindsaypennington@gmail.com.

Announcements for the Good and Welfare of AA:

- Class A Trustee Opening! Anyone as a Class A (non-AA)
- Military Veterans Interview Project. Interviews <u>aa.org/military</u>. To volunteer <u>militaryoutreach@aa.org</u>.
- Group Histories: https://www.aa.org/sites/default/files/literature/en_oralhistorieskit.pdf
- Inter-Area Remote Communities Working Group (IARCWG) meeting fist Sunday of each month online 10am PST. Zoom ID: 935 567 510 Password: 381612

Upcoming Dates of Interest: refer to www.area93.org and www.district17aa.com

- 4 Area DCM Sharing (DCM or Alt DCM) Agua Dulce Women's Club 33201 AGUA DULCE CANYON RD AGUA DULCE, CA 91390. June 14th.
- Area Budget Meeting, Sat, June 8th, 9am 2pm, 9767 Laurel Canyon Rd, Pacoima, 91331
- Area Committee Meeting, Sunday July 20th, Agua Dulce Women's Club 33201 AGUA DULCE CANYON RD AGUA DULCE, CA 91390

Closure: Motion to Adjourn, at 7:21pm PT