## MEETING MINUTES DISTRICT 1 - http://districtone-nv.org September 9, 2023

- The meeting was held at Tonapah, NV Sept. 9, 2023.
  Chaired by Lou. He opened with the Serenity Prayer and the GSR Preamble.
- II Minutes (Diane O.)
  Carol emailed the August minutes to everyone. Motion made to accept the August Minutes. Motion passed unanimously.
- Treasurer (Ralph W.) Ralph reported the following:
  Total monies received:
  (contributions: \$406.61 + Anonymous: \$150.00 + 7<sup>th</sup> tradition: \$36.00+ Workshop 7<sup>th</sup> tradition \$75.14-District and Workshop expenses \$ 209.02) = \$458.73

  Checking Account of \$3,298.65 Current Savings Account balance is \$1,456.14
- DCM report (Louis P.)Good Afternoon, my name is Lou and I am your alcoholic District One DCM.I'm going to keep this really short. The District will be hosting a workshop titled GSR Roundtable. Jake (our Area 42 Delegate), Libby (Our SAGSC Secretary and everything else) and Dano (our SAGSC GSR Trainer). With those speakers we'll learn everything we need to know about how to be the best GSR. It will be December 10<sup>th</sup> at Central Office. There is a flyer ... please take a few.The Districts annual fellowship picnic is coming up next month. Volunteers are needed... please see Bobby. We also have flyers... please take some.

Our next business meeting will be Sunday, October 15<sup>th</sup> in Boulder City at 10:15.

Any questions about this or anything else please don't hesitate to contact me. My phone number is 702-684-1776 and email is louis@sunrise-marketing.com.

- ADCM report (DaNella K.) Good morning. My name is DaNella. I am an alcoholic and the alternate DCM for District One. So excited that I'm here in person at the area 42 assembly as it was uncertain if I was going to be able to attend. God's plan was for me to be present-so here I am. I've been attending for 6 years now, and my growth in service has been very rewarding. I have been assisting the translation committee with my "poor Spanish skills"; hence anyone can volunteer to help. We are here to be of service, and with that I witnessed in action a great service being done by one of our GSR's. I wanted to take a minute to give a big "Thank You" to Christine P. for her commitment visiting meetings with GSR's not in attendance to our meeting and seeing what can be done to change this. She has really put her heart in this. In closing, it is my privilege and with gratitude to be serving as your Alt. DCM.
- VI Intros and Group reports.

On **ZOOM**: Kim W. (H&I), Brenda L. (GSR) Valerie C. (Alt GSR), Alfredo M. (GSR), Peggy L. (Alt Treasurer), Kendall L. (Alt GSR)

**PRESENT**: Karinda R. (GSR), Christine P. (GSR), Danielle T. (GSR), Bobby F (GSR, Picnic), Diana M. (Archives) Lou P (DCM), Mike S (Intergroup Liaison, GSR) Ralph W. (Treasurer), Kevin L. (GSR, Workshops), John B (GSR), DaNella K. (Alt DCM), Libby G. (SAGSC Secretary, etc), Matt K. (GSR), Diane O. (GSR, D1 Alt. Sec), Jake S. (Delegate), Tom H. (GSR), Mike D. (GSR), Mike L. (Alt GSR), Randy G. (Alt GSR), John L. (DCMC)

- VII Committee reports
  - A. Picnic report (Bobby F.) Bobby reported that volunteers are still needed for the Picnic Saturday, October 14<sup>th</sup> at Broadbent Park, Boulder City.

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B. Workshops – (Kevin L.)

The "GSR Roundup" Workshop will be on Sunday December 10 from 1-3 pmat LV central office. Speakers will be Jake, Dano and Libby. We will be inviting GSR's, future GSR's and anyone interested in general service from all of our Las Vegas districts.

C. Archives Liaison – (Diana M)

The Archivist arrives every Saturday morning to Central Office and continues to organize and update the Area 42 Archives Room from 9:30 to 11 a.m. His up-to-date report will be delivered during the Area Assembly this weekend. Ronnie D. is always looking for volunteers to help him out. For more information call the LV Central Office: 702-598-1888.

D. H & I (Kimberly W.) -

I have no report at this time, the next H&I committee meeting will be Tuesday, September 19th at 6pm. Orientation starts at 5:30pm located at central office, thank you,

E. Grapevine (Ruthie B.) –September 4, 2023 the grapevine and LaViña apps are LIVE you can download the apps for free from the Apple App Store for iPhone or google play for android to learn more visit www.aagrapevine.org/apps

Want to help another alcoholic? Carry the Message Project! Grapevine and LaViña are great 12th. Step tools. To learn more visit www.aagrapevine.org/carry-the-message. September:

Young & Sober stories of hope from those who entered into sobriety early in life.

Newest podcast (Season 5. Episode 10)

Discussion on article "The Junkyard." in the September issue.

Podcast@aagrapevine.org

- F. Hotline (Paul H.) Hotline for District One is the second Sunday of each month from 8pm Sunday night to 8am Monday morning. The hotline is going well!!
- G. PI/CPC (Bob V) No Report
- H. Intergroup (Mike S.) –Report will be separately distributed after Monday's Sept. 11, 2023 Intergroup meeting. SEE PAGE 4
- I. Accessibilities Liaison (Diana M.)

Our Chairperson, Joan R., will be giving an in-depth report during the Area 42 Assembly this weekend. The mission of the Southern Area 42 Accessibilities Committee is to remove access barriers that any alcoholic may experience. That includes physical and mental obstacles as well as barriers of culture and language. One of our local projects is the Meetings to Go service for the Southern Area. This service helps match Alcoholics who are physically unable to attend in-person meetings with volunteers from our Meeting To Go service roster. Flyers for this service have been prepared in English and Spanish as we hope to include bilingual volunteers willing to reach our Spanish-speaking members in need of this service. The flyer has a QR code linking to a page on the LV Central Office website where volunteers or requestors information can be collected. You can also find the link by going directly to our website: <a href="https://location.org">location.org</a>

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This committee also offers other services: wheelchairs and walkers, BB and 12x12 in Braille. DVDs of the BB & the 12x12 in American Sign Language. If you wish to join us, we get together via Zoom at 7pm on the last Monday of the month. Our next meeting will be held Sept. 25, 2023. Zoom code 833 0643 2784 Passcode: handofaaOr call the LV Central Office

VIII Tradition Summary

Peggy L. reported on Tradition 9. Ruthie B. will present Tradition 10 next month.

IX Concept Summary

Bobby F. reported on Concept 9. Danielle T. will present Concept 10 next month.

- X Passed the basket for the 7<sup>th</sup> Tradition.
- XI Old Business None.
- XII New Business Ronnie D. Presented a great slide show presentation on the position of Archivist.

John L. DCMC, announced a Service Festival October 22, 2023 1:00-4:00 pm. at Central Office titled "Service What Is in It for Me?" Speaker will be Greg M.

John would like all Districts have a service table set up at the event. Time will be allotted for each District to speak on upcoming events. Also, a profound story of service to share at the podium would be welcomed.

John requested all Districts, that are able, contribute towards the event.

Lastly, John introduced the idea that District One considers including other Districts in future events.

XIII Meeting closed 12:55pm.

Next meeting: October 15, 2023, 10:15am at Lost & Found, 544 Avenue H. Boulder City, NV

Below is my Intergroup report. Mike S

- 1) Central Office reported there is a vacant hotline position available on Friday, 8am to 12pm.
- 2) CPC reported a presentation will be made for the Nevada Army National Guard on Saturday, November 4th, from 8am to 10am. Those interested should have a minimum of one year sobriety. Military service is a plus, but not required. Location specifics will be shared with those individual volunteers.
- 3) Grapevine reported that they will be attending training for the new app. The app is now available for free download. Subscription rates for the digital download of the Grapevine is \$2.99/month or \$29.99/year. Lots of features are available on the app, including the ability to access previous issues. Grapevine will be attending the October 8th District 5B picnic, the October 22nd SAGSC Service Assembly, and the November 23-26 LV RoundUp. Volunteers are needed.
- 4) Gratitude Ball reported that all chairpersons and volunteers are ready to go for the event. The Ball is restricted to 380 in attendance. Special room rates are available.
- 5) The Service Festival will be held on Sunday, October 22nd, from 1pm to 4pm at the Central Office.
- 6) District 5B will be having a picnic on October 8th at Wayne Bunker Park.
- 7) H&I reported that a December workshop is being planned, but no set date yet. Volunteers are always welcome to attend an orientation prior to the regular business meetings. The business meetings are the 3rd Tuesday of the month at 6pm. Orientation starts at 5:30pm.
- 8) RoundUp reported that the QR Code makes for an easy connection to the RoundUp website. They are still looking for a future venue. The following marathon meetings need a group host: Friday 1am, 2am, 3am; Sunday 2am, 3am.
- 9) Hotline is doing well. All positions are filled.
- 10) The PI/CPC Workshop on October 4th will have Spanish interpretation available and Al-Anon members are welcome.
- 11) Accessibilities reported that the "Meetings To Go" program supports AA members who can't get to a meeting due to health reasons. The current goal is to recruit veterans as volunteers to assist fellow AA members who are veterans. Accessibilities is actively engaged with the Spanish-speaking community by creating bilingual flyers. Accessibilities is seeking ways to secure funding for an American Sign Language (ASL) interpreter to enhance accessibility for a weekly in-person meeting.
- 12) SLVRSTRK has a new editor, Tim. There are currently 250 subscribers. AA members can subscribe on the website. There is a SLVRSTRK link on the Central Office website. The deadline for submissions for the September issue is Friday, September 15th. Submissions can be made on the SLVRSTRK link or at Timothy.Seavy@gmail.com
- 13) LVYPAA reported that the "Breakfast before Personalities", all-you-can-eat breakfast will be held at the Triangle Club on September 23rd at 9am. A donation of \$20 is requested. The "Scavenger Hunt" will be held October 28th, 2pm to 7pm at the TIE Club. Costumes are encouraged!
- 14) Old Business: and it is getting old...a committee is formed to explore the unification of the Outreach and Unity committees.
- 15) New Business: The Service Festival requested a maximum of \$300 funding for the food, prizes, and printing of materials. The body passed the motion.