

Curtis B. opened RSC with Serenity Prayer , Fran read Traditions.. Previous minutes were read and passed. Introduction were made. There were 8 voting members present.

TREASURERS REPORT: SEE ATTACHED

RSR REPORT: GIVEN OUT AT THE RSC
ALT RSR : NO WRITTEN REPORT SUBMITTED
POLICY SUBCOMMITTEE: SEE ATTACHED
P.I. SUBCOMMITTEE: SEE ATTACHED
H. & I. SUBCOMMITTEE: SEE ATTACHED
ACTIVITIES SUBCOMMITTEE: SEE ATTACHED
CONVENTION COMMITTEE: NO WRITTEN REPORT
LITERATURE SUBCOMMITTEE: SEE ATTACHED

AREA'S REPRESENTED

CENTRAL KANSAS AREA: DAN M. ALT.ASR - SEE ATTACHED REPORT
FELLOWSHIP FOR FREEDOM: JOE J. ASR: SEE ATTACHED REPORT
JUST FOR TODAY AREA: LAURA M. (TEMP.) ASR ALT.: NO WRITTEN REPORT
OZ AREA: RANDY R. ASR SEE ATTACHED REPORT
S.E. TRADITIONS AREA: JERRY HARE (TEMP.) ASR : SEE ATTACHED REPORT
UNITY AREA: LAURA M. ASR SEE ATTACHED REPORT
WESTERN AREA: JIM R. ASR SEE ATTACHED REPORT
WICHITA METRO AREA: BRENT K. ASR SEE ATTACHED REPORT

P.O. BOX REPORT: NO WRITTEN REPORT SUBMITTED

OLD BUSINESS:

THERE IS STILL MUCH DISCUSSION ON THE ABSTENTION ISSUE. (SEE MAY AND AUGUST MINUTES)
IT WAS DECIDED AT THIS REGIONAL MTG. TO TABLE THE ISSUE UNTIL POLICY COMMITTEE WORK ON THIS.

ABSTENTIONS WILL COUNT AS NO VOTE UNTIL CLARIFICATION IS MADE.....

MOTIONS FROM AUGUST 19th REGIONAL MTG. TO BE VOTED ON AT 11-18-89 REGIONAL

BRENT K. MADE A MOTION TO KEEP THE JULY 4th CAMP OUT AT A PERMANENT LOCATION: 3 for 5 against
POLICY MOTION: ALL FUTURE RSC OFFICERS MUST RESIDE IN THE MID-AMERICA-REGION: 5 for 3 against
POLICY MOTION: ALL RE-ELECTIONS OF RSC OFFICERS BE TAKEN BACK TO THE GROUPS BEFORE RE-ELECTIO
OCCURS. 1 FOR 7 AGAINST MOTION DID NOT PASS.

MOTION MADE FOR RSR TERM BE FOR 2 YEARS. 4 in favor 4 against: CHAIRPERSON ADVISED POLICY
COMMITTEE TO TAKE THIS BACK TO THE COMMITTEE: MOTION TABLED TO POLICY:

NOMINATIONS FOR RSC TREASURER: JEFF M. VOLUNTEERED WITH THE STIPULATION THAT HE NOT TAKE TH
OVER UNTIL HIS LITERATURE CHAIR TERM IS UP. PAT SAID HE DIDN'T THINK THIS WOULD BE A
PROBLEM. JEFF QUALIFIED HIMSELF. VOTE 6 for 1 against 1 abstention. JEFF NEW RSC TREASURER
MOTION MADE THIS RSC TREASURER TERM START AT THE BEGINNING OF THE YEAR. MOTION PASSED
ANY DONATIONS NED TO BE MAILED TO THE REGIONAL P.O. BOX

RSC SECRETARY NOMINATION: JERRY H. VOLUNTEERED FOR THIS POSITION, MOTION PASSED.

MOTION FROM P.I. SUBCOMMITTEE: REQUESTING \$127.00 FOR UPDATING REGIONAL MTG. LIST AN ADDITONAL \$50.00 for type set changes. THESE WILL BE DISTRIBUTED AT THE NEXT RSC.

LORI H. REQUESTED 68.25 FOR RSC MINUTES. MOTION MADE AND PASSED.

JOHN B . MADE A MOTION WE SEND WSC \$750.00 PAT M. 2nd - 7 for 1 opposed. MOTION PASSED

LITERATURE COMMITTEE MADE A MOTION TO KEEP THE NEWSLETTER A COMMITTEE EFFORT: PASSED

JEFF M NOMINATED LAURA M. AS NEWSLETTER EDITOR (ALTHOUGH SHE WAS NOT PRESENT AT THE GENERAL BUS. MTG. SHE QUALIFIED HERSELF IN THE LIT. SUBCOMMITTEE MTG.) BRENT K. 2nd 8 in favor. CONGRATULATIONS LAURA M. FROM WICHITA

JEFF M. MADE A MOTION FOR NEWSLETTER EDITOR TO HAVE A KEY TO THE P O BOX. 2nd and PASSED

JEFF M MADE A MOTION : NEWSLETTER SUBSCRIPTIONS TO INCREASE FROM \$6.00 to \$8.00 EFFECTIVE JANUARY 1990 (SEE LIT. REPORT) 2nd AND PASSED.

JEFF M. MADE A MOTION FOR THE RSC TO ABSORB ALL SHIPPING AND HANDLING COST OF SERVICE HANDBOOKS (LAST ORDER \$9.24) THIS WILL ALSO BE FOR ALL FUTURE ORDERS. 2nd and PASSED

JEFF M. MADE A MOTION : ALL SUBCOMMITTEE CHAIRS RECEIVE WSC AGENDA REPORT AT THE REGIONALS EXPENSE. MOTION 2nd AND PASSED 7 for 1 opposed. THESE WILL BE AVAILABLE IN JANUARY

PAT M. WILL SEND ORDER TO WSC FOR 6 BOOKS (POSSIBLY \$66.00)

MOTION FROM POLICY: CONVENTION COMMITTEE BECOME A STANDING SUBCOMMITTEE: 2nd AND PASSED

ACTIVITIES COMM. : ALL REGIONAL ACT. FLYERS BE INCLUDED IN NEWSLETTER: 2nd AND PASSED

MOTION FROM POLICY: TO BE VOTED ON AT THE NEXT RSC: GUIDELINES OF THE MID-AMERICA REGIONAL SERVICE COMMITTEE OF NARCOTICS ANONYMOUS. ARTICLES I THRU IV D. SEE ATTACHED PAGES

WSO NEEDS UPDATED INFO ON RSC AND AREA TRUSTED SERVANTS.

CURTIS B. HAD A QUESTION ON THE FLYERS FROM THE P.O. BOX - IT WAS SUGGESTED HE BRING THEM TO THE RSC MTGS. AND PASS THEM AROUND

CURTIS HAD A QUESTION ABOUT WHO TO SEND AGENDAS TO . IT WAS DECIDED TO SEND THEM TO RSR, ALT RSR, RSR SECRETARY, ALL SUBCOMMITTEE CHAIRS, RSR TREASURER AND AREA ASR OR ALT ASR.

JOHN B. SUGGESTED WE FIND A CENTRAL LOCATION FOR WORK ON THE CONFERENCE AGENDA REPORT THE 10th OF MARCH.

SCHEDULE OF SUBCOMMITTEE: IT WAS MENTIONED THERE IS A CONFLICT OF CONVENTION AND OTHER SUBCOMMITTEES: JEFF M. MADE A MOTION WE KEEP ACT. AND H.I AT ONE TIME AND LITERATURE AND P.I. AT THE SAME TIME (ROTATING TIME SLOTS EVERY OTHER RSC) THE CONVENTION COMMITTEE WOULD BE AT ITS OWN TIME FOR EX. 10:00 to 12:00 MOTION PASSED TO ROTATE TIME SLOTS

LAURA M. (SALINA) MADE A MOTION TO KEEP KANSAS CITY ON THE MEETING LISTS. MUCH DISCUSSION THERE WERE SEVERAL MOTIONS AND AMENDMENTS MADE: MOTION TO KEEP ONLY MID-AM MEETINGS: NO 2nd MOTION TO KEEP K.C. MTGS ON ONLY IF THERE WAS ENOUGH ROOM. NO SECOND. MOTION TO LIST KANSAS CITY HELPLINE NUMBER ON REGIONAL MTG. LIST 2nd 3 for 5 against MOTION FAILED.

ANITA J. SUGGESTED WE TAKE THIS BACK TO OUR AREAS.

PAT M. MADE A MOTION WE PUBLISH REGIONAL MEETING LIST WITH CURRENT UPDATES. 2nd and PASSED.

HATS !!!! DISCUSSION ON HOW MUCH TO SELL THE LEFT OVER HATS FROM THE CONVENTION IN 1988 (WE JUST RECEIVED THEM FROM THE SUPPLIER) DON MADE A MOTION WE SELL THEM FOR \$5.00 seconded. MUCH DISCUSSION 3 for 5 against. MOTION FAILED

LAURA M. MADE A MOTION WE SELL THE HATS FOR \$7.00 2nd * AMENDED TO \$7.00 JUST FOR TONIGHT MOTION VOTED ON 7 against 1 for. MOTION FAILED.

MOTION TO LEAVE THE HATS UP TO THE CONVENTION COMMITTEE : 2nd AND PASSED.

MOTION TO CLOSE: 2nd AND NO DISCUSSION

NEXT RSC: FEBRUARY 18th AMERICAN LEGION SCOTT CITY KS. SEE ATTACHED FLYER:

NOTE FROM SECRETARY: THIS POSITION HAS BEEN SOME WHAT CHALLENGING TO MAINTAIN MY SERENITY IN THE MIDDLE OF ALL THE (let's see what's a nice word for sense less arguing) debating BUT FOR THE MOST PART I'VE LEARNED AND GROWN FROM THE SERVICE POSITION AS I HOPE TO FROM ALL EXPERIENCES PUT IN FRONT OF ME. THANK YOU FOR LETTING ME SERVE, IN LOVING SERVICE,

LORI H.

RSC SECRETARY

AREA REPORTS:

CENTRAL KANSAS: CENTRAL KANSAS SEEMS TO BE HAVING IT'S SHARE OF HARD TIMES. BUT WHERE THERE IS PAIN THERE IS GAIN. WITH HELP OF OUR H.P. WE WILL PULL BACK TOGETHER AND GROW FROM THIS. THE GREAT BEND GROUP IS HAVING ANNUAL CHILI FEED DEC. 2nd 4:30 TILL CLOSING AT THE KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS, ELLINWOOD KS, THIS IS A FUND RAISER FOR THE 1990 CONVENTION THEY HAVE ALSO HAD A GUEST SPEAKER, AN INMATE FROM THE ELLSWORTH PRISON, WITH AROUND 60 ADDICTS ATTENDING. OUR AREA P.I. HAS PUT ON SEVERAL PROGRAMS FOR SOME OF THE SCHOOLS IN OUR AREA. THIS HAS CAUSED ALOT OF MIXED EMOTIONS WITH OUR AREA. SOME FEEL EVERYTHING WEENT OK WHILE OTHERS FEEL WE MOVED TOFAST. GOD ONLY KNOWS WHO IS RIGHT. BUT IT IS TIME TO SLOW DOWN AND TAKE A LOOK AT WHAT WE CAN IMPROVE. THERE HAS BEEN SOME CHANGES IN OUR AREA. PAM B. HAS STEPPED DOWN FROM THE AREA CHAIR AND TODD S. HAS MOVED UP TO AREA&BRAD S. HAS MOVED IN TO THE AREA CO CHAIR. PAM IS STILL OUR ASR AND DAN M. is THE NEW ASR ALT. WE DO HAVE A DONATION OF \$75.00 TO THE REGION. DAN M. ALT ASR

FELLOWSHIP FOR FREEDOM: OUR AREA DECIDED TO DISSOLVE OUR LIT. COMMITTEE. WE SOLD THE REMAINING KEY TAGS AND DONATED THE PAMPHLETS TO H.&I. NO ONE HAS EXPRESSED AN INTEREST TO BE THE LIT. CHAIR. OUR AREAS CURRENTLY ENTERTAINING THE IDEA TO HAVE AN AREA NEWSLETTI AND THIS WILL BE VOTED ON NEXT WEEK. OUR ACTIVITIES COMMITTEE IS MEETING WITH THE REGIONAL CAMP OUT COMMITTEE WE ARE SPLITTING ALL THE PROCEEDS 50/50 FOR THE AREA CAMPOUT AND REGIONAL CAMPOUT. WE ARE HAVING A GIFT EXCHANGE DANCE CALLED "A GIFT OF RECOVERY" ON DEC 16th SANTA ATTENDS OUR FELLOWSHIP AND WILL BE THERE. H.&I. AND P.I. HAVE A NEED FOR MORE PARTICIPANTS AS WELL AS SOME OF THE GROUPS. I AM ASKING THAT IF ANYONE HERE OR IN THE REGION THAT WOULD BE INTERESTED IN HELPING WITH THE REGIONAL CAMPOUT NEXT YEAR, PLEASE CONTACT GLEN S. OR MYSELF. IN SERVICE WITH GRATITUDE, JOE J.

OZ AREA: WE ARE HAVING GROWING PAINS IN OZ AREA. IT SEEMS THE SAME PEOPLE ARE THE ONLY WILLING TO SERVE AND THEY ARE TRYING TO COVER A LOT OF GROUND. AND MONEY IS ALWAYS A PROBLEM. FIVE GROUPS WERE REPRESENTED AT THE LAST AREA MEETING. A LOT OF PLANNING IS GOING ON FOR FEB. 17th RSC IN SCOTT CITY FOR A LIST OF MEETING AND TIMES FOR OZ

AREA REPORTS CONTINUED:

AREA CALL 1-913-4NA-MEET. IN LOVING SERVICE RANDY R. OZ ASR

SOUTHEAST TRADITIONS: OUR AREA IS GROWING WITH EACH MONTH. WE HAD 2 NEW GROUPS JOIN OUR AREA SINCE THE LAST REGIONAL MEETING. THE NEW DIMENSIONS GROUP OF COFFEYVILLE AND THE NEW ATTITUDES GROUP OF PARSONS, KS. OUR AREA NOW INCLUDES A TOTAL OF FIVE GROUPS. WE FORMED OUR FIRST SUBCOMMITTEE IN OCTOBER LISA K. FROM PITTSBURG WAS ELECTED POLICY CHAIRPERSON AND STEVE F. FROM COFFEYVILLE WAS ELECTED VICE-CHAIR/SEC. WE HELD OUR FIRST POLICY SUBCOMMITTEE MEETING ON NOV.11 WE HAVE A NUMBER OF PEOPLE INTERESTED IN POLICY AND OTHER SUBCOMMITTEES. THERE ARE FIVE PEOPLE FROM OUR AREA AT THE REGIONAL TODAY, SEEKING INFORMATION ON THE DIFFERENT COMMITTEES. WE ARE DISCUSSING HAVING AN AREA FUND RAISIER, BUT HAVE NOT MADE ANY DECISIONS ON WHEN OR WHERE. WE HAVE \$60.36 IN OUR AREA TREASURE AT THIS TIME. WE REGRET NOT BEING ABLE TO DONATED TO THE REGION. IN LOVING SERVICE, RUTH M. ASR

UNITY AREA REPORT: AS OF OUR LAST AREA MEETING P.I. IS GOING STRONG. WE SHARED A LOT OF IDEAS AND WE ARE FORMING A DRIVE FOR BASICS TEXTS TO PRISONS AND OTHER PLACES. WE ELECTED A NEW H.I. CHAIR JIM M. FROM SALINA. DUE TO HIS NEW POSITION, HE IS RESIGNING FROM HIS ALT. ASR POSITION. THE AREA SPONSORED A FREE HALLOWEEN DANCE. OCT 28TH AND IT WENT VERY WELL. WE ARE TENTATIVELY PLANNING A WORKSHOP ON THE 12 CONCEPTS FOR SOME TIME IN MARCH FLYERS WILL BE COMING. OUR AREA HAS BEEN EXPERIENCING GROWING PAINS OVER POLICY THAT HAS BEEN SET AND THEN FOLLOWING THE POLICY. WE ARE GIVING THE REGION \$75.00 BUT I WASN'T GIVEN THE CHECK SO I WILL MAIL IT TO PAT. IN LOVING SERVICE LAURA M.

WESTERN AREA: OUR AREA IN STARTING TO GROW STRONG. WE HAVE 3 NEW GROUPS IN THE AREA. One IS IN ENSIGN KS. WHICH MEETS ON SAT. NIGHTS AT 8:00 P.M. MONTAZUMA KS. WHICH MEETS ON MONDAYS AT 8:00 P.M. AND BUCKLIN KS. MEETS THURSDAY AT 7:30 P.M. THE DODGE CITY GROUPS HAVE STARTED A PHONELINE WHICH GIVES MEETING TIMES AND PLACES AND GIVES OTHER ACTIVITIES GOING ON AROUND DODGE CITY. THE NUMBER IS 316-227-2211 H.I. WORK IS STILL GOING STRONG AROUND THE AREA. WE JUST ELECTED A NEW P.I. CHAIR AND HOPE TO GET SOME PI WORK STARTED SOON. IN THE AREA WEHAVE RAISED \$400.00 TO GO TO THE CONVENTION FUND AND PLAN TO DO MORE SOON. ALL AND ALL THINGS ARE GOING WELL IN THE WESTERN AREA. IN LOVING SERVICE JIM R. ASR

WICHITA METRO AREA: WE HAVE 2 NEW TOWNS JOINING OUR AREA WITH NA MEETINGS: VALLEY CENTER AND KINGMAN. WE ARE HAVING AN ON GOING PROBLEM WITH A LARGE GROUP IN WICHITA HAVING PROBLEMS WITH SLIP SIGNING(FOR COURTS, PO's ETC..) BECAUSE SOME PEOPLE ARE FORCED (SO TO SPEAK)TO ATTEND NA, THEY DON'T CARE WHAT THEY SAY OR DO AND BECOME DISRUPTIVE TO TO THE GROUPS. THERE IS A MOTION TO BE VOTED ON AT OUR NEXT AREA THAT CLOSED MEETINGS WILL NOT SIGN THE SLIPS AND IF PASSED LETTERS WILL GO TO ALL PEOPLE (COURTS, PO'S ETC) TO LET THEM KNOW THIS. THE PHONELINE WILL BE CHANGED ALSO AT OUR NEXT ASC. SOME OF THE SMALLER TOWNS OUTSIDE WICHITA HAVEN'T BEEN REPRESENTED AT OUR ASC SO WE HAVEN'T HAD A COMPLETE AREA CONSCIENCE FOR SOME TIME. ALL SUBCOMMITTEES OF OUR AREA ARE FUNCTIONING AND AS ALWAYS, LACK OF SUPPORT. BRENT K. ASR

SUBCOMMITTEE REPORTS:

PUBLIC INFORMATION:

P.I. WORKSHOP COLORADO REPORT ON WESTERN STATES LEARNING DAY:

I LEARNED SO MANY THINGS AT THE WORKSHOP IN COLORADO: I WILL SHARE BRIEFLY THE IDEAS AND CONCERNS SPEAKERS HAD WHILE SHARING.

1. ROTATING PSA FOR RADIO AND TV SEEM TO WORK THE BEST. IF YOUR AREA CAN AFFORD IT. BEING ABLE TO TAKE A DIFFERENT PSA TO A TV STATION OR RADIO EVERY 2 OR 3 MONTHS KEEPS THE STATION ACTIVE. PLUS THIS KEEPS US IN CONTACT AND WE GET TO KNOW THE PERSON WHO IS IN CHARGE AND THEY ARE MORE APT TO SHOW THE PSA.

P.I. CON'T

2. AT SMALLER TOWNS RADIO STATIONS ARE MORE APT TO READ PSA FROM A SCRIPT RATHER THAN PLAY A TAPE. YOU CAN FIND THESE SCRIPTS IN THE PI HAND BOOK OR ORDER THEM FROM THE WORLD.
3. FOLLOW THRU WAS BROUGHT UP A LOT. IT MAKES THE DIFFERENCE TO CALL THE PLACE WHERE YOU ARE GOING TO MAIL P.I. INFO & FIND A CONTACT PERSON. IF THERE IS NO PLAN FOR A FOLLOW UP THEN IT IS BEST NOT TO DO THE PROJECT UNTIL THERE IS THE WILLINGNESS OR FUNDS. WHEN THERE IS NO FOLLOW THRU THE PROJECT IS NOT SUCCESSFUL AND COULD GIVE NA A BAD REPUTATION.
4. WHEN PLACING POSTERS CHOOSE A POSTER THAT STANDS OUT AND WILL NOT FADE FROM THE SUN. YOU CAN ALSO MAKE FLYERS WITH 8 1/2 X 11 PAPER AND POST 5 or 10 IN ONE PLACE SO A PERSON CAN TAKE THE TOP FLYER AND THERE WILL STILL BE FLYERS LEFT. IT WAS NEAT TO SEE THE VARIOUS POSTERS AND DESIGNS.
5. THERE WAS MUCH DISCUSSION ON GET MEMBERS INVOLVED WITH P.I. I RECEIVED A COPY OF A VOLUNTEER FORM AN AREA USES. THEYPASS THESE FORMS OUT TO MEMBERS IN THEIR GROUPS TO GET WILLINGNESS AND IDEAS. ALSO I HEARD A NEW TERM PIR WHICH MEANS GROUPS CHOOSE A PUBLIC INFORMATION REP. TO CHANNEL IDEAS TO THE AREA P.I. CHAIR.
6. WHEN SPEAKING IN SCHOOLS IT IS GOOD TO KNOW THE AREA. ALSO IT IS VERY IMPORTANT. TO HAVE A GOOD APPEARANCE WITH DRESS AND HAIR. THERE WAS A DISCUSSION UPON AGE OF SPEAKER AND IT SEEMED THAT THE GENERAL CONSENSUS WAS THAT AS LONG AS THEY HAD A GOOD CLEAR MESSAGE IT WAS NOT A BIG ISSUE. A VERY IMPORTANT ISSUE IS NOT TO GET INTO A PERSONAL HISTORY OR WAR STORY. IT WAS ADVISED TO SPEAK VERY BRIEFLY ON HISTORY AND FOCUS MORE ON WHAT NA HAS DONE FOR YOU. ALSO IT WAS SUGGESTED THAT IF THE STUDENTS DID NOT ASK QUESTIONS TO ASK QUESTIONS OF THEM TO GET THE BALL ROLLING. A GOOD WAY TO GET INTO SCHOOLS IS TO SEND A RESPONSE CARD ALONG WITH A COVER LETTER AND AN IP ALSO, IT WAS ADVISED TO GIVE A DISCLAIMER BEFORE YOU SPEAK.

HEALTHFAIRS: IT WAS ADVISED TO TAKE ONLY THE FIRST 5 IP'S AND NOT TO GET INTO PERSONAL ISSUES WITH PEOPLE THAT PASS BY THE BOOTH. ALSO IT IS VERY IMPORTANT THAT OUR NAME STANDS OUT CLEARLY SO PEOPLE KNOW WHO WE ARE. ONE AREA USED THE TAPE THAT HAS ALL 4 OF OUR PSA'S ON IT AND PLAYED IT CONTINUOUSLY. ALSO IT WAS SUGGESTED TO BE SELECTIVE OF PEOPLE WHO ARE CHOSEN TO SET BEHIND THE BOOTH AND TO HAVE LITERATURE FORMS FOR PEOPLE WHO WERE INTERESTED IN ORDERING OTHER LIT. FOLLOW UP WITH THOSE PEOPLE INTERESTED.

8. WHEN SPEAKING WITH PROFESSIONALS BE CAREFUL NOT TO USE JARGON. WE IN THE PROGRAM KNOW WHAT WE MEAN BUT PROFESSIONALS DON'T. ALSO IT IS ADVISED FOR SPEAKERS TO REHEARSE IN FRONT OF PI PANEL AND HAVE AT LEAST 5 CLEAR POINTS AND AN OUTLINE TO GO BY. GET FEEDBACK FROM PANEL. THE BEST WAY TO BECOME A GOOD INFORMED SPEAKER IS TO PRACTICE. DON'T GET INTO PERSONAL STORIES AND IF ASKED TRY TO BRIDGE THE QUESTION. BRIDGING MEANS ANSWERING A QUESTION IN A WAY THAT DOESN'T REALLY ANSWER THE QUESTION. BRIDGING IS WHAT POLITICIANS ARE FAMOUS FOR. AGAIN IF THERE IS NO FOLLOW UP PLAN DON'T DO IT. YOU MAYBE THE ONLY REPRESENTIVE THEY SEE AND IF IT NOT PROFESSIONAL IT DOESNT LOOK GOOD FOR N.A.

9. WHEN WORKING ON THE PHONELINE OR HELP LINE IT IS IMPORTANT TO NOT AFFILIATE WITH OTHER ORGANIZATIONS. WHEN SENDING OR GOING ON TWELVE STEP CALLS ALWAYS HAVE MEN WITH MEN AND WOMEN WITH WOMEN. NEVER GO ALONE. WHEN STARTING UP A PHONE LINE BE SURE YOUR AREA IS PREPARED WITH PEOPLE WHO ARE WILLING TO SERVE. ALSO IT IS ADVISED TO HAVE A WORKSHOP FOR NEW PEOPLE AND REVIEW A GUIDE TO PHONE LINE SERVICE.

WELL FOLKS THIS WAS JUST THE HIGHLIGHTS. FOR FURTHER INFO. READ THE P.I. HANDBOOK OR A GUIDE TO PHONE LINE SERVICE. LAURA M: REGIONAL P.I. CHAIRPERSON

P.I. SUBCOMMITTEE REPORTS:

MEETING OPENED IN USUAL MANNER. LAURA READ REPORT FROM COLORADO WORKSHOP. WESTERN STATES - UTAH NEXT YEARS. IT WAS DISCUSSED CAN KANSAS PUT IN BID FOR 1991 LAURA WILL CALL AND ASK. CALL FROM PITTSBURG PUTTING ON WORKSHOP NEED VOLUNTEERS 2 TOPICS H & P.I. SCHEDULED DEC 2 SELF HELP NETWORK WANTS TO GO STATEWIDE. LETTER FROM DAVID GLEASON.

OLD BUSINESS: UPDATE REGIONAL MEETING LIST. A MOTION TO HAVE 1 YR CLEAN TIME INVOLVEMENT WITH P I AMMENDED TO 6 MONTHS. 2ND AND PASSED. LAURA READ REQUIREMENTS ANITA NOMINATED JANICE. JANICE DECLINED P.I. CO CHAIR STILL OPEN. TAKE THIS BACK TO GROUPS.

P.I. CONTINUED:

RANDY WAS CONTACTED BY A TOWN STARTING A NEW GROUP. LAST GROUP BUSTED. SUGGESTION TO TAKE STRONG MEMBERS, LITERATURE.

REQUESTING \$127.00 FOR REGIONAL MEETING LIST.

CENTRAL KS: P.I. HAS BEEN ACTIVE. WE HAVE GONE IN TO SOME OF THE SCHOOLS IN OUR AREA.

THIS IS CAUSED A LOT OF MIXED EMOTIONS IN OUR AREA. SOME FEEL WE DID OK, WITH OTHERS FEELING WE MOVED TO FAST. GOD ONLY KNOW'S WHO IS RIGHT. IF ANY OTHER AREA ARE GETTING READY TO DO THIS PLEASE EASY DOES IT !!! WE HAVE ALSO GOT POSTERS OUT AND IN STORES WINDOWS IN THE AREA. WE ARE ALSO TOSSING AROUND A HELP LINE. WE STILL HAVE WSO TV SPOTS ON CBS AND NBC, ALSO ON THE RADIO. JUST FILLING IN, DAN M.

JUST FOR TODAY: OUR PUBLIC INFORMATION HAS EXPERIENCED A SET BACK DUE TO PERSONAL PROBLEMS OF OUR PREVIOUS P.I. CHAIR. BARBARA B. ALIVE & KICKN GROUP, WAS ELECTED P.I. CHAIR.

THAT'S ME FOLKS. I AM EXTREMELY EXCITED WITH MY NEWEST INVOLVEMENT IN SERVICE. P.I. IT IS MY UNDERSTANDING THAT P.I. PACKETS WERE SENT OUT TO SEVERAL ORGANIZATIONS WITH NO RESPONSE TO DATE. I AM AFRAID THAT WE WILL BE STARTING FROM SCRATCH ONCE AGAIN.

WE HAVE RECENTLY ORDERED A PSA DEMO, AND AN 89 REVISED P.I. GUIDE. OTTOWA GROUP HAS PLACED TEXTS IN LOCAL FACILITIES. THEY HAVE MET WITH FRANKLIN CO. MENTAL HEALTH CENTER. A COURT SERVICE IN OTTOWA. WE HAVE RECEIVED A TREMENDOUS RESPONSE FROM BOTH FACILITIES.

THE OTTOWA ALIVE AND KICKN GROUP IS TRYING TO "INCH" A MEETING INTO THE FRANKLIN CO. JAIL THE RESPONSE THERE WOULD FREEZE YOUR BREATH. YET WE KEEP GOING BACK. (LOTS OF POLITICS) I PERSONALLY HAVE JOINED A TEAM PROJECT AT OTTOWA HIGH SCHOOL. THIS IS AN ADULT DRUG AWARENESS COMMITTEE FOR OTTOWA TEENS. IT IS MY INTENT TO SPREAD THE MESSAGE OF AWARENESS. WITH FELLOWSHIP LIVE, BARBARA B.

OZ AREA: WE HAVE CARRIED PSA TAPES TO 3 RADIO STATIONS AND TO TWO TV STATIONS:

S.E. TRADITIONS: NEW AREA AND GROWING GONE FROM 2 - 5 GROUPS GETTING INVOLVED WITH ALL AREAS OF N.A. WE HAVE HAD SOME P.I. SERVICE IN OUR AREA SCHOOLS AND HEALTHFAIRS. PLANS ON GETTING P.I. GUIDE AND CHECKING SUBCOMMITTEE TO KEEP ON POSITIVE PATH, THANKS JERRY

WESTERN AREA: WESTERN AREA HAS JUST REELECTED THE NEW AREA P.I. CHAIR DAVE A. FROM ULYSSES 316-356-2681 HE WAS UNABLE TO ATTEND DUE TO SHORT NOTICE. I WAS ELECTED TO REPRESENT WESTERN AREA AT THE LAST ASC. I HAVE AN UPDATED MEETING LIST FOR THE AREA WHICH I AM SUBMITTING WITH MY REPORT. THE WESTERN AREA DECIDED TO SET UP PHONE LINES IN THEIR OWN TOWN INSTEAD OF ONE FOR THE WHOLE AREA. DODGE CITY HAS THEIR PHONE LINE SET UP AND THE NUMBER IS 316-227-2211 IT GIVES MEETING TIME, LOCATION, SPECIAL EVENTS AND CONTACT NUMBERS. WE ARE IN THE PROCESS OF GETTING PSA'S RUNNING AT THE RADIO STATIONS IN OUR AREA. P.I. IS DOING WELL IN WESTERN AREA BUT THERE IS STILL MORE WE CAN DO. GARY D.

ACTIVITIES COMMITTEE: MEETING OPENED IN USUAL MANNER. AREA REPORTS GIVEN. OTHER REPORTS REGIONAL CAMPOUT, JUST FOR TODAY "FREE" CAMPOUT.

NEW BUSINESS: MOTION: PUT A COPY OF FLYER REGIONAL EVENT FOR REGION EVENT IN REGIONAL NEWSLETTER. VOTED ON AND PASSED.

CENTRAL KS: THE GREAT BEND GROUP WILL HAVE THE ANNUAL CHILI FEED ON DEC 2ND AT ELLINWOOD, KS KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS HALL. THIS WILL BE A FUND RAISER FOR THE 1990 CONVENTION. THERE WILL BE A DANCE AND AUCTION A RAFFLE AND A PIE IN THE EYE AUCTION. THERE WILL BE PLENTY OF FOOD AND FUN SO COME AND SUPPORT THE CONVENTION. LOVE BRAD S. (FILLING IN FOR JANELLE F.F.F. TREASURES REPORT \$874.52 OUR AREA NEXT PLANNED ACTIVITY WILL BE A CHRISTMAS SEASON IS OUR THEME NAME "GIFT OF RECOVERY" THE DANCE WILL BE HELD DEC 16 7:00 1248 BUCHANAN TOPEKA, KS. EVENING ACTIVITIES WILL INCLUDE MUSIC BY D.J. RAFFLE BETWEEN SONGS, SANTA CLAUS GIFT EXCHANGE, A PINATA FOR THE KIDS, AND AN AUCTION. PROCEEDS WILL BE DIVIDED WITH HALF GOING TO THE AREA ACT. FUND AND HALF GOING TO THE REGIONAL CAMPOUT. OTHER AREA ACTIVITIES IN THE PLANNING ARE FOR THE AREA'S JUNE CAMPOUT. THE THEME NAME WILL BE "CLEAN AND SERENE UNDER THE STARS" GRAPHIC DESIGNS ARE IN THE MAKING. LODGING AND DATE WILL BE SELECTED AFTER THE NEW YEAR. IN SERVICE WITH GRATITUDE, JOE J.

S.E. TRADITION: AREA FUND RAISER IS BEING PLANNED AT THIS TIME. COFFEYVILLE "HOW" AND "NEW DIMENSIONS" HAVING DANCE DEC 2ND REG. HUG MEETING 5 PM AND SPEAKER. DANCE AT BOYS CLUB 5th & WALNUT. COFFEYVILLE KS.

REGIONAL CAMPOUT REPORT TREASURERS REPORT: \$766.26 PLANS ARE IN THE MAKING FOR THE JULY REGIONAL CAMPOUT, SPONSORED BY THE TOPEKA AREA. AT OUR LAST ACTIVITY A LOGO WAS VOTED ON AND SELECTED. OUR THEME WILL BE "FREEDOM TO LIVE" GRAPHIC DESIGNS WILL BE

DISCUSSED AND VOTED ON AT OUR NEXT MEETING

ACTIVITIES COMMITTEE CON'T:

OTHER TOPICS OF DISCUSSION WAS THE TREMENDOUS RESPONSIBILITY OF PLANNING AND ORGANIZING THIS EVENT. IN ORDER TO MAKE IT A SUCCESS, IT WAS DISCUSSED THAT EACH TOPEKA AREA GROUP WILL NEED TO PARTICIPATE WITH SPECIFIC RESPONSIBILITIES. OTHER REGIONAL GROUPS WHO WOULD LIKE TO PARTICIPATE OR HAVE SUGGESTIONS THAT WOULD AID IN THE REGIONAL CAMP OUT SHOULD CONTACT GLENN SMITH 913-484-2894 ,Joe J. 913-271-1428 OR BURNALEE 913-272-1130 JUST FOR TODAY "FREE" CAMP OUT: AUGUST 10,11 & 12 1990 THUNDERBIRD MARINA MILFORD, KS. T. SHIRTS \$10.00 FLYERS COMING SOON. BROUGHT TO YOU BY CROSSROADS NA JUNCTION CITY AND NAMELESS NA MANHATTAN KS. PROCEEDS FROM LAST YEARS AUCTION PAID FOR PHONE LINES IN JUNCTION CITY AND MANHATTAN KS.

HOSPITAL AND INSTITUTIONS SUBCOMMITTEE: OLD BUSINESS: DIVIDE LITERATURE POSSIBLY WEIGHTED TOWARDS AREAS THAT NEED IT THE MOST. REGIONAL CONTACT LISTS PASSED OUT. PLEASE PUT COVER LETTER OVER LIST. NOT TO BE LEFT WITH TREATMENT CENTERS. WARREN WILL CONTACT A PLACE THAT PUTS INFO ON A PERMANENT DISCS.THIS CAN BE UPDATED AND COPIED AS NEEDED. WARREN WILL BRING BACK COST. MOTION MADE WHEN P.I. PUTS OUT REGIONAL MEETING LIST WE USE IT INSTEAD OF BOTH. H & I AND P.I 2nd and PASSED. DO WE WANT TO PUT ON A STATE ORIENTATION WRITING STATE CORRECTION. POSSIBLY TAKING BACK TO FELLOWSHIP BEFORE DOC ALSO "SUNSHINE LETTERS" TO BE SENT OUT. TALK TO MARTY D. MOTION TO TAKE BACK TO AREAS. PASSED. DOES REGION WANT TO HAVE A H&I LEARNING DAY? ANY AREA WILLING TO DO THIS WOULD NEED TO SEE HOW MUCH IT WOULD COST AND HAVE WILLINGNESS. TAKE BACK TO AREA. PASSED. WHAT DIRECTION SHOULD H&I BE GOING IN NEAR AND LONG TERM FUTURE? NEED MORE SUPPORT. WMASC IS STARTING TO SELL T-SHIRTS TO RAISE MONEY FOR LITERATURE DEFRAIMENT COSTS LOREN GAVE ORDER FORMS TO REPS. DEADLINE 11-27-89 10 DAY DELIVERY THEY WILL BE MAILED TO YOU. S.E. TRADITIONS HAS ADDED 5 NEW GROUPS. WMASC WILLING TO TAKE LESS LITERATURE. MOTION TO DIVIDE LIT. 8 WAYS. 2nd and PASSED.

CENTRAL KS- THINGS SEEM TO BE HAPPENING IN THE CKA AT THE PRESENT TIME WE ARE STILL TAKING IN TWO MEETINGS AT LARNED AND ONE IN TO THE HOISINGTON HOSPITAL AND ONE TO ELLSWORTH CORRECTIONAL FACILITY. THE HAYSGROUP IS NOW WORKING ON STARTING AN H&I MEETING IN VALLEY HOPE TREATMENT CENTER IN HAYS. THE AREA IS HAVING A HARD TIME KEEPING UP ON LITERATURE FOR THE MEETINGS BUT WE ARE WORKING ON GETTING MORE FUNDS TO BUY MORE LIT. THE ECF IS IN GREAT NEED OF BASIC TEXTS. THE MEETINGS HAVE GROWN TO 55 or 60 INMATES ATTENDING WEEKLY. ANY HELP OR ADVISE IN THIS MATTER WOULD BE A GREAT HELP. WE HAVE A NEW H&I MEETING LIST AND A NEW H&I CONTACT LIST. HELPING SPREAD THE WORK DAN M. H& I CHAIR FELLOWSHIP FOR FREEDOM- OUR AREA IS REALLY HAVING A PROBLEM WITH PEOPLE GETTING INVOLVED IN CARRING THE MESSAGE TO THE INSTITUTIONS. IT SEEMS TO BE THE SAME PEOPLE ALL THE TIME. SOME MEETINGS DON'T EVEN HAVE REGULAR CONTACT PEOPLE. EVEN MTG. WITH A REGULAR CONTACT HAVE PROBLEMS WITH GETTING SOMEONE TO FILL IN IF THEY HAVE A CONFLICT IN THEIR SCHEDULE AND CAN'T MAKE THE MEETING. I PERSONALLY AM VERY DISCOURAGED WITH THIS AREAS PARTICIPATION. IN H&I THIS AREA HAS BEEN AVERAGING TWO PEOPLE AT H&I AREA MTGS. WITH THIS KIND OF SUPPORT IT MAKES IT VERY HARD FOR ALL CONCERNED. OUR AREA HAS BEEN VERY GOOD WITH FINIANCIALSUPPORT BUT LACKING IN OTHER AREAS. AT THE PRESENT THERE ARE FIVE H.&I. MEETINGS IN OUR AREA WITH ONE PERSON TAKING THE NA MESSAGE IN TO THE WOMENS CORRECTI CENTER. THERE ARE OTHER INSTITUTIONS THAT WANT MTGS. BUT WE JUST DON'T HAVE THE PEOPLE WILLING TO HELP . TO END ON A POSITIVE NOTE, THE PEOPLE THAT ARE INVOLVED ARE DOING A VERY GOOD JOB. I PERSONALLY GROW WHEN I'M GIVING. ED T. 913-357-0002

JUST FOR TODAY- CURRENTLY WE ARE HOLDING MEETINGS AT OSSOWATMIE STATE HOSPITAL. WE HOLD THIS MEETING EVERY SECOND AND FOURTH MONDAY OF THE MONTH. WE ARE TRYING TO GET A MEETING IN THE FRANKLIN CO. JAIL BUT SO FAR WE ARE UNSUCCESSFUL. OUR P.I. REP. HAS MET WITH PEOPLE IN JAIL THROUGH OUR PHONE LIST. WE GAVE THEM A BASIC TEXT. BILL B.

H & I CONTINUED:

WESTERN AREA- STILL TAKING SIX MEETINGS A MONTH. BUCKLIN(TLC) NEW CHANCE, SPEAKER MTG. AND OUT PATIENT, MEN AND WOMENS JAIL, LARNED STATE. PARTICIPATION HAS BEEN GOOD AND WE ARE STARTING TO GET SOME NEW PEOPLE INVOLVED. STILL IN PROCESS OF GETTING INTO ELLSWORTH PRISION. H.&I. IS DOING WELL IN THE WESTERN AREA. NEW PHONE LINE IN DODGE CITY 316-227-2211 IN LOVING SERVICE GARY D.

WICHITA METRO- THINGS ARE GOING WELL. WE HAVE STARTED TWO NEW MEETINGS ONE IN A REINTERGRATION CENTER (2 TIMES A MONTH) THE OTHER IN A TREATMENT CENTER ONCE A WEEK. WE SENT A LETTER TO A TREATMENT CENTER REFERRED TO IN LAST TIME MINUTES. WE ELECTED A NEW CHAIR ALSO. WE ARE TRYING TORAISE MONEY TO HELP DEFRAY OUR LITERATURE COST WHICH RUNS AROUND \$110.00 A MONTH, TO DO THIS WE ARE SELLING T-SHIRTS. THIS WILL ALSO ATTRACT SOME NEW PEOPLE INTO H&I WE ARE SELLING THESE FOR \$8.00 A PIECE. I AM ENCLOSING AN ORDER FORM. FOR MORE INFO. CONTACT ANITA J. 316-832-0475 NOT MUCH ELSE TO REPORT. LOREN

LITERATURE SUBCOMMITTEE- STARTED BUSINESS WITH NEWSLETTER CONFUSION FOLLOWING ITEMS WERE DISCUSSED AND VOTEDON. 1. HAVING NEWSLETTER COMMITTEE TO COMPILE EACH NEWSLETTER WITH THE ROTATION OF THIS COMMITTEE TO DIFFERENT AREAS SO WE CAN HAVE MORE PARTICIPATION FROM THE REGION, WE CAN'T DO IT ALONE!!! MOTION PASSED. 2) LAURA Mc. FROM WICHITA STATED SHE WILL BE NEWSLETTER EDITOR PROVIDED THAT IT IS A COMMITTEE EFFORT WITH DEVELOPMENT OF NEWSLETTER.LAURA WAS ACCEPTED AS NEWSLETTER EDITOR., 3) MOTION NEWSLETTER EDITOR SHOULD HAVE KEY TO REG. P.O. BOX. TO GET SUBSCRIPTIONS ETC. MOTION PASSED. 4) NEWSLETTER WILL BEGIN IN THE MONTH OF DECEMBER TO NOTIFY ALL SUBSCRIBERS THAT THEIR CURRENT SUBSCRIPTIO WILL BE UP FOR RENEWAL STARTING WITH THE MARCH APRIL EDITION . 5) MOTION TO RAISE SUBSCRIPT RATES TO \$8.00 PER YEAR 6)THE MONTH OF DECEMBER SUBSCRIBERS MAY GET NEWSLETTER RENEWED FOR \$6.00 THE RENEWAL RATE WOULD START WITH MARCH-APRIL ISSUE. BEGINNING JAN. 1 1990 THE RATE WOULD BE \$8.00 CURTIS B. WILL PROVIDE HIS COMPUTER FOR MAINTAINING THE MAILING LIST AND SUBSCRIPTION DATES. JEFF INFORMED COMMITTEE COPIES OF WSO INFO TO LIT. CHAIRS AND NEWSLINE INFO IS AVAILABLE. CONTACT JEFF JEFF WAS CONTACTED BY JEFF FROM FLORIDA ABOUT REGIONAL LIT. NEWSLETTER TO INFORM ALL REGIONS ABOUT WHAT IS GOING ON AT THE WORLD LEVEL. LIT. COMMITTEE FEELS THIS WOULD BE VERY BENEFICIAL TO THE COMMITTEE. THE LIT. COMMITTEE NOW HAS ALL SUBCOMMITTEE HANDBOOKS FOR SALE AT THE PRICES STATED IN THE CURRENT CATALOG. THE COMM. PASSED A MOTION TO NOT CHARGE SHIPPING AND HANDLING TO THOSE WISHING TO PURCHASE A HANDBOOK. THIS STOCKWILL BE REORDERED AS IT IS DEPLETED W/ORDERS PURCHASED. LAST NEWSLETT WAS SENT OUT AT THE TOTAL EXPENSE \$87.73 WE HOPE TO KEEP THIS COST DOWN.

CENTRAL KS: THE LITERATURE STOCKPILE FOR THE AREA IS NOW AT A STABLE LEVEL. LIT.SALES TO THE GROUPS HAVE BEEN AT AN AVERAGE. I HAVE BEEN STRESSING TO THE AREA GSRS TO MAKE THE MOST OF OUR RESOURCES AND PUT OUR LITERATURE TO IT'S BEST USE. IN TAKING AN INVENTORY OF MATERIAL MOVEN OVER THE LAST SIX MONTHS I NOTICED THAT IP #22 WELCOME TO NA IS NOT BEING USED AS WELL AS IT SHOULD BE. I FEEL THIS PAMPHLET SHOULD BE HANDED TO EVERY NEWCOMER THAT WALKS INTO THE GROUP MEETING. I ALSO HAVE BEEN STRESSING THE IMPORTANCE OF CARRYING AND USING THE BASIC TEXT MORE INTO MEETINGS. REVIEW OF THE CONCEPTS OF N.A. SERVICE IS GETTING UNDERWAY AND HOPE TO SEE THIS AND "IT WORKS " AS APPROVED LIT. BEFORE OLD AGE SET IN. GRATEFUL TO SERVE, AL CKA LIT CHAIR.

F.F.F.- OUR AREA STOCKPILE WAS DISSOLVED DUE TO IT'S FUNDS BEING RIPPED OFF. AT THIS TIME NO INTEREST HAS BEEN SHOWN FOR THIS SUBCOMMITTEE. THERE IS AN INTEREST IN AN AREA NEWSLETTER THAT WAS DISCUSSED AT THE LAST AREA MTG. MORE WILL BE REVEALED ! JOE J.

JUST FOR TODAY : THIS MONTHS LIT. ORDER TOTALED \$243.65 WE HAVE GOOD STOCK ON MOST ITEMS. NEW LIT. ITEMS THIS MONTH INCLUDE"89" PHONE LINE DIRECTORIES, HANDBOOKS FOR NA NEWSLETTER, PSA KIT WITH STORYBOARDS, AND A VIDEO TAPE OF SAMPLE PSA'S 1,2,3,&4 I WILL DISTRIBUTE THESE ITEMS TO THE PROPER TRUSTED SERVANTS TODAY. NEXT MONTHS ORDER NEEDS TO CONCENTRATE ON BASIC TEXTS AND N.A. PAMPHLETS. ANYONE INTERESTED IN SPECIAL MATERIAL , PLEASE LET ME KNOW. I NOW HAVE A LIST OF N.A. LIT. IN FOREIGN LANGUAGES. ITEMS INCLUDE GROUP STARTER KITS, WHITE BOOKS,ETC...MANY N.A. PAMPHLETS ARE ALSO AVAILABLE IN THESE LANGUAGES. PRICES ARE THE SAME AS THE ENGLISH CATALOG PRICES. LIVING JUST FOR TODAY ROGER B.

S.E. TRADITIONS: AT THIS TIME NO LIT. COMMITTEE BUT ON AGENDA FOR NEXT AREA MEETING. DISCUSSION ON STOCK PILING LITERATURE FOR MEETINGS, STARTER KITS ETC... JERRY H.

LITERATURE COMMITTEE CON'T:

UNITY AREA: THERE IS REALLY NOT MUCH GOING ON RIGHT NOW. OUR STOCKPILE IS DOING WELL OUR NEW LIT. CHAIR IS DOING GOOD. ALL PLAN ON GETTING TOGETHER SOON TO GO OVER RECENTLY SENT WSO LIT. INFO. JERI S. FOR JIM F. LIT CHAIR

WICHITA METRO- DEE D. WAS ELECTED LITERATURE CHAIRPERSON WITH DEWAYNE K. AS CO CHAIR IN SEPTEMBER. NOT MUCH HAS BEEN DONE AS YET. THINGS ARE GOING FINE. FUN IN RECOVERY

POLICY SUBCOMMITTEE REPORT: MTG. OPENED WITH M.O.S. AND TRADITIONS. JOHN HANDED OUT COPIES OF THE GUIDE LINES DRAFTED AT THE POLICY WORKSHOP ON AUG. 20 1989 JOHN READ THROUGH THESE ARTICLES, NUMBER 1 thru 11 AND GAVE A SHORT EXPLANATION OF THESE ARTICLES 1 THRU 4D WERE VOTED ON TO TAKE BEFORE THE RSC WITH TWO AMENDMENTS, ARTICLE IV B LINE 31, SEE ATTACHED: GUIDELINES FOR AMENDMENTS. AFTER MUCH DISCUSSION AND MY MISUNDERSTANDING OF THE LAST RSC ACTIONS IT WAS DECIDED THAT THE ABSTENTION POLICY DID NOT NEED TO BE DISCUSSED AT THIS MTG. MANY TOPICS WERE BROUGHT UP FOR THE NEXT POLICY COMMITTEE MEETING FEBRUARY'S AGENDA WILL INCLUDE : OLD BUSINESS: ARTICLES 5 - 11 FROM THE DRAFT GUIDELINES ABSTENTIONS- NO VOTE, NON-VOTE OR PLAIN OLD ABSTENTION VOTE. NEW BUSINESS: SHOULD THE CHAIR PERSON OF A COMMITTEE BREAK A TIE? WHEN DOES NEW POLICY TAKE EFFECT? IT WOULD BE HELPFUL IF AREA'S WOULD EXCHANGE THE POLICY THEY HAVE DRAFTED. ANYONE HAVING POLICY, PLEASE BRING TO THE NEXT RSC. IN LOVING SERVICE MARCI M.

MAILING LIST:

1 GUIDELINES OF THE MID-AMERICA REGIONAL
2 SERVICE COMMITTEE OF NARCOTICS ANONYMOUS

3 ARTICLE I

4 The name of this assembly shall be the Mid-America Regional Service
5 Committee of Narcotics Anonymous, hereafter referred to as MARSCNA.

6 ARTICLE II

7 The primary purpose of the MARSCNA is to carry the message of
8 recovery to the addict who still suffers; to further the unity of
9 the fellowship within our region and other regions by maintaining
10 communication between the areas represented and Narcotics Anonymous
11 as a whole, in accordance with our Twelve Traditions.

12 ARTICLE III

13 MEMBERSHIP

- 14 A. Any member of N.A. may attend and participate in discussion at
15 the discretion of the Chair.
- 16 B. Motions can be made and seconded by RSC officers, Committee
17 Chairs and voting participants.
- 18 C. Voting participants are the ASRs of the areas with MARSCNA or
19 their alternates.

20 ARTICLE IV

21 SUBCOMMITTEES

- 22 A. The RSC may establish subcommittees from time to time to carry

23 on the work of the Committee. These subcommittees shall perform
24 the duties prescribed by these guidelines, the Temporary Working
25 Guide to the Service Structure and its successors, the
26 parliamentary authority adopted by the Committee and the
27 appropriate subcommittee handbooks.

28 B. Standing subcommittees shall be formed upon approval by the
29 voting participants. The standing subcommittees shall include, but
30 not be limited to, Hospitals & Institutions, Public Information,
31 Literature, Activities and Policy, *Convention.*

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32 [~~NOTE: THE WORKSHOP PARTICIPANTS WHO WROTE THIS DRAFT WERE NOT IN
33 AGREEMENT ON WHETHER THE CONVENTION SUBCOMMITTEE SHOULD BE A
34 STANDING SUBCOMMITTEE OR A YEAR TO YEAR AD HOC COMMITTEE OR WHAT.
35 THE WORKSHOP FELT THAT THIS ISSUE NEEDED MORE DISCUSSION BY THE RSC
36 AND LEAVES THIS ISSUE TO THE RSC. DISCUSSION MAY ALSO BE NEEDED ON
37 THE CAMPOUT SHOULD IT BE A SUB OF ACTIVITIES??????]~~]

38 C. Special subcommittees may be appointed by the Chairperson or
39 they may be formed by motion upon approval by the voting
40 participants.

41 D. Special subcommittees shall be appointed the RSC Chairperson
42 unless otherwise specified in the motion to form that subcommittee.

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~~ARTICLE V~~
~~MEETINGS~~

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MID AMERICA REGIONAL SERVICE COMMITTEE MEETING - SCOTT CITY, KS. FEBRUARY 17, 1990 - AMERICAN LEGION 308 1/2 MAIN - DOWNTOWN SCOTT CITY

SCHEDULE

*** Friday, February 16 - Candlelight Meeting - 11:00 pm.
American Legion Basement

*** Saturday, February 17 - Regional Meeting Events:

8:00 am. - Continental Breakfast

9:00 am. - Committee Meetings

1:00 pm. - Lunch Break*

3:00 pm. - RSC Meeting

8:30 pm. - Open Meeting

9:30 pm. - Dance and White Elephant Auction

*** Sunday, February 18 - Eye-opener Meeting - 10:00 am.
(Coffee and donuts served)

NOTE* - A catered lunch will be available at the meeting hall.
Those that are interested in the meal, please R.S.V.P. by February
1, 1990: The cost will be \$4.00 per person for the buffet.

There will be few personal residences available for lodging,
however, there will be group rates available at two motels if the
reservations are made by January 15, 1990. Also, there will be
a church available for NON SMOKERS ONLY, at no charge.

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Linda B. (913) 627 3955, 4131
Monica M. (316) 375 4375

Chaparral Motel (316) 872 2181*

Marz Motel (316) 872 2164*

* At the time of reservations, you must let them know that
you are with the Regional Service Committee group that
is meeting in town on the above dates. N.A. need not be
mentioned to protect the identity.

MARSC Treasure Report

November 18, 1989

Previous balance

\$ 1790.36

Monies received

08/21/89	Central Ks. Area	\$ 100.00	
08/21/89	Western Ks. Area	50.00	
08/21/89	Wichita Metro Area	80.00	
08/21/89	reimburse check #125	67.43	
08/21/89	reimburse check #123	110.55	
08/21/89	proceeds MARC '89	725.52	
10/03/89	Pioneer Group	50.00	
09/05/89	Butterfly Group	15.00	
10/27/89	Unity Area	135.60	
10/27/89	Newsletter subscriptions	12.00	
11/01/89	Butterfly Group	4.87	
		<u>1,350.97</u>	3,141.33

Expenses

08/19/89	check #124 (literature for H&I)	474.88	
08/19/89	check #125 (RSC Aug. 19, 1989)	---	
08/19/89	check #126 (seed money, MARC '90)	500.00	
08/19/89	check #127 (service manuals-Lit. Com.)	155.42	
08/19/89	check #128 (Newsletter-printing & mailing)	300.00	
08/19/89	check #129 (trvl. exp.-attend P.I. wrkshp)	250.00	
08/19/89	check #130 (purchase N.A. caps)	161.22	
08/19/89	check #131 (print & mail minutes)	60.15	
08/19/89	check #132 (rent, P.O. Box 67203-8732)	28.00	
		<u>1,929.67</u>	\$1,211.66

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