

**Saturday, October 20, 2018**

8:00 a.m. Call to order by Area 92 Chair, Debbie T. It was followed by a moment of silence and the serenity prayer, reading of the 12 Traditions in English by Chris T and in Spanish by Lorena. The 12 Concepts were read by Val in English and by Lorena in Spanish. Debbie reminded the body who is eligible to vote. Debbie asked for approval to record proceedings 1<sup>st</sup> CPC and D26 second. Approved. District 22 made a motion to accept the minutes of the April Pre-Conference Assembly and it was seconded by District 4. Approved with corrections for typos and correct phone number for Treatment. Debbie welcomed new GRS and gave an overview of what will happen today. Debbie explained the process of Area 92 business and reviewed the agenda. All floor motions must be turned in by noon with a copy to each committee member with 5 copies in Spanish. Debbie welcomed past Delegates in attendance, Dave, Delores, Rad and Scott. Debbie reminded the body to speak clearly and slowly into the microphone because we are recording the proceeding. Debbie reminded the body to please translate all Area documents, such as flyers, reports, etc.

**TRUSTED SERVANT REPORTS****Delegate-Allen D**

Bill W. said on pg. 243 in Language of the Heart: "From the beginning, communication in A.A. has been no ordinary transmission of helpful ideas and attitudes". With that said, I can't stress enough the importance of communication within our fellowship. I emailed to you all I have received from the General Service Office, at times asking for feedback. Unfortunately, only a few of you have responded. I know a lot of you have great ideas and concerns you have expressed in the past. Please let me hear your voices! The end of the year is not too far from us and the beginning of the new Agenda topic conversations have hopefully already begun in your homegroups and Districts. This, I hope, is coming from the Proposed Agenda items which you have recently received. I would also like to update you on the motion that was submitted to the GSO by Area 92 regarding A.A. Pamphlet 26. It has been handed over to the GSO Publishing Dept. and will be under review. I will forward their response to you as soon as I can. Communicating information from the General Service Office to you has been my focus since becoming your Delegate. This past week I was contacted by Graham F. with the WACYPA Committee asking for assistance with translation equipment from our Area for their conference coming up the first weekend in January. I'm happy to say that we will be able to help. Our Translation Chair Lisa G. will be working with Graham. Conference calls with the Pacific Region Delegates and Pacific Region Trustee have been so important with the discussion of the October Board meeting at GSO. We also met some of the new delegates from the Areas across the US that elect during the even number years. It seems like I was congratulating someone almost daily. This is something I experienced after I was elected. I remember the feelings that came over me when that was happening. Wow! I have been graciously invited to attend a 9TH Anniversary Traditions and Concepts meeting in Dist. 25 on November 18th, 2018. The following Sunday I will be in Pasco for their Spanish Intergroup Anniversary meeting. What an exciting ending to a great year in service. I'm hoping for a break in action through the holidays and then it kicks right back into gear. I'm looking forward to our 2019 Area 92 functions, plus PRAASA, PNC and the General Service Conference in May 2019. It's going to be a busy year. Please, always remember the importance of communication within our fellowship. In Love and Service, Allen D.

**Alternate Delegate-Gary P**

Much of this report is contained in the Area 92 October newsletter released last week by Rainey M., our very capable editor and publisher.

Last month's Pacific Regional Forum held in San Jose on Sept. 8<sup>th</sup>, 9<sup>th</sup> and 10<sup>th</sup>, exceeded all of my expectations. It was my first opportunity to attend. First the Forum. According to information posted on our aa.org website, *"Regional Forums originated in 1975 at the suggestion of Dr. Jack Norris, then Chair of the General Service Board of Alcoholics Anonymous. They were to be **weekend sharing and informational sessions** designed to help the General Service Board, A.A. World Services, Inc., the Grapevine Corporate Board, the Grapevine Staff, and the General Service Office Staff **stay in touch with A.A. members, trusted servants and newcomers to service throughout the A.A. service structure.**"*

This was absolutely true of this forum. Over 900 people attended from virtually all 16 Areas of the Pacific Region, along with numerous fellows from other parts of the United States and Canada. Plus...three visitors from Japan. Many of our trustees, directors and staff participated in the presentations, panels and workshops. Our own Area 92 Delegate, Allen D., co-chaired one of the **"standing room only"** workshops that ran over because no one wanted to leave the discussion.

Hundreds of AA members spoke up at workshops and panels, and stood in lines at the microphones to share their thoughts in the general sessions. Dialog was open, candid, and meaningful, at every session I attended. There was no hesitation to address any issue, or express any point of view. Importantly, every topic had the same ultimate objective – the pursuit and fulfillment of our primary purpose – to carry the message to the alcoholic who still suffers. While we have continuing challenges applying this purpose to a constantly evolving society, it is enlightening to realize that we have embraced this responsibility -- as perpetual.

A valuable conclusion for me, was that the fellowship, presentations and information shared among us, including contributions from the Board, World Services, Grapevine and General Service Office teams, affirmed my confidence that our processes, as detailed in the Twelve Concepts are successfully "warranting" the long-term health of Alcoholics Anonymous.

I also attended The 7<sup>th</sup> Annual Wenatchee Valley Round-up (WVRU) was held Sept. 21<sup>st</sup> through the 23<sup>rd</sup> and included several guest AA and AL Anon speakers. One of the more popular panels included three speakers whose experiences highlighted their participation and perspectives regarding Young People in AA (YPAA).

On Oct. 5<sup>th</sup> and 6<sup>th</sup>, our Chair, Debbie T.; Alt. Chair, Diana M.; Alt Treasurer, Jan R.; Secretary, David R.; and I, attended the Western Washington, Area 72 Election Assembly in Tacoma. We were asked to attend, along with the Pacific Region Trustee, Kathy F. and the Area 3, Arizona Alt. Delegate, Kevin F., to assist with the election of the Area 72 Executive Committee for Panel 69. The Executive Committee consists of 6 elected officers who will take office on Jan. 1<sup>st</sup> 2019.

Obviously, with the population density of Puget Sound, Area 72's overall membership is considerably larger than ours. Accordingly, this Assembly was attended by 800 people. The election is carried out in compliance with the Third Legacy Procedure (see The AA Service Manual – page S-21 for details), and it proceeds concurrent with the conduct of normal assembly business and reporting. This makes for a very interesting day. We elicited, counted and tabulated votes for each candidate and position, through multiple ballots, while listening to current committee chairs deliver annual reports to the body, or while hearing motions be introduced and debated on the floor.

As final position tallies were made, elected candidates were announced and each gave an acceptance speech between the scheduled business activities. By 4:45 pm Saturday afternoon, all the positions had been filled.

In the end, all of our team had an experience we will value deeply. What a ride! Gary

#### **Chair- Debbie T**

I am very grateful to be here and to have the opportunity to serve this great Area for another three months. Since we were together in Pullman, I attended a Delegate Report, the Standing Committee Workshop in Yakima and went to Western Washington to help count votes at their election Assembly. I have never been to an event outside of our area and I am very grateful for the experience to see how another Area functions. As many of you know, Eastern and Western Washington started as one area, and a lot of our procedures carried over when we split so there were a lot of similarities as far as procedure, only on a larger scale. The biggest exception is that they still only conduct one Assembly per year. There were 11 motions on the agenda and with about 800 members participating in discussions, it was expected that the business would not conclude until 1 or 2 a.m. Fortunately, as soon as the elections were over at about 5:00 pm we got to leave! When I arrived yesterday there were a couple of things that came to mind that I am even more grateful for since my experience in Western Washington: Free coffee and free parking! I did get a couple of ideas that I will be sharing with you in the coming months.

Three years ago, after having had a spiritual experience, I wanted to share my experience with others so I submitted my story to the Grapevine. Much to my surprise, I recently received an advance copy of the October Grapevine and discovered that my story had been published. Please check out the Tradition 10 story, page 35 submitted by D.T. from Yakima, WA and enjoy. As always, thank you for allowing me to serve and grow with you!

#### **Alternate Chair-Diana M**

I want to thank District 8 for hosting the Assembly for us this weekend. Thanks also for keeping me updated regarding your committee meetings. I enjoyed attending one of your hosting committee meetings recently, you were all very well organized and it shows.

If your District or group has a flyer you want posted to the calendar please forward it to the [area92altchair@gmail.com](mailto:area92altchair@gmail.com) address so it can be posted. The only event I will take upon myself to post will be Area functions such as Assemblies, Quarterlies and Standing Committee Workshops. Some of you are sending flyers to the newsletter expecting them to be posted to the calendar which is not happening unless sent to the Alt Chair too.

I've been contacting the host committee chairs regarding upcoming Quarterlies and Assemblies and want to report that all is going well.

D4 in Tri-Cities has provided me with copies of their committee meeting reports and I can report that they will be ready for us in January 2019. Registrations are in your boxes and there are members of the host committee here to help you register. I can report that D12, which will be hosting the April Pre-Conference Assembly at Sun Mountain in Winthrop is also on track. I followed the D12 Facilities Chair to Sun Mountain this past week and the meal plan was finalized. You have been provided with a

registration flyer. You may start requesting rooms at Sun Mountain anytime. You may also send in your registration as soon as possible too. There are members of the committee here today that would be more than happy to help with your registration.

Again, I want to report that we have the "How to Host an Assembly or Quarterly Booklet" translated into Spanish with the help of our Translation Chair, Lisa. If anyone here is from either Spanish speaking or English districts that will be on a host committee please get ahold of me today so I can give you updated booklets.

The majority of my time has been filled with the website. There are errors which are being corrected maybe too slow for some but we are all learning. I've had great responses from the body regarding the design and function of the website. I'm getting many suggestions which we appreciate. I'm always surprised when someone makes a suggestion and I think why didn't I think of that, but we can't see everything. I will tell you this has been an overwhelming task. I can't say I walked in with my eyes closed because I didn't. I've worked with computers since the 80s so I'm aware of the constant changes.

I've been very busy with the website. We are having a conference call meeting at least once a month plus lots of e-mails. The website has most of the updated meeting schedules posted. None of this would have been possible without the help of the web team committee and area committee members especially the DCMs.

If any of you have any questions regarding hosting an event or to discuss the website, please see me either at the break or you can always contact me. Again, I want to say how much I'm appreciating this opportunity to grow and be of service. Diana M WSEA 92 Alt. Chair

#### **Treasurer- Cameron J**

I want to thank each of you for your contributions to Area 92. Please keep in mind the precarious nature of our finances when considering the motions today.

Here are the numbers for the 3rd Quarter 2018, which is 07/01/2018 through 09/30/2018

Beginning balance on 07/01/2018: \$10338.23  
Contributions: \$11,065.61  
Expenses: \$9689.41  
Ending Balance: \$11715.50  
Net Difference: \$1377.00

Motion to accept the treasurer's report by District 3 and seconded by District 2. **The report was unanimously approved.**

**Alternate Treasurer- Jan R**

Hello Area 92.

The last Quarter has been full. Most recently I was able to go to Tacoma to help AREA 72 with their election. It was so much fun meeting new people and seeing old friends. Congratulations to all of the newly elected officers!

Donations can now be made on the AREA 92 web site by PayPal. It is set up to generate all personal/group information. If you use PayPal please be complete with your information. I will give receipts the same way as I have in the past: assembly or quarterly. Also, please be aware that to use the **PayPal service we are charged a high rate, averaging 9%**. You will get a receipt for the full amount but the fees will become a line item in our budget.

Again, I would like to give a special thanks to Chris McC for helping me to develop a wonderful spreadsheet for the AREA contributions. She has worked behind the scenes for many of the panel members (current and past) and I would personally like to thank her for her service to AREA 92. The total cash flow for the third quarter is \$10,443.37. Please refer to *the spreadsheet left in your inbox* for the monthly breakdown.

Our UPS mail contractor re-mails your contribution to the Alternate Treasurer roughly every other week. Please send all contributions to:

**Washington State East Area 92  
1314 S. Grand Blvd. Suite 2, Box #103  
Spokane, WA 99202-1174**

This report includes all monies received including: Birthday, Individual, Group and District Contributions, Seed Monies Returned, Balance of Excess Funds and Reimbursements.

I am pleased to report that most Districts have contributing Groups. **Please NOTE that monies cannot be earmarked for a particular committee. All contributions will be put into the general fund.** During your District meetings please encourage your members to include:

**Group Name,  
Group ID Number and  
District #**

on their contribution. If you are sending in a group donation from a **personal account, please include the group's name.** I get several of these without a group name. Also, please include a return address, and a contact phone number/email for any follow up questions. Note cards are available at the events. These are to fill out complete group information and return to the alternate treasurer. Thank you to everyone who has made contributions.

Respectfully submitted,

Jan R.

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**Archives- Sarah B. –**

Sarah discussed the upcoming motion for the Archives Committee which will be presented at the January 2019 Quarterly.

**CPC-Rex H** Greetings Area 92, This quarter has been slow for me. I was unable to attend the last Standing Committee Workshop but sent a District chair from District 3, Marty, in my place. I heard it was great. I would love to hear from some of the districts out there who would love to have help or a workshop. I am working with district 2, 3 and 8 to put together a CPC luncheon, where members of AA can bring a boss, Doctor, pastor or other professional to lunch and we will have a presentation about AA and how we can be helpful. If any other districts out there would like to organize a luncheon I would be happy to help with that. Thank you all for the opportunity to be of service. Rex

**Corrections-Ben N-** Greetings WSEA 92 Alcoholics Anonymous! First off, I want to say that I have learned a lot about as Scott R. would say “Good ole fashion committee work”. I have newly discovered appreciation for the folks hosting these events having had the privilege of serving on this assembly committee. I had no idea the amount of effort the process requires, so thank you to Sally and all the others!

I can report the five prisons in our Area are adequately supplied with literature and volunteers presently, with the exceptions of Walla Walla State Penitentiary. As was stated in this months’ Newsletter they need additional volunteers due to a change in protocol there.

It was an honor to attend the annual “Outside Speaker Meeting” at the Airway Heights Correctional Center. I am still amazed with the “Landing Place Group” there, and how well we outside AA sponsors are received.

District 7 and Area 92 have teamed up to hold a Corrections Workshop for next Saturday at the Clarkston WA, Alano Hall. Flyer for this event is within the Newsletter as well. The format will be similar to a “Sharing Session” as described in the Corrections Kit, coupled with” TPI”, Total Participation Involvement. We have a great list of experienced panelists lined up!

The following week I am off to Portland, Maine to attend the 2<sup>nd</sup> annual National Corrections Conference. After some reservations, I am now geared up and raring to go, and represent Area 92, the Corrections community, and AA as a whole the best I can...I am very passionate with corrections work, and am honored to be able to bring some hope into an environment that is seemingly hopeless. Thank You! Oh yes, don’t forget...

***Start an old Grapevine drive in your District! Our friends behind the walls love em!***

Always grateful to serve, Ben N.

**Grapevine and Literature- Gary H –** I am thankful to be able to serve as your area 92 GV/Lit chair. This year has been very busy and enjoyable, having visited many Districts and meeting so many nice people. I have attended every Area function as well as a few roundups, PRASSA which was held in Sparks, Nevada.

Two round ups invited me to set up literature displays and sale items.

Both Grapevine and AAWS have new publications, as well as new covers for books and pamphlets. The "GOD WORD" is not yet available but it's coming soon. Two new books from Grapevine are the AA in military stories, and "One Big Tent".

If you don't have a subscription to the Grapevine, I highly recommend it, or maybe someone can gift it to you. If you already have a subscription to the Grapevine maybe you could gift one to someone else. A Grapevine subscription also gets you access to the online app which allows you to view weekly stories as well as the monthly issue of the Grapevine.

This month's Grapevine has a story that was submitted by our chair Debbie, it's on page 35. Anybody can submit a story to the Grapevine for publication.

I would like to thank all those Districts and individuals for purchasing literature through the Area channels, it saves you shipping and there is never any tax.

Once again thank you for the opportunity to serve you as your area GV/ Lit Chair

YIS Gary Harlow

### **Newsletter-Rainey**

1. We don't use full names. It's not necessary to put your full name and service position on your report.
2. Phone numbers and email addresses are on the contact list in the back, printed to be removable to go into Airway Heights Corrections Center. We try not to put them in the body of the newsletter.
3. Target length is 250 words so everybody will fit in.
4. Minutes will be sent out separately so the newsletter doesn't get over-long. That also means you don't have to wait for the newsletter to get the minutes.
5. If you want to be added to the newsletter email list, contact me at [area92newsletter@gmail.com](mailto:area92newsletter@gmail.com) or here at the Assembly.

**Public Information (PI)-Elizabeth** Thanks to District 8 for hosting this assembly. Welcome to the newbies, I hope you get something positive out of this weekend. I have found that service keeps this crazy alcoholic sober! Things have been slow on the PI front. I attended the Standing Committee Workshop in September in Yakima with the District 3 PI/CPC Chair, Marti J. I am available to attend any District Business meeting, any kind of health/recovery fair or workshop to present what AA is and exactly what it does and does not do. I am excited about PI and the opportunity to talk about AA! I am throwing the idea around about conducting a PI Workshop for those individuals interested in becoming part of the Area PI committee or those individuals considering stepping into a District PI position. I look forward to hearing from you all! You may contact me at [area92picchair@gmail.com](mailto:area92picchair@gmail.com) or by phone at 509-209-4558. Thank you for the opportunity to be of service. Elizabeth F.

### **Secretary- David R**

I have been fairly busy since our last Assembly in Libby. I attended a Service Workshop in Yakima in May and helped count ballots in Western WA Area 72 the first week of October. I also attend 3 Handbook Committee meetings at the home of Stan and Paula T in Coeur d' Alene. We met after the Pre-Conference Assembly after a motion from D26 was referred back to the Handbook Committee. We did

make some solid recommendations and copies are available, however we unanimously agree to send the motion back to the body.

1. **Minutes-** I will send the minutes out to everyone the week of the quarterly/assembly. There will also be a hard copy in each mailbox.

2. **DCM reporting forms-** I will always have those available and I usually stick one in each DCMs mail box. This will include the Spanish version also. Those forms are used to report about your District and what has been going on. When you have presented your report, I ask that you turn them in to me to go into the minutes of the proceedings. There will be a box on this table that has the word “reports” on it. Please deposit those there. (Do not send these forms to the newsletter for publishing unless you have taken the information from the report and put it into a clean document.)

3. **Updated AREA 92 Directory-** This directory contains the current contact information for everyone. Please check it over and make sure all of your contact information is correct. The January 2018 date is the date of the beginning of the new rotation. The updated date is in the footer area. If you see any errors or need me to update, please give to me on a slip of paper with instructions to do so.

4. **Handbooks-** I have Area 92 Handbooks for sale for \$10. This new edition is spiral bound and has all the Area 72 historical information too.

**Translation-Lisa G Hello all!**

Translation Report October Assembly 2018 Good Morning, my name is Lisa and I am an alcoholic, I am currently serving as your Area 92 Translation Chair. I am pleased to report that the districts have been doing a wonderful job of translating their flyers, I have reviewed them for any error's, which were very few-Great job to all. Just a reminder for everyone-Any motions or other Area documents presented to the body also need to be translated into Spanish for our Hispanics Districts, as per our handbook, and I am more than happy to help you with that if need be, buy please, please plan ahead, the process of translating with accuracy, does take me some time since I am a 3 fingered typist! And please for translating consistency we ask that you use Google Translate. My email is [area92translation@gmail.com](mailto:area92translation@gmail.com), Thank you for allowing me to be of service.

**Treatment/Accessibility**—Brian S thanked the GSRs for being here to serve and encouraged GSRs to go back and tell everyone how much fun they had. He attended the Yakima Service Workshop and spoke on carrying the message into treatment centers. He also discussed accessibility and mentioned the workbook that has a host of ideas and other forms of impairment such as hearing that we don't typically think of daily. Brian welcomed Carmine B. D2 to the committee. [Area92treatmentchair@gmail.com](mailto:Area92treatmentchair@gmail.com)

**Registrar-Gary P** Gary discussed the purpose and function of the FNV. We discussed where to get new group registration forms. We have meetings that our not groups but those meetings are listed in our local schedules and the DCMs keep their respective meeting lists on the Area Website.

**Web Team-Diana M** – Diana said the web team has been busy. She introduced Mike, Dave, Rad, Jennifer, Adam, Max and Dan that have been helping since day one. Diana said she went to them asked them “Would you please help me with this?” She needed people that are good with this. They meet monthly, the website is up and running. They are working on correcting website guidelines. We are no longer fearful of technology. The old guideline is obsolete. The new guidelines are in the mail boxes.



Diana asked all questions be directed to the web team. She thanked the DCMs for keeping the meetings updated on online. Diana said the Assembly agenda is now posted on the website. Diana said her agenda has been full with updating guidelines. They have been meeting weekly for the past 6 weeks.

**Finance Committee-Jan R.** We met last night and had a fabulous meeting. Attendees were invited to be added to the e-mail list. We send items back and forth via email between quarterlies and assemblies. We worked hard to put together a fiancé team motion. Jan said she is pleased with every one's hard work. started last quarter and have been staying in touch by email. Jan encouraged everyone to get an Area 92 Handbook to see what each trusted servant is budgeted for.

**Handbook-David R.**

We had a very large meeting last night. Thank you for all the enthusiastic participation: Chris J, D26, Johnny, D26, Gene D, D7, Janie, D11, Scott, D26, John, D11, Debra, D13, Allen D, Delegate and Amy, D13. We discussed needed updates and corrections to the Area 92 Handbook, such as verbiage, grammatical errors, etc. We concluded to begin reviewing the area Handbook one section at a time via email and to send proposed recommendations for changes to the Area 92 Handbook to the Area Secretary. We would of course need a formal motion for any actual changes.

**Ad-Hoc Committee on Financial Audit:** Hi my name is Dolores and I'm an alcoholic. A practice of all healthy organizations is to conduct a regular inventory, generally annually. Since 1995, when Washington State Area 72 became two Areas, Western Washington Area 72 and Washington State East Area 92, Area 92 has never conducted regular financial audits. In July our Area Chair Debbie T invited me to chair an ad hoc committee to do just that. I would like to introduce you to the others on the committee. Carole N from Cashmere and Jennifer W from Twisp. Each of us possesses accounting experience and are happy to be working together. I will admit I was slow to get us moving on this project. My summer was very busy and it just seemed we needed to have a fair amount of discussion on how we were going to proceed since there had been no process for regular audits nor were, they conducted. We have agreed to go back two full rotations. This would include 2014 and 2015 then 2016 and 2017 and 2018 to present. We feel this is a good period of time where we can examine past practice and current practice in order to make Best Practice recommendations for all aspects of Area 92 Financial Accounting. We want to thank our current treasurer and Alt. Treasurer, our past treasurers and past Alt. Treasurers who have been very helpful. We look forward to having a more detailed report for you at The January Quarterly. Thank you. Delores E. past Delegate, Carol N Cashmere, WA and Jennifer, Twisp, WA

**Dave Mc.-Inventory-**Dave, past Delegate, read the motion that was passed in October 2016 that called for this inventory. This was the result of several ad hoc committees. It will be a two-hour inventory. Past Delegates, Dave Mc, Rad, and Delores have been working on this.

WSEA 92 2018 Inventory Ad Hoc Committee: Scott R.

**1] What information could be made available to help the motion process of the Area 92 business meetings be more effective?**

**2] Are the Standing Committee Workshops a productive and cost-effective way to do committee work or would we be better served by doing our committee work at the Area Assemblies and Area Quarterlies?**

**3] Is Area 92 practicing the 7<sup>th</sup> Tradition of being fully self-supporting, such as fully supporting our Delegate to the Conference?**

**WSEA 92 Inventory Minutes October 20, 2018**

**Scott R and Gene D., past Panel 52 and Panel 66 Delegates respectively, Co-Chaired the WSEA 92 Inventory. Scott began with introducing and thanking each member of the Ad-Hoc Committee: Stan T of District 8, Benjamin from District 8 and Gene D. past Delegate from District 7.**

**Listed below are comments from the body on the 3 WSEA 92 Inventory Questions. Each comment is from an A.A. member that stepped up to the microphone to comment on the question.**

***1] What information could be made available to help the motion process of the Area 92 business meetings be more effective?***

Encourage everyone to learn Robert's Rules of Order  
 Attract different people to participate in Area service  
 Provide a handout of parliamentary procedure to help with the motion process  
 Elect a very strong Area Chair to keep the process moving smoothly  
 All motions move through the committee process, like at the General Service Conference  
 Provide GSR Schools and Workbooks  
 Robert is not an alcoholic, Robert's Rules of Orders is a 2,000-page book and should be used very little in Area business if at all  
 Forget RRO, use 3<sup>rd</sup> Legacy Procedures formatted for motions  
 Follow rules in the Area 92 Handbook  
 Sponsor should pass motion process information down to newcomers and people they sponsor  
 Have a format in the Area 92 Handbook for the motion process  
 Use RRO very loosely, no group uses RRO exclusively  
 Place a format of how we do motions in the Handbook  
 Make a motion process part of our Handbook  
 Make a streamlined motion document for new GSRs  
 Create a template with questions that need to be answered for a motion  
 Place a motion template in the Handbook or provide it as a handout at each Quarterly and Assembly  
 Use the Service Manual to develop a motion making template  
 Research each motion by starting with the Handbook, Service Manual, 12 Traditions and 12 Concepts  
 GSR School with Workshop on Motions  
 Develop a definition of terms for the Handbook  
 Provide a 60-minute training on the motion process on Friday night of each Assembly or Quarterly  
 Encourage GSRs to speak their mind, emphasize the importance of minority opinion  
 Have a flow chart of the motion process in the area 92 Handbook  
 Speak with people who get too emotional during motion discussion, I'm surprised by the emotional intensity  
 Form Ad Hoc Committee to develop a handout or section for the Handbook on "How to Write a Motion and the motion Process"  
 Start a new Area 92 service position, Parliamentarian that provides workshops on parliamentary procedure  
 The purpose of an inventory is self-examination; the question is, "what am I willing to do?"  
 This is the AA Teeter-totter; do I avail myself to the information? Education, Education, Education  
 Have motion writing and process roundtables and workshops at each quarterly and assembly

Be careful with streamlining the motion process, codifying may decrease discussion, leave it just the way it is

Just as we start to figure out the motion process, we rotate out, a new chair comes in and the entire process changes so we need something in writing

GSR and DCM Orientation are on website; GSR school is on website too

*Summary: Having the motion process outlined in the Handbook was mentioned 7 times; creating and hosting workshops on how to write a motion was mentioned 3 times and holding a motion workshop on Friday night of each quarterly or assembly was mentioned 4 times*

## **2] Are the Standing Committee Workshops a productive and cost-effective way to do committee work or would we be better served by doing our committee work at the Area Assemblies and Area Quarterlies?**

Although SCWs are not well attended, it's not about production and being a rigid business; don't put a \$\$ amount on SCWs

Not enough time to do committee work at Assembly or Quarterly, keep the SCWs

When motions are in doubt, table them and send the motion to SCW

See 1952 GSC quote by Shaw

SCW for members that need to be reached and participate in small communities, like remote communities, trying to hang on to sobriety

SCW is for area to reach out and help Districts and Home Groups

Area needs to continue reaching out with SCWs

SCWs are effective but have not been the last 4 years

2 SCW in June and September, 2 at Quarterly or Assembly

Having a clear-cut agenda at SCW is imperative for a good meeting

2 SCW at Assembly

Conference call SCW

Need face to face which is more effective

Car pool and use potluck to help hold down costs

SCW at January and July Quarterly

Conference call committee work

Share enthusiasm, do your job with enthusiasm, enthusiasm carries the message!

SCW at January and July Quarterly; other 2 SCWs continue as stand-alone

Motion coming soon moving that we go back to 1 Assembly per year, place more emphasis on Quarterly business meeting and SCWs

Conference call committee work

2 SCW at January and July Quarterly, 2hour breakout sessions for committee work with report at end, like we do subcommittee reports such as Finance and Handbook

December SCW move to January Quarterly June SCW move to July Quarterly

It's cheaper to attend SCW, go with enthusiasm

Share SCW information

Resolve complacency at the group level! This is a ground floor up issue! Resolve this at home, fix it up a little!

Show up for and support SCW! Think about committee responsibility, Am I responsible? SCW provide information, attend with enthusiasm!

4-5 home group members attend SCW, bring information back to home group, don't stop SCW, money should not be an issue

Share enthusiasm for committee work, SCW in small communities, they get to see what A.A. is and our primary purpose is to carry the message, keep the SCW; we need them!

Have 2 SCW stand alone and 2 at assembly

Be prepared at SCW, keep it organized to attract others and keep them coming back!

*Summary: There are 8 suggestions to have 2 SCW at Quarterly or Assembly, 13 suggestions to keep the SCW as currently scheduled and 6 suggestions of going about business with an attitude of gratitude and enthusiasm. There are several other suggestions on ways to help hold down costs, such as carpooling and potluck and at least 5 mentions of the SCW being prepared with an agenda to keep the meeting focused and on track. A recurring theme was money, some for keeping the current SCW and some for keeping 2 of the current SCW and moving the other 2 to a Quarterly with a 2-hour breakout session followed by a report during Area business.*

### **3] Is Area 92 practicing the 7<sup>th</sup> Tradition of being fully self-supporting, such as fully supporting our Delegate to the Conference?**

First 3 members to the microphone said the obvious answer to the question on self-support is no; based on not fully funding Delegate yet spending money on sending committee chairs to expensive workshops. We send at least \$1800 and more often we send \$2,000

Earmark Delegate Fund money

We don't earmark money; all contributions go to WSEA General Fund

Use the Reserve Fund for Delegate next year if motion passes

Online contributions are dangerous, do we really know who is sending the money? Are we sitting next to the person who is making the online donation?

Cancel online contributions, save PayPal expenses for Delegate fund; PayPal charges from as much as 9% down to 3% depending on amount of online contribution

Place a button on the website "Fund your Delegate" online contribution

Why does it cost almost \$8k to send the Delegate to New York when I can send my kid there for a week for \$2k?

Hold the GSC outside New York City

Do we really have enough money to fully fund our Delegate? How many Areas actually pay the full amount? Doesn't our GSO contributions help cover the annual shortfall?

Establish a prudent reserve and use the money to increase Delegate contribution each January; might not get to 8 thousand but it will increase!

Drop sending Delegate and Area Chair to PNC and PRAASA; use that money to fully fund Delegate

Have Delegate attend Local Forum and PRAASA at his or her discretion, depending on Area financial situation, give Delegate autonomy to make the choice of whether or not to attend after consulting with Finance Committee

There are 500 groups in Area 92; we need \$3.30 from each group to fully fund the Delegate to attend the GSC

Do we really want to reduce service activities, like SCW or Quarterlies, or is it better to become enthusiastic about committee work and get home group members to contribute more so we can fully fund our Delegate?

Districts can fund the Delegate, contribute the money

Delegate should not refuse money from District at Delegate Report meeting; should graciously accept contribution from District when offered and adjust personal expense report

We don't earmark money, we budget instead.

Trust your elected financial officers to safeguard and wisely use precious 7<sup>th</sup> Tradition Contributions. Don't tell trusted servants how to use your donation; would you tell a charitable organization exactly how they should use your donation? Of course not

All donations should go to General Fund; Area will use it prudently

Don't cancel Delegate funding for PNC, PRAASA or Local Forum!

The A.A. Charter tells us exactly what to do, manage and maintain A.A. as a whole

PRAASA provides information and experience, it's not about money, it's about carrying the message

Go back to home group and tell members to quit being a 2-bit donator!

We are a new Area, it's taken us 20 years to get where we are today, be proud of it! Share enthusiasm and contribute to 7<sup>th</sup> Tradition!

Accurate reports equal increased contributions

The Pink Can is earmarked money

Why does it cost so much to send our Delegate to the GSC?

Are we generous with the hat? Are we grateful for sobriety?

Handbook has minimum amount of \$1800 for Delegate to attend GSC; also states Treasurer may send more as finances permit

Summary:

*There were 4 suggestions on different ways to ear mark money to fully fund the Delegate to the GSC. There were 6 suggestions for fully funding the Delegate without earmarking funds. There were several questions and concerns regarding the cost of a Delegate attending the GSC. There were at least 4 mentions of holding the GSC outside NYC. There were 4 mentions of sponsorship, gratitude and reminding home group members to increase their contributions based on an attitude of gratitude for sobriety and more enthusiastic participation in carrying the message. There were 5 mentions of PayPal charging the Area too much for online contributions, 4 mentions that online contributions can be made by non A.A. members, and ways to reduce costs, such as alternate housing for the Delegate, passing the hat at Delegate reports.*

### **DCM REPORTS**

**District 2- Spokane Doug** Number of Groups Represented: 39 Number of Groups Represented at Assembly: 8\_Names of Active Standing Committees in District 2:\_Activities, Archives, Corrections, Grapevine, Special Needs\_Last Quarter Activities: Archives workshop  
Planned Activities: Interviewing old-timers, 25 years plus sobriety; also looking for translation software to help with typing. Bid for 2020 October Assembly. Concerns is participation by groups. Survey the groups for meeting location and time. We meet at the Corbin Senior Center 11/13/18 at 6 p.m.

**District 3- Spokane Hoss DCM** Our meeting is the second Tuesday of each month. There are 72 groups total in the district. 4 represented here today. We had a Traditions workshop. Thank you D17, Brandi!

**District 4- Tri-Cities Adam** Number of groups represented is 34. Today 5 are represented. Active committees, Correction, Treatment, PI/CPC Special Needs, Special Events, archives; held summer picnic and several speaker meetings; partnered with Hispanic D24 for Delegate Report, fantastic event! Gratitude Banquet coming up 11/17/18. Hosting January 2019 Quarterly

**District 5-Wenatchee Dan**- Number of Groups Represented: 14 Group represented Today: 5 District 5 Active Standing Committees – PI, Literature, and Archives not filled, Last Quarter Activities: Our Corrections committee is taking a meeting into the Chelan County jail once a week. Our Treatment committee is holding a weekly panel in our local treatment facility. PI Committee has got approval to put literature in all our Medical facilities public rooms. FNV is up to date for our district. Our website and phone app our working well for our meeting information and reduced the need for printed schedules. Thanks to Larry Peterson our alt-DCM Planned Activities: Gratitude Banquet November 3rd with music from Rule 62 Concerns & Solutions in your District: District communications changes. Looking forward to reducing the number of places to maintain our meeting information. Create a new committee to help with district aa events Next District Meeting: Date: November 14th, 2018 Time: 6:30 PM Mission Creek Community Club 1419 Saddlerock Dr. Wenatchee, WA 98801 509-433-7336 Dan Maher dan@tektutor.com

**District 6-Anna Yakima** 18 groups; 3 groups represented today. Partnered with D10 for Delegate Report. Helped SCW in Yakima in September. We have someone available for Alt. DCM. Next District meeting is 11/15/18 at Yakima Alano Club

**District 7- Lewiston, ID Heather** We have 22 groups with 6 here today. Archives, Treasurer, Corrections, GV/Lit; open is Treatment, PI/CPC and Secretary. Partnered with D22 for Delegate Report. 10/27 Area Corrections workshop is scheduled, 11/3 Gratitude Banquet, 12/8, Area SCW, Ad Hoc Committee to revise district guidelines. As always, concern is participation and home groups contributing to GSO. Next District meeting is 11/10/18 at the Clarkston Alano Club

**District 8 Coeur d' Alene, ID Chris T** We have 20+ registered groups in our district that are active. Approximately 20 of those groups are represented monthly at the district meeting. Today there are 13 groups represented by their GSRs. We have 8 standing committees that are active, including a third legacy committee. We elected a web committee chair and added job description to District 8 Handbook, conducted a sponsorship workshop and participated in community events. Length of District meeting is a concern, using an agenda to try and shorten the meeting, usually last more than 2 hours, Next District meeting is 11/13/18, 7 p.m. at the Nazarene Church is Coeur d' Alene.

**District 9 Walla Walla** Monty 14 groups, 2 here today. CPC/PI, Archives, GV/LT, Treatment; Gratitude banquet is planned on 11/10/18; Next District meeting is 11/11/18 at St. Paul's Church at 6 p.m.

**District 10- Ellensburg Jerry M.**- We have 12 active groups, 2 represented here today. Committees: PI/CPC, GV/Lit and Archives: Planned activities, Gratitude Banquet and District Election; Concerns are groups without a GSR. Next District meeting is at the Copper Kettle on 11/11/18 at 2p.m.

**District 11-Granger, WA Janie S.**- 8 groups represented, 1 here today. Last quarter we had a potluck in Toppenish. We are planning to put on a D11 Banquet, also possibly a Halloween dance in Toppenish, potluck in Prosser last Saturday of the month. The main problem we have is getting people involved in service. We will work on this and find a solution. I will make this my goal. Next D11 meeting is at the KDNA Radio Station, 121 Sunnyside Ave in Granger, WA 98932, 1<sup>st</sup> Sunday of the month.

**District 12-** Winthrop, Cindy, 32 groups, 4 group represented today; Active committees: CPC, Corrections, GV/Lit, Hotline, Treatment; 11/3 is D12 Gratitude banquet. Concerns is attendance but

contributions are good. 11/4/18 is next District meeting at Community Presbyterian Group in Omak at 2 p.m.

**District 13-Spokane Valley Jim-** We have 24 groups registered and 8 represented today. Activities, PI, Treatment, GV/Literature, and Corrections are filled; last quarter D13 potluck. Thanksgiving Alcothon is planned. Concerns are District prudent reserve was lowered to only 3 months' rent; several groups have changed their formats. Next District meeting is 11/13/18 at Yokes on E Sprague in Spokane Valley at 6:30 p.m.

**District 14-Jeff.** - 1 group here today; Corrections, Archives, PI and Activities are filled positions. We had the Diamond Lake campout last quarter and a few potlucks by small groups. We are planning Thanksgiving, Christmas and New Years alcohons hosted by D14 at the Gardenia Center in Sandpoint, ID. Problems include not much interest in WSEA92 functions; try and talk it up to generate interest. Next D14 meeting is in Troy, MT, 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday in November at 1330.

**District 15 Colville – – Neat M,** There are 19 groups represented by GSRs and 2 are represented here today. 14 groups with GSRs. We have Activities chair, PI/CPC, GV/Literature, Corrections and Treasurer. Gratitude Banquet on 11/17/18. Concerns are interest and participation in District and Area events. Next District meeting is 11/13/18, 6 p.m. at Colville Community Church.

**District 16- Joaquin-** District 16 has 6 groups. We have two district meetings a month. They are held on the first and last Sunday of the month. Vicitar los grupos y motivarlos grupos y planearles 10 del alojamiento para la asamblea para Oct 2019

Fovuro un comite para el alojamiento je las asamble y tiene cordinador secretario y tesorevo y sas alteynos y se motival al distrito 25 y esta Unidos con el ditrito 21.24. Hace una Junta poy mes cada 2 Sabado Rotativa en los 3 distritos. Joaquin T

**District 17-N. Spokane Brandy** 25 groups, 3 here today. Treatment, Bridge the GAP Traditions workshop last quarter. Co-hosed service workshop with D3, awesome event, fantastic speakers! Planning another workshop and GSR School. Concerns are getting positions filled and solutions, we are financially supporting committee members to attend. Next District meeting is at the Corbin Senior Center at 6 p.m. on 11/13/18.

**District 18- Waitsburg Ron-** 6 groups, 1 represented today. Not prepared today. We will be hosting a Halloween party in Waitsburg. D18 is plugging along one day at a time.

**District 19-Ephrata Steve**—We have 51 meetings on the schedule. Campout committee-usually 12 alcoholics in attendance. We have GV/Lit chair, Treatment liaison chair and Bridge the Gap. D19 annual picnic was well attended by about 50 alcoholics. We are planning our 1<sup>st</sup> annual campout in August 2019. D 19 Gratitude banquet is on 11/10/2018. We have a lack of participation in district meetings; solution is to bring an alcoholic to help introduce our people and get them involved early in sobriety.

**District 20-Eddie G, Yakima** – We have 15 groups with 3 represented here today. We have Treatment, Corrections, Archives and Literature committees filled. We hosted a delegate Report in July and a SCW in September. We were in the area 92 Newsletter Spotlight for September. Nothing planned at the moment. Still having low participation; will start visiting groups and encourage participation. Next district meeting is 11/19/18, 6 p.m. at the Yakima Alano club.

**District 21- Spanish**

Del Distrito 21 Cuenta Con 11 grupos, y sessiona cada tercer domingo a las 7 am tiene la mesa completa y comite de literature y comite de pre aniversario

Estamos visitando a los grupos para motivarlos para que manden su r.c.g y estamos trabajando en conjunto con los distritos 21, 16, 24 and 25 para la asamblea de area 92 de Octubre 2019 distrito alfiltrion distrito 16

Estamos preocupados por que nadamos se juntan de 5 a 6 ric-6 en la junta de negocios y todas los servidore desde el MCD y los rc-6 todo somos nuevos nos falta mas orientacion

Estamos trabajando con el 19 aniversario del distrito 21 que se iba a celebrar el 20 de abril del 2019 en el 504 Chelan Ave alas 3 de la tarde estan tod invitados

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**District 22 Moscow, ID Dennis** – PI/CPC, Grapevine/Lit, Corrections, Treatment and archives are filled and active committees. Planned activities include 5+ speaker meetings, discuss time for GSR workshop, assorted potlucks and gratitude potluck. We have 12 groups and 4 are represented today.

Women attendance is a concern; we developed a new list of women contacts so if a newcomer comes to a meeting of all men, we have a list

Sending more GSRs to assemblies

Children and pets at meetings are a distraction

Next D22 meeting is on 11/11/18 at Gritman Medical Center from 4-5:30 p.m.

**District 23- Chelan- Our** district is the Lake Chelan area. We have 13 groups with 3 represented here today. We also have approximately 4 active committees at present.

**Last Quarter Activities**

D 5, 12, and 23 hosted Delegate report

Birthday potluck last Saturday of each month

August speaker meeting

District meetings 1<sup>st</sup> Sunday of each month

1<sup>st</sup> Friday with Sanctuary patients

Pink Can supporting Big Books for jails, prisons and newcomers

**Planned activities**

Birthday potlucks last Saturday of month

Speaker meeting at Basics on the Bay 11/29

District meetings 1<sup>st</sup> Sunday of each month

Pink Can supporting Big Books for jails, prisons and newcomers

1<sup>st</sup> Friday with Sanctuary patients

**Concerns/solutions**

Small groups trying to support GSRs, pay rent, buy coffee, contribute to District, Area and GSO-it is impossible to do it all



Receiving password for web changes-no e-mail address is available

Next D23 meeting is on 11/4/18 at noon at the Apple Cup Café in Chelan, WA Dian V DCM report by Oly Olsen

**District 25-Moises**- tiene su taller de tradiciones en diferentes grupos Tambien el 18 de Nobiembre Selebran su 9 aniversario con un fayer de conceptos en el grupo por hoy

Liberato R (509) 930-8586

**District 26-Libby, Chris**- We have 6 groups and 3 groups are represented here today. We currently have 10 standing committee chairs. New activities chair.

We will be hosting alcohthons for Thanksgiving, Christmas and New Years

Still trying to encourage participation from all groups in the district

The Gazebo Boys meeting has elected a GSR who is here for his first assembly

Next D26 meeting is on 10/27/18 at 1:00 p.m. at the Church of the Nazarene in Libby, MT

**GSR Roundtable- Curtis**- Allen chaired last night with the GSRs.

- Thomas F. explained what a GSR does.

- Diana, Alt. Chair, spoke about the new Service Manuel & how the lines down a page indicate a change in the book. The new edition includes the AA Bylaws and Grapevine Bylaws.

- GSRs be familiar with Page S26 of the Service Manuel, because it lists the qualifications and duties of a GSR.

- area92aa.org has a helpful search bar where you can search for issues or topics and can get guidelines pertaining to same.

- Tomorrow we will be having discussions about the Inventory & 4 questions, as indicated on the handout. It won't be voting, it will be discussion.

Tom, District 6 commented that he doesn't understand why, at assemblies, the fluff is in the morning & earlier part of the day, while the meat of the assembly, motions and such, are discussed at the end, when folks are more irritated, tired, etc.

- Diana said it's just how we do business. You want to change things, get involved and make it happen, make a motion.

- It was asked how someone would do that & answered that a person would submit a motion by noon tomorrow. Diana commented that it's best not to bring something like that up at the assembly, but to address it at a quarterly, let it be torn apart and revised, then voted on at the next assembly.

- Gene suggested that a motion be discussed within a homegroup, then taken to the District level, then the DCM can present it at the quarterly.

Diana mentioned that, as GSRs, we came at the expense of our group, and we are doing the service work of AA. Take the information you get back to your homegroup members, and know how your homegroup members think and how they'd vote. You are their trusted secant.

- it was discussed that each homegroup has opinions and sometimes you hear new information at assemblies about a topic and it may change how you think your group would vote, had they had this information. If you change your vote while at the assembly, be ready to explain why to your homegroup. Sometimes what's best for the whole of AA isn't always best for one individual homegroup, and you have to vote for AA as a whole.

Gene D stated to ask you represent your homegroup's conscience & it's a spiritual thing. There is Right of Decision and Right of Participation we live by to ensure equality. Homegroups are the boss. There may be floor motions that your homegroup won't know about & the answer should come from your homegroup. Unfortunately, floor motions cut out the discussion with a homegroup, and that's why he's not a fan of floor motions.

Mike asked about the Minority Opinion and what that means. Diana answered that, after a vote has passed, the chair will ask the opposing, losing side if anyone wants to explain why they voted the way they did. Once the minority opinion has been stated, the Chair will ask if, having now heard the minority opinion, anyone wants to change their vote. If so, there's a new vote. If there is no minority opinion, then it's a unanimous vote.

Lisa asked if there is somewhere we can get the motions prior to attending the assembly. Diana answered that there is not, just at the quarterly, and it's actually published in the newsletter. It's a possibility to start putting it on the Area website.

Marcia asked if someone had sent their packet to GSO but aren't getting the Area newsletter, how can one get the Area newsletter. Diana answered that you can contact the Area Newsletter chair. Amy suggested you can also ask your DCM to email it to you. Diana mentioned the WSEA 92 Newsletter is on our blind website because it can't be made public on our website due to sensitive information being contained in it. The blind site address is: [area92aa.org/newsletter](http://area92aa.org/newsletter), and you can go back years for newsletters.

Shari asked what it means that we loosely follow Robert's Rules of Order. Diana answered that Bill W. said to use the parliamentary procedure as a way of business, because it's proven to work. We use the rules loosely. For example, there is no minority opinion in Robert's Rules, but we use it. Same for asking for a 2nd on a vote; it's included in Robert's Rules, but we don't ask for a second on motions. If there is no 2nd on a motion it dies. Mike suggested Robert's Rules is the backbone; the book is huge and it'd be nuts to think we have the serenity to get through and use it. Everything would get too convoluted. Julie made a comment that this is a relief, that it's not such a strict format.

#### **DCM Roundtable-Jeff (District 14).**

Area website

**Problem:** Input of information updating meeting schedule.

**Solution:** DCMs have received a password so they can edit meeting information. Spokane Districts rely on Central Office for updates; a list of instructions would be helpful

**Problem:** Verifying handicap access

**Solution:** Using assembly or quarterly for training would be helpful

**Problem:** Participation from groups

**Solution:** DCM visit each group

E-mail all group, don't give up, perseverance

Sponsorship

Group inventories

Get people involved at District level

Travel together to hold down costs

Time limits on business meetings so it doesn't last late into the night

Send out meeting agenda in advance

### **Hosting Committee Report-Sally.** –

We had 26 walk ins on Friday, 28 today, we will have a full financial report soon.

### **January Quarterly 2019, Kennewick, WA D4**

Dawn, Chair; asked people to step up and they are doing a great job! United Way building in Kennewick, WA January

### **April Pre-Conference 2019 Assembly Winthrop, WA D**

Cindy D12 is hosting. It will be at the Sun Mountain Lodge. Flyers are out and in the mailboxes. They are also in the Newsletter and will be on the website. Jennifer got the flyers translated with the help of Lisa. Pre-registration is encouraged. Ice cream social is included in the registration. There are other hotels in the local area. Sun Mountain Lodge is no pet facility but there are kennels in the area that are excellent.

### **October 2019 Election Assembly Hispanic Districts-**

Working on getting a facility, Sunnyside? Flyers will be out soon

### **April Pre-conference assembly D5 2020**

Dan reported 1-person committee, just getting started. The Assembly will be in Wenatchee.

### **Central Office Report Coeur d'Alene –Ron R.**

Ron reports that volunteers are doing well and finances are well. Contact Ron if you would like to be of service to Central Office in Coeur d' Alene, ID (D8)

### **Old Business- D26 Motion**

(f) in section 3.0 in the Area 92 Handbook. It would read as follows: "That Area 92 invite our Pacific Region Trustee to facilitate our election assemblies and be the Sunday morning spiritual speaker. All reasonable expenses incurred as a result of attending will be reimbursed by Area 92."

Amended motion: That Area 92 add the following motion to the Area 92 Handbook under Section 2.1, p.6 (item M); and that Area 92 replace item F in Section 3.0, p.7 with the same following motion:

"That the Area 92 Committee invite our Pacific Region Trustee to Chair the 3<sup>rd</sup> Legacy Procedure at the Election Assembly and be invited to speak at our Sunday morning spiritual breakfast. The Area 92

Committee will pay for travel, lodging, meals, and full registration for the Pacific Region Trustee from the Area 92 General Fund." Passed

**New Business: July 2019 Quarterly;** District 2 Bid, Spokane, WA  
D15 Colville, WA  
D6 Yakima, WA

We are going to Colville! D15

District 23 Motion to be discussed in July 2019

**Motion from the Finance Committee**

Finance Committee Motion: Move that Area 92 establish and finance a separate savings account as a prudent "Reserve Fund" of \$2500. This motion would supersede any prior motions, including 97.5. Passed

**Open Eyes Group, Post Falls, District 8**

Whereas: AA Tradition is Important

Whereas: Making AA literature easily accessible to the still suffering alcoholic

Whereas: One of the A.A. slogans are Think, Think, Think

**May it be moved that: All pamphlets published by AAWS have the title to the pamphlet on the upper third of the front cover and never on the lower third of the pamphlet.** Passed

Minority opinion was heard on all motions

Debbie thanked the timers, Trent and John

Bid for October 2020 Assembly; no bids

Respectfully submitted,  
David R.  
WSEA 92 Secretary