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**The meeting opened with Serenity Prayer & Service Prayer at 2:06 PM**

## 12 Traditions read by Danny

**12 concepts read by Becki D**

**2<sup>nd</sup> concept read by Becki D**

### Roll Call – Hope F

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Visions of Recovery	P	P										
Keep it Simple	P	P										

MINUTES FOR JANUARY- ACCEPTED

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## REPORTS

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**Facilitator**

Limited updates were shared.

**Co Facilitator**


Absent

**Notetaker**

Limited updates were shared.

**Money Handler**

Money Handler asking that we update prudent reserve. Asking what the Area would like to do with a recent donation that was made.

Good Morning, KRISTEN ROACH






ANALYSIS CHECKING XXXXXX[REDACTED]

Last Updated: February 1, 2025 1:17 AM

\$4,352.67  
Current Balance

\$4,352.67  
Available Balance

[Transactions](#) [Details & Settings](#)

Date	Description	Amount
JAN 17 2025	 Check #1001 Check	- \$250.00 \$4,352.67
JAN 6 2025	 Deposit Check #36519724 Income	+ \$246.00 \$4,602.67
JAN 3 2025	 ATM Deposit Check #31794842 Income	+ \$665.48 \$4,356.67
JAN 3 2025	 Deposit Check #31794843 Income	+ \$392.00 \$3,691.19
NOV 25 2024	 Nawsus Uncategorized	- \$903.56 \$3,299.19

**Lit Sales:** Literature Rep was absent so no update was provided.

**Group Donation:** \$135

**7th Tradition:** \$20

**Web Facilitator**

The password was able to be gathered by Becki D. Kristen now has the password as of today.

### **Literature**

Literature Purchase: Literature Rep was absent.

Lit sales this month: N/A

Last Month Lit Sales: \$146.77

Soft BT H&I Purchase: N/A

### **Activities**

OPEN

### **H&I**

Asking that Area assist with literature for current H&I Meetings that are happening. Adding a budget update to the Agenda.

### **RCM**

Becki has provided all details via emails that were sent out Jan 30th and Jan 31st. Please let me know if additional information is needed.

### **RCMA**

Absent

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## **GROUP REPORTS**

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### **ANOTHER LOOK**

809 E Erwin Street Tyler, TX  
M-Su @ 7pm  
S, SU, MON, TUES @ Noon  
Average Attendance 15  
Donation \$0

### **LIVING RECOVERY**

107 B Wain St Longview, TX  
M-TH @ 12:15AM 6PM & 8PM  
F & SU @ 12:15AM & 8PM  
SAT @ 12:15PM & 8PM  
Avg attendance – 10  
Donation \$0.00

### **LOVE & HOPE**

200 Pine St Hawkins, TX;  
MAILING ADDRESS 220 CR  
3459 Hawkins, TX  
Monday @ 7pm  
Sat @ 1pm.  
AVG attendance 0  
Donation \$0

### **NEW BEGINNINGS**

530 N Border Tyler, TX  
Meetings:  
SUN 1 & 6 PM MON 12 PM  
TU 12 & 8 PM W 12 PM TH 12  
& 6 PM FRI 12 PM SAT 1 PM  
Average Attendance 3  
Last Sat of the month is BDAY  
night at 8pm  
Donation \$0

### **RED BUD:**

406 Red Bud Ln in Grand  
Saline, TX  
Tuesday & Saturday at 7 PM;  
Literature Study Thursday  
7-8:30  
BDAY Night is last Saturday  
AVG Attendance 12  
Donation \$55

### **THE HOME GROUP**

229 Utzman RD Kilgore Texas;  
MAILING ADDRESS 510 North  
Longview St Kilgore, TX  
Mon & Thur @ 6:30 PM  
Average Attendance 5  
Donation \$20

### **VISIONS OF RECOVERY**

804 Jordan ST Nacogdoches,  
TX  
SU,W, F 7 pm  
Birthday Night: Last Sunday of  
the month.  
3rd Sunday is Activities  
Avg attendance 9  
Donation: \$60

### **KEEP IT SIMPLE**

1403 East 1st Mt Pleasant (St.  
Michael's Catholic Church)  
M @ 7PM — in the building  
behind the office; please use  
the side door.  
Average Attendance 3  
Donation \$0

## VISITING GROUPS

CALLED FOR A BREAK AT 2:49 PM

OPENED MEETING BACK UP AT 3:04 PM WITH SERVICE PRAYER

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## OLD BUSINESS

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### Area Service Meeting Update January 2025

- **Danny's Suggestion on Email Addresses and Minutes**  
Danny suggested updating email addresses and posting meeting minutes on the Area website to ensure easier communication and transparency.
- **Kristen as Temporary Web Facilitator**  
Kristen kindly offered to temporarily hold the Web Facilitator position. This offer was accepted, and we appreciate her willingness to step in.
- **Becki's Suggestion Regarding Activities**  
Becki suggested that Groups host each Area activity due to the absence of an Activities Chair at the Area level. She also volunteered to handle the money for each activity, as the Activities Alt does not have sufficient clean time to manage finances. The Area decided to take this proposal back to their Groups for further discussion. How is the money going to be handled? Area decided Guidelines will be changed to say Individual Groups Activities Chair will manage money until given to Areas Money Handler. Unity Bash will be held by Living Recovery.
- **Britt B's Suggestion on Group Reports**  
Britt B proposed that Groups only fill out the Group Reports when there are changes to report, instead of submitting them every time an Area Service Meeting is held. This would help conserve both time and paper. The suggestion was noted for further consideration.
- **H&I Chair and Web Facilitator Resignation**  
The H&I Chair and Web Facilitator positions have both been vacated. Chrysty offered to hold the H&I position, and a motion was made by Becki D to approve her nomination, which passed at the Area level. Chrysty provided her qualifications for the position.
- **Food for Region**  
Becki suggested discussing the food needed for Region. She requested approval for a \$250 budget for food. Jeremy recommended increasing the budget due to the need to provide food for 65-70 people. The budget will be reviewed and finalized.
- **Guideline Review**  
The guideline that was originally scheduled for review in March will now be discussed in February. The group decided to table this review until the March meeting.

- **New Beginnings Area Meeting Attendance**

Paul G raised concerns about New Beginnings Area Meeting attendance. Someone will be reaching out to check on the group and provide any necessary support.

- **LSRCNA 40th Anniversary Event**

The LSRCNA 40th Anniversary event was mentioned as a way to help support the Convention this year. Britt B suggested that the Area assist in some manner. A Zoom meeting will be held on January 6th at 7:30 PM to discuss further details. A flyer will be sent out via email from the Notetaker.

- **Hawkins PI Day**

A suggestion was made to host a PI Day on January 19th at 1:00 PM to distribute flyers. GSRs will take this proposal back to their Groups for feedback.

- **Love & Hope PI Day**

A Love & Hope PI Day was also suggested, and the topic will be revisited in the March meeting.

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## PASSED MOTIONS BY GSR'S

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- Unity Bash Activities adding an additional \$1000 per Quarter for Merchandise.

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## NEW BUSINESS

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### **Terry S and New Group:**

- Terry is looking to start a new group on the East Side of Nacogdoches.
- Others helped guide him through the process and directed him to the website.
- The area offered to send a starter kit, and Mr. John from Visions of Recovery will donate one.

### **Lone Star Fundraiser:**

- Becki suggested gathering more information before making any decisions, and the area voted not to donate to Lone Star.

### **Website Update:**

- The 10 PM meeting for Living Recovery needs to be removed from the website.

### **Guidelines Review:**

- Becki offered to review the guidelines in March.
- A guidelines review session is scheduled for March 22nd at 1 PM at Another Look. The guidelines will be emailed to everyone ahead of time.

## 2025 Budget:

- H&I Chair requested a budget change of \$600 per quarter.
- Everyone's budget will remain at \$1790 per quarter, including the prudent reserve.
- Unity Bash activities are adding an additional \$1000 per quarter for merchandise.
- Lit Reps' budgets will remain as needed.

## H&I Updates:

- Roy mentioned the need to fill empty racks at probation offices and other locations. Chrysty is still waiting on items from the previous H&I chair but will fill the racks as soon as possible.

## Women's Meeting in Tyler:

- **When:** Every Wednesday at 6:30 PM
- **Where:** Christus Mother Frances, 800 Dawson St, Ornelas Tower ICU, 4th Floor Waiting Room, Tyler, Texas.

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## ELECTIONS TO FILL VACANT/OPEN POSITIONS

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**Facilitator (2 years):** Nominee: Paul G. (Red Bud)  
Outcome: Voted YES

**Co-Facilitator (2 years):** Nominee: John B.  
Outcome: Voted YES

**RCM (Regional Committee Member, 2 years):**  
Nominee: Becki D. (Another Look)\_Outcome:  
Voted YES

**RCMA (Regional Committee Member Alternate, 2 years):** Nominees: Chrysty (not present) and  
Brittany B.\_Outcome: Brittany B. Voted YES waived  
time requirement and had a very LONG discussion

**Notetaker (6 months):** Nominee: Hope F. (Living  
Recovery Group)\_Outcome: Voted YES

**Money Handler (4 years):** Nominee: Kristen  
(expressed willingness to continue) \_ Kristen  
apologized to the body for perceived past  
inaction.

Outcome: Voted YES

**Money Handler Alternate (3 years):** Nominee:  
Debbie (nominated by William) Outcome: Voted  
YES

**Web Facilitator (1 year):** Nominee: Sarah (Another  
Look)\_Outcome: Voted YES

**Literature Distribution Representative (LDR, 4 years):** Nominee: Jeremy P. Outcome: Voted YES

**Hospitals & Institutions (H&I, 2 years):** Nominee:  
Sarah Outcome: Voted YES

**Activities Chair (2 years):** Nominee: Miranda  
(nominated by Becki) Outcome: Voted YES

**Activities Alternate (1 year):** Nominee: Holly B.  
(Another Look; 4 months shy of required time)  
Outcome: Voted YES waived time requirement



# **OPEN POSITION:**

Notetaker Alternate (6 months)  
Literature Distribution Representative Alternate (3 years)  
Public Relations (PR, 2 years)  
Public Relations Alternate (1 year)  
Hospitals & Institutions Alternate (1 year)  
Web Facilitator

CLOSED WITH THE SERENITY PRAYER AT 3:57 PM

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## TAKE BACK TO GROUPS:

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### **OPEN POSITION:**

- Notetaker Alternate (6 months)
- Literature Distribution Representative Alternate (3 years)
- Public Relations (PR, 2 years)
- Public Relations Alternate (1 year)
- Hospitals & Institutions Alternate (1 year)
- Activities
- Web Facilitator

### **Area Activities**

- Determine which Groups would like to host which Area Event.

### **Budget for 2025**

- H&I Chair requesting a budget change; \$600 a Quarter.
- Prudent Reserve being at \$1790 per Quarter.

### Upcoming events:

Birthday Nights at each Group.

### Area Schedule:

March - Keep it Simple 1403 East 1st St Mt Pleasant (building behind the office)