

Greater Kansas City Area Intergroup February 20, 2010 Minutes

The meeting opened with the Serenity Prayer, followed by introductions and donations for the 7th Tradition.

Present: Beverly J., Chair, Dianne D., Secretary, Shirley F., Vice-chair, Ruby P., St. Joe, Karen E., Monday p.m. Atonement, John C., Treasurer.

The draft of the February 20 minutes was read. Shirley F. motioned and it was seconded that the minutes stood approved as read. Motion passed

John C gave the Treasurers Report. John stated that the Intergroup is trying to get out of the AT&T yellow pages to save \$58/mo. Super Saturday brought in \$279. The ending checking account balance as of 2/28/10 was \$1,600.39 and savings account balance was \$997.27. A motion was made and seconded to accept the Treasurer's Report. The motion passed.

Shirley F. proposed we purchase literature and audio-visuals (for public service, radio, and workshops) for \$216. Karen E. motioned that we spend the money for literature and Ruby P. seconded the motion. Motion passed.

Karen E. reported that the By-laws on pdf were finished and would be e-mailed to Beverly for distribution.

It was suggested that the Intergroup ask the groups what they want the Intergroup to do. Karen E. stated that we need to get members to know what the intergroup does. Shirley said without the Intergroup we do not grow as an organization. Phone meetings and On-line meetings are not known by many. Karen E. volunteered to set up an email grouping.

Beverly J. stated that there is no problem connecting the OA website with the OA region website. Linda S. will not be able to be the World Service Representative. The requirements for WSR are 1 year of abstinence and 2 years of service.

Shirley F. gave a report on the Retreat Committee (Oct 30-31) Themes were discussed and Shirley proposed we have as a theme "Unmasking a Spooky Disease". John C. made a motion and Dianne D. seconded that we accept the report and theme. Motion passed.

Idea Day is Nov. 6 and it will be lead by Cyndy, the Region IV Chair and will be on the Traditions, focusing on "our" recovery and not "my" recovery.

The Topeka Intergroup is having a Retreat on 7/17/10. Beverly J will be speaking on the tool of service.

John C. volunteered to chair and be the point person for the location, dinner and a speaker for the Region IV Spring Assembly meeting in Kansas City 4/16/11. (The dinner and speaker event will be open to everyone.) We have been asked to present a proposal for having the assembly in Kansas City to the Fall Assembly in Fargo ND on 04/24/10.

The World Service Conference will be 4/26/10 to 5/1/10.

The meeting was closed with the OA Promises.

The next intergroup meeting will be April 24, 2010.