

EEASCNA Minutes- February 2015

Jeremy L. opened Area Service Meeting with moment of silence followed by the Serenity Prayer

Reading of Twelve Traditions – Tim F.

Reading of Twelve Concepts – Deborah M.

Reading of Article II & III: Purpose of EEASCNA – Elaine J

Administration Roll-Call

Key: 0= Not Present, 1= Present, (-) = Vacant

| ROLE | NAME | DEC 2014 | JAN | FEB | MAR | APR | MAY | JUN | JULY | AUG | SEP | OCT | NOV | DEC 2015 |
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| Facilitator | Susan W. | 1 | 1 | - | | | | | | | | | | |
| Co-Facilitator | Donna K. | 0 | 0 | 0 | | | | | | | | | | |
| Secretary | Melissa N. | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | | | | | | | | |
| Alt-Secretary | | - | - | - | | | | | | | | | | |
| Treasurer | Jeremy L. | - | 1 | 1 | | | | | | | | | | |
| Alt-Treasurer | | - | - | - | | | | | | | | | | |
| H&I Chair | Tim F. | - | - | 1 | | | | | | | | | | |
| H&I Vice | | - | - | - | | | | | | | | | | |
| PR Chair | Deborah M. | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | | | | | | | | |
| PR Vice | | - | - | - | | | | | | | | | | |
| Activities | Elaine J. | - | 1 | 1 | | | | | | | | | | |
| Activities Vice | | - | - | - | | | | | | | | | | |
| RCM | Fred C. | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | | | | | | | | |
| RCMA | | - | - | - | | | | | | | | | | |

East End Area Groups Roll Call

Key: 0= Not Present, 1= Present/Represented

- To reach quorum, 50% + 1 of groups present must be in good-standing.
- A quorum must be reached by fifteen (15) minutes after roll call is completed and before any business can be conducted.
- In order for a topic to be enacted, 80% of the groups present must be in good standing.

| 2014- 2015 | DEC | JAN | FEB | MAR | APR | MAY | JUN | JULY | AUG | SEP | OCT | NOV | DEC |
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| By NA Means Necessary | 0 | 0 | 0 | | | | | | | | | | |
| Changing in Grayson | 0 | 0 | 0 | | | | | | | | | | |
| Clean & Free | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | | | | | | | | |
| Covington Miracles | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | | | | | | | | |
| Fahrfromusin | G | 1 | 1 | | | | | | | | | | |
| Far Out | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | | | | | | | | |
| Freedom Group | 0 | 0 | 0 | | | | | | | | | | |
| Get Real | 0 | 0 | 0 | | | | | | | | | | |
| Harvest | 1 | 0 | 0 | | | | | | | | | | |
| Holding On Group | 1 | 0 | 0 | | | | | | | | | | |
| How It Works | 1 | 0 | 1 | | | | | | | | | | |
| Just For Today | 0 | 0 | 1 | | | | | | | | | | |
| Let the Truth Be Told | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | | | | | | | | |
| Monroe New Miracles | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | | | | | | | | |
| NA Vaders | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | | | | | | | | |
| NA Way | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | | | | | | | | |
| Recovery at the Rock | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | | | | | | | | |
| Restoration at work | 1 | 1 | 0 | | | | | | | | | | |
| Sisters in Unity | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | | | | | | | | |
| Survivors | 0 | 0 | 0 | | | | | | | | | | |
| Unlimited Hope | 0 | 1 | 1 | | | | | | | | | | |
| Total of Groups in Area | 21 | 21 | 21 | 21 | 21 | 21 | 21 | 21 | 21 | 21 | 21 | 21 | 21 |
| Total Groups Present | 13 | 12 | 13 | | | | | | | | | | |

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| Groups in Good Standing | 11 | 13 | 13 | | | | | | | | | | |
| Groups Present & G.S. | 8 | 12 | 13 | | | | | | | | | | |
| Quorum (50% + 1) achieved? | N | Y | Y | | | | | | | | | | |
| Consensus (80% present & G.S) achieved? | N | Y | Y | | | | | | | | | | |

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| <p>Groups in Good Standing *As of today's area</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Clean and Free 2. Covington Miracles 3. Farfromusin 4. Far Out 5. How It Works 6. Just For Today 7. Monroe New Miracles 8. NA Vaders 9. NA Way 10. Recovery at the Rock 11. Restoration at Work 12. Sisters in Unity 13. Unlimited Hope | <p>Groups NOT in Good Standing *As of today's area</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. By NA Means Necessary 2. Changing in Grayson 3. Freedom Group 4. Get Real 5. Harvest 6. Holding On 7. Survivors |
| <p>Voting Policy</p> <p>New Groups must attend 3 consecutive Area Meetings to gain voting rights at the 3rd Area.</p> <p>If a group misses 2 consecutive Areas, must attend 2 consecutive Areas to re-gain voting rights at the 2nd.</p> | |

Subcommittee Reports

Admin – Susan W. resigned from Facilitator position for medical reasons. Jeremy is willing to fill in today and AJ will help by taking receipts. Jeremy can continue to fill in as facilitator. Donna has involuntarily resigned due to 3 consecutive absences. Admin is in serious need of qualified, willing, trusted servants.

Treasurer – REPORT ATTACHED

RCM – REPORT ATTACHED (2 topics to go back to groups. Next Region: March 14 & 15, 2015)

H & I – Wednesday night men’s meeting needs help.

PR/Phone – REPORT ATTACHED Nick asked about updating the information to the automated phone list since it is outdated. Subcommittee acknowledged they are working on that.

Activities – REPORT ATTACHED Robert L is going to pick up everything from Paul S. the previous Activities chair.

Group Reports

Asterisk (*) denotes not present

***By NA Means Necessary [Sat 6:30pm]**

***Changing in Grayson [Tues 8:00pm]**

Clean & Free [Mon & Fri 7:30pm] – Barry S. (GSR) Attendance 10-30 with 10-20 Newcomers. Feb 2nd Victor R. celebrates 2 years. Feb 16th Bob J. celebrates 12 years. Feb 20th Barry S. celebrates 3 years. Donation: \$25

Covington Miracles [Tues 8:00pm & Sat 7:30] – Johnny T. (GSR). Attendance 35-40 with 4-5 Newcomers. Celebrations this month: Emily 1 year, Raymond 7 years, Russ 1 year. We could use more sponsors! Donation: \$43

Far Out [Tues & Thurs 8:00pm] – Wanda F. (GSR) Attendance 15-18 with 3-5 Newcomers. Meetings are going well. Donation: \$15

Farfromusin [Sun 7:00pm & Thurs 7:30pm] – Thomas J. (GSR) Feb 22nd two celebrations: Wes K. with 10 years and Helen with 3 years. Meetings are going well, but always could use more support. Donation: \$ 81

***Freedom Group [Wed 8:00pm]**

***Get Real [Mon 7:00pm]**

***Harvest [Thurs 7:45pm]**

***Holding On [Sat 5:00pm]**

How It Works [Mon-Fri 8:00am] – Morris H. (GSR) Attendance 12 with 3 Newcomers. Meetings going well. Donation: \$50

Just for Today [Mon-Fri 1:00pm] – David F. (GSR) Attendance 15 with 2-5 Newcomers. Meeting is going well, getting a lot of newcomer men and women. We have a need for more old timers. Donation: \$150

Let the Truth Be Told [Sat 3:00pm] — Ruben (GSR) Attendance 12 with 3 Newcomers. Old timers, please show up. Also, women are always welcome if they need a meeting. Donation: \$25

Monroe New Miracles [Tues & Fri 8:00pm] – Nick P. (GSR) Attendance 30 with 4 Newcomers. Meetings are going well. No donation at this time.

NA Vaders [Mon 7:30pm] — Brian A. (Alt GSR) Attendance 50 with 25 Newcomers. Aaron will celebrate 2 years on Feb 16th. Meetings are going well. We have created a newcomer friendly format. Donation: \$20

NA Way [Sun, Mon, Wed, Fri] – Mike R. (GSR) Attendance 25 with 3-5 Newcomers. No celebrations. Meetings are going well. No donation at this time.

Recovery at the Rock [Wed 7:30pm] – Bobby D. (GSR) Attendance 15 with 1 Newcomer. We are actively looking for a new location. No donation at this time.

***Restoration at Work [Tues & Thurs 7:00pm]**

Sisters in Unity [Tues 7:00pm] – Blair J. (GSR) Attendance 25 with 8 Newcomers. Sara Y. celebrates 1 year Feb 3rd and Kellie F. celebrates 7 years Feb 17th. Please announce that there is a women's group with regular attendees of women with substantial time clean. Donation: \$25.78

Unlimited Hope [Wed & Fri 7:30] – Sterling (GSR) Average attendance 50 with 10 Newcomers. No problems. Continue to support. Donation: \$50 [Sterling left early]

Old Business

Topic 2014-2 (Audit of all subcommittees)

Assent= 1 Assent w/reservations= 1 Stand Aside= 9 Block= 0

Does NOT reach consensus

Topic 2014-3 (Holding money)

Assent= 3 Assent w/reservations= 0 Stand Aside= 8 Block= 0

Does NOT reach consensus

Nominations/Elections

Many vacant positions! Need qualified, willing trusted servants.

Open Forum

Tim asked about changing date of next Area since it fell on GRCNA weekend.

Blair read statement from Sisters in Unity about reaching out for help from Region:

A home group member of ours has had experience in a previous region and area where the ASC was greatly struggling for willing servants that were entirely capable of fulfilling service positions for the duration of their term as well as to the degree of participation that the position required. It was suggested to reach out to nearby areas and the region and ask for help. The continual impulse to appoint the first willing servant regardless of experience or long term availability had proven to continue the cycle of disorganization, confusion, and ineffective functioning. When the struggling ASC reached out they were given a fresh perspective of suggestions and actions to help give the committee an overhaul in terms of priorities and service concepts. It allowed the area to practice humility and reach back down to the home groups for members to step up and learn about area service with all the principles in the forefront and the well-being of the area above all else. The existing members immediately felt the relief of new wind being put into the sails and it was a well-deserved break for the 10% who were compensating 100% of the work.

New Business

No Topics

Take Back to Groups

→ **VACANT TRUSTED SERVANT POSITIONS:**

Facilitator, Co-Facilitator, Alt. Sec', Alt. Treasurer,

H&I Vice, PR Vice, Activities Vice, RCMA

→ **2 TOPICS FROM REGION GO BACK TO GROUPS. SEE RCM REPORT ATTACHED**

NEXT REGION: MARCH 14 & 15, 2015 (THE WEEKEND AFTER AREA SERVICE)

Plans for the next meeting

MARCH 8TH, AUG LETT CONYERS

Hello Family

We were able to collect donations in Jan in the amount of 579.78 which was deposited into the ASC account. We had expenses in the month of Jan totaling 1192.02. This total was higher because of an H&I Literature order that was placed in Sep of 2014 and had yet to be paid. That bill has now been paid but it has brought us below prudent reserve by the amount of 87.20

I have attached a spreadsheet illustrating these transactions. As well as a year end balance of money donated by the groups. If you have any question feel free to call me my number is [404-542-8509](tel:404-542-8509)

In loving service

Jeremy L.

See Report Below

NARCOTICS ANONYMOUS

Treasurer Report

Month of Jan 2015

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February 01 2015

PR / EEANA
Deborah m

* I had a meeting with our ^{alternate} regional chair, Joe B regarding the Public Service Announcement. We have a uniform letter being used by all PR chairs in ~~to areas~~ which requires an alteration at bottom for contact information from each area. We will be assigned 4 contacts each & will submit said letter to these four stations. I will be requesting a face-to-face meeting to discuss NA & what ~~we are~~ ~~trying to achieve~~ our message is to the public.

* Newport has requested a 2nd presentation in Wilbur, PA. I have asked one of their addicts who spoke previously to speak again on the 18th/19th of February. Myself & Joe B will be present, as well to pass on literature, schedules, and carry the message of hope.

* Corrections to meeting schedule have been made.

* Phone line meeting Tpac
NA approved phone meeting for those that are traveling, or home bound due to illness or injury.
This number is actually posted on west end schedules. East End PR would appreciate being able to add number to our schedule, as well.

* PR Learning Day *
@ Snellville United Methodist Church
MAR 28th noon - 6pm

RCM Report

I attended last December 2014, there were numerous topics that were voted on the floor. The following topic's need to be brought back to the group to be voted on and brought back for next ASC

Next RSC will be Mar 14th-15th, 2015

Central Georgia Convention Complex,
400 Holiday Circle – Forsyth, GA. 31029

Please call and make your reservations 1 month in advance. Motel

6 1-478-994-5691 or Holiday Inn Express 1-478-994-9697
NEW BUSINESS

Topic # 2014- 16

[Back To Groups](#)

Source: South GA RCM

Assent - Assent w/Res - Stand Aside – Block -

Topic: That the GRSCNA create and adopt the position of policy chair

Intent: To have a single point of accountability and responsibility whose sole purpose is to maintain an accurate and current policy for GRSCNA.

Policy Affected:

Financial Impact: Projected budget of \$800 annually

Topic # 2014- 16

[Back to Groups](#)

Source: Midtown RCM

Assent - Assent w/Res - Stand Aside – Block -

Topic: Insert the following definition into the policy to define open forum: "Rules of common courtesy are in place, the rules of order are not. It's an informal time in which ideas can be freely shared, ideas that can help the committee be more effective in fulfilling its purpose." p 64 of the guide to local service
Time limit of the discussion to be determined by the facilitator.

Intent: To provide clear directions to RCMs about what open forum is and should be.

Policy Affected: Article II, Section B, Line 8

RCM Report

Financial Impact: none

OLD BUSINESS

Topic # 2014-10

Consensus reached

Source: Co-facilitator – Tate H.

Assent - 12 Assent w/Res - 0 Stand Aside – 1 Block - 0

Topic: To accept the 2014-2015 policy revision amended to include the following updates:

1. GSR RCM issues changed from 1:00 to 1:30 in Article Eleven
2. Topic # 2013-7 Article Thirteen, A., 3. And subsection n. to 80% federal guidelines for the business rate for mileage.
3. Topic #2013-16 Article 6 D. 2.B. ii and Article 17 : Adds to co-facilitator responsibilities “researches and responds to questions concerning policy at RSC meetings and to make necessary changes to policy to keep our policy current.”
4. Topic #2014-4 Article thirteen A.7. : “travel and lodging expenses shall be paid by the RSC for the RD and RDA to attend the bi-annual conference and quarterly meeting of the WSC.”

Intent: Approve policy

Policy Affected: All topics in force

Financial Impact:

NOMINATIONS and ELECTIONS

GRCNA 35 Vice-Chair – George A Yes - 11 No – 0 Abstain - 2

GRCNA 35 Chair – Robert L.

Yes – 13 No - 0 Abstain - 0

GRC Inc. Pool – Teresa H.

Yes - 13 No - 0 Abstain – 0

VACANCIES Secretary Alt.

Topic # 2014- 14

Consensus Reached

Source: North Atlanta RCM

RCM Report

Assent - 13 Assent w/Res - 0 Stand Aside – 0 Block – 0

Topic: To approve the new Georgia Regional Resume Profile form

Intent: To streamline the resume profile form

Policy Affected: Article 18 A. Forms, # 4

Financial Impact: None

Topic # 2014- 15

Consensus Reached

Source: North Atlanta RCM

Assent - 13 Assent w/Res - 0 Stand Aside – 0 Block - 0

Topic: To approve the new Georgia Region Area RCM Report Form

Intent: To streamline the RCM report form

Policy Affected: Article 18 A. Forms, #1

Financial Impact:

Topic # 2014- 19

Consensus Reached

Source: Midtown RCM

Assent - 12 Assent w/Res - 0 Stand Aside – 0 Block - 0

Topic: Reimburse over the amount budgeted for room expense to zonal forum. (Multi-zonal forum)

Intent: History: Ray L. could not attend the function even though he was scheduled. I did not have time to find another room mate to split the cost. I also covered my own airfare so I saved that amount. It would have been \$350.00

Policy Affected:

Financial Impact: \$101.50

Topic # 2014- 17

Topic declined by straw poll of RCMs as the “pulse” of the body was not for moving forward with this proposal. The body stood in agreement that this request had been satisfied by the financial report provided by the GRC Inc. CFO in June 2014. There was little agreement to set any deadlines or to have any contracts produced as this is not common practice. The GRC Inc. Chair did agree to provide whatever information any trusted servant wanted that was in his possession.

Source: Midtown RCM

Activities Area Report

February 1, 2015

Activities Meet January 22, 2015 at Fahrfromusin 8:30pm

Dinky was elected as the new vice chair for Activities

Next Meeting will be February 12, 2015 at Fahrfromusin at 8:30pm

I would like to thank all those who came out and participated

And the activities committee also members of CPP and Regional Board members

Financial Report

We made \$411.40 we donated \$311.00 GRCNA

We paid \$50.00 For rent of facility and we have \$50.40 in prudent reserve will go toward our next event. Receipts attached for food.

We will not be having an event in February due to the Convention. But we will be planning an event for March.

Trusted Servant

Elaine J.

E.E.A.S.C. GSR Report

Date: _____ Group Name: _____

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| Facility Name? | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Complete Address? Please provide Complete Street Address & Zip Code | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Day(s) of Week? | SUN | MON | TUE | WED | THUR | FRI | SAT | | | | |
| Time(s) of Meetings? | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Meeting Type? | BEGIN | OD | CLOSED | MEN | WOMEN | TRAD | BS | SPK | STEP | SM | |
| Additional Details? | | | | | | | | | | | |

GSR: _____

GSR Alternate: _____

Group Secretary: _____

Group Treasurer: _____

Alt. Secretary: _____

ALT. Treasurer: _____

Avg. Attendance: _____ Newcomers: _____ Date of Next Group Conscious: _____

Please Complete All Areas Below at Every AREA Meeting

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| GSR Phone Number? | () - NEW/CHNG? Y N |
| GSR E-Mail Address? | @ . NEW/CHNG? Y N |
| Group Changes? Please List Time/Date/Format or Location Changes Here | |

Comments for the month (birthdays, group anniversaries, etc...)

Are meetings going well or are there problems that need to be discussed?

What can the area do to help your group carry the message?

Is your group making a donation? _____ Amount: _____

Trusted Servant: _____

“Our service structure depends on the integrity and effectiveness of our communications”
Twelve Concepts of NA Services, Concept 8

Topic Form

All topics must be submitted to writing to the facilitator

Topic # _____ (leave blank)

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| Topic | <input type="checkbox"/> | | Old Business | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Nomination | <input type="checkbox"/> | | New Business | <input type="checkbox"/> |

Please Write Legibly. Be Concise and Clear

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