

# FCANA OCTOBER 2009 MINUTES

<b>FIRST COAST ASC ATTENDANCE &amp; VOTING ELIGIBILITY –OCTOBER 2009</b>				
<b>Position</b>	<b>Trusted Servant</b>	<b>August</b>	<b>September</b>	<b>October</b>
ASC CHAIR	DAVE V.	PP	PP	PP
ASC VICE-CHAIR	TOM B.	PP	PP	PP
SECRETARY	DENA J.	PP	PP	PP
ALT. TREASURER	HERMAN B.	PP	PP	PP
FRC BOARD REP.	JERRY U.	PP	PP	PP
RCM	GIL R.	PP	PP	PP
ALTERNATE RCM	ROBERT M.	PP	AA	AA
ACTIVITIES CHAIR	CLINTON A.	PP	PP	PP
CONV.COM.CHAIR FCACNA	RYAN S.	PP	PP	AP
HELPLINE CHAIR	MARY JO V.	PP	PP	PP
H&I CHAIR	RONALD C.	PP	PA	PA
LIT. DISTRIBUTOR CHAIR	DAWG P.	PP	PP	PP
LIT. REVIEW CHAIR	ROBERT C.	PP	PP	PP
POLICY CHAIR	PHYLLIS C.	PP	PA	PP
P.R. CHAIR	CHELSIE P.	PP	PP	PP
A NEW BEGINNING		PPA	PP	AAA
A NEW LIFE		PPP	AA	PPA
<b>A SECOND CHANCE(NEW)</b>	<b>No Vote November</b>			PAA
A SHOT OF HOPE		AAA	PP	PPP
ALIVE-N-KICKIN!		PPP	PP	PPP
AMELIA ISLAND		PPP	PA	AAA
ANOTHER DAY CLEAN		PPP	PP	PPP
AVONDALE GROUP		PPP	PP	APP
BYOM	<b>No Vote November</b>	AAA	AA	AAA
COURAGE TO CHANGE		PAA	PP	AAA
DEEPNA		PPA	PA	PPA
FERNANDINA BEACH GROUP	<b>No Vote November</b>	AAA	AA	AAA
FRANTIC SERENITY		PAA	PP	AAA
FREEDOM OF CHOICE		PPP	PP	PPP
<b>GIFT OF LIFE(NEW)</b>	<b>No Vote November</b>			PPA
GOD, SELF, AND OTHERS	<b>No Vote November</b>	PAA	AA	AAA
IT WORKS: WE DO RECOVER	<b>No Vote November</b>	AAA	AA	AAA
IT'S ABOUT CHANGE		PPA	PP	PPA
JUST FOR TODAY		PPP	PP	PPP
LIVING WITH HOPE	<b>No Vote November</b>	AAA	AA	AAA
MORE WILL BE REVEALED		PPA	AA	PPA
NEW HOPE GROUP		AAA	PP	AAA
NO MORE EXCUSES		AAA	PP	PPP
<b>NOON GROUP(NEW0</b>	<b>No Vote November</b>			PPA
ON PATHWAY TO RECOVERY		PPA	PA	PPP
R.O.B.W.		PPA	AA	PPP
RECOVERY		PPA	PP	PPP
RECOVERY AT WORK		PPA	AA	PPP
RIVERSIDE NOON GROUP		PPP	PP	PPP
SICKER THAN MOST		PPP	PP	PPP
SPIRITUAL AWAKENING		PPP	AA	PPA
TIMUQUANA GROUP		AAA	PP	PPP
TURNING POINT		PPP	PP	PPP
WAY OUT GROUP		PPP	PP	PPP
YOUTH & RECOVERY		PPP	PP	PPP
Eligible at opening roll call = 19	Quorum = 10	2/3 Majority = 12		Simple = 11
Highlighted not eligible to vote at November ASC. Reinstated = after 2 consecutive months				

## Meeting Opens

The First Coast Area Service Committee (ASC) met Saturday, October 10, 2009 at The Shepherd of the Woods Lutheran Church; 7860 Southside Boulevard Jacksonville, FL 32256.

**(Next month, November 14<sup>th</sup>, the ASC will meet at the same location. The Shepherd of the Woods Lutheran Church; 7860 Southside Boulevard Jacksonville, Florida 32256)**

The meeting was called to order at 11:10 a.m. by the Chair and opened with a moment of silence followed by the Service Prayer. The 12 Traditions were read by Dennis S. and the 12 Concepts were read by Mike B. The floor was opened to anyone wanting to address the First Coast Area.

### Open Forum:

Good Morning Group Service Representatives, Committee Chairs, Executive Committee, and members of the First Coast Area. I humbly come to you as a trusted servant asking for your support. Our Area Convention is less than a month away and we have yet to fulfill our room block commitment with the host hotel. This is important because by fulfilling our room block commitment we defray some of the cost associated with holding our convention here. Also, we need as many people as possible to register and although early registration is now closed we will hope that those of you that are planning on attending will do so and encourage others as well.

Our first tradition states: Our common welfare should come first; personal recovery depends on NA unity. My recovery has been directly dependent on you and the God of my understanding. I have found that what is best for the group is usually good for me. I believe that a convention is a time to celebrate our recovery, fellowship with old friends and gain insight on various topics that affect us in our daily lives. It can also be a time for self-reflection and recommitment to our personal program among other various spiritual benefits.

With our convention just weeks away, I am appealing to each of you to please help your elected convention committee to provide a recovery filled weekend. This is OUR (First Coast Area of Narcotics Anonymous) convention, not the FCANA IX Convention Committees; convention. Yes this committee was elected and entrusted to use their creative spirits along with a bond of selflessness to host a convention that encompasses our primary purpose of carrying the message to the addict that still suffers.

This being said, I believe that we will come together and demonstrate our convention theme for this year of EMBRACE RECOVERY THROUGH NA UNITY. This area has embraced me and this has helped strengthen my recovery. The unity I have found within my personal support group, home group and sponsorship family sustains that recovery. I am asking all GSR's to please ask members from your respective meetings to register or reserve a hotel room for those that can afford it. More importantly, please make time to attend and share your experience, strength and hope with your fellow addicts. Please remember "We must live and work together as a group to ensure that in a storm our ship does not sink and our members do not perish." With faith in a Power greater than ourselves, hard work, and unity we survive and continue to carry the message to the addict who still suffers. Thank you for allowing me to share with you this morning.

A Grateful Recovering Addict  
Ishmael M.

## Secretary's Report

### Secretary's Report – Saturday, October 10, 2009 – FCANA

Hi Family!

The past month, the minutes got out on time.

The minutes and the forms we use are located on our website in the Area Service section: <http://www.firstcoastna.org/area.htm>. If you or your home group DO NOT get the minutes, please have someone help you download them from our website. We would like a home group member e-mail address for a back up contact for your home group for reminders and last minute announcements and events that periodically show up.

We are circulating the GSR/ALT GSR contact information sheet. Please make sure that it is correct.

We are also circulating the calendar. Please make note of any upcoming events. Info can also be sent to us at [secretary@firstcoastna.org](mailto:secretary@firstcoastna.org) or the webmaster at [webservant@firstcoastna.org](mailto:webservant@firstcoastna.org).

Here's the list of our expenses:

<b>SECRETARY EXPENSES</b>	<b>(AUG)</b>
Minutes UPS (1) 500 pre-paid copy card	\$ 32.10
Stamps USPS	\$
Envelopes @ STAPLES	\$
Cover Stock Cards for Name Plates	\$ 8.55
<b>Total Expenses</b>	<b>\$ 40.65</b>
Budgeted Cash Advanced	\$ 50.00
<b>Money Left Over (Returned)</b>	<b>\$ 9.35</b>
Total Reimbursement Requested	\$

In Loving Service,

*Dena J.*  
Secretary, FCANA

\*\*\*Motion to accept was made by Alive –N- Kickin! And was seconded by Freedom of Choice.

<b>October 2009 Treasurer's Report</b>			
<b>STARTING BALANCE (10/10/09)</b>			<b>\$652.43</b>
<b>OCTOBER INCOMING FUNDS</b>			
<b>GROUP FUNDS</b>	<b>LITERATURE</b>	<b>7<sup>TH</sup> TRADITION</b>	<b>CASH FOR DEPOSIT</b>
A New Life			
A Shot of Hope	\$23.59		\$23.59
Alive & Kickin!			
Amelia Island Group			
Another Day Clean	\$2.94		\$2.94
Avondale Group	\$78.40	\$24.60	\$103.00
BYOM			
Courage To Change			
Deepna	\$12.19	\$109.81	\$122.00
Fernandina Beach Group			
Frantic Serenity			
Freedom of Choice			
God, Self and Others			
It Works, We Do Recover			
It's About Change	\$4.82	\$0.18	\$5.00
Just For Today			
Living With Hope			
More Will Be Revealed	\$30.12	\$2.13	\$32.25
New Hope Group			
No More Excuses	\$20.00	\$3.83	\$23.83
On The Pathway to Recovery			
Rebuilding Our Broken World	\$64.44	\$17.76	\$82.20
Recovery		\$115.18	\$115.18
Recovery at Work	\$43.56	\$40.00	\$83.56
Riverside Noon Group		\$27.16	\$27.16
Sicker Than Most	\$29.64		\$29.64
Spiritual Awakening	\$15.93	\$31.32	\$47.25
Timuquana Group	\$65.53	\$28.47	\$94.00
Turning Point	\$194.09	\$25.56	\$219.65
Way Out	\$7.81	\$22.19	\$30.00
Youth & Recovery		\$40.30	\$40.30
<b>SUBTOTAL GROUPS</b>	<b>\$593.06</b>	<b>\$488.49</b>	<b>\$1081.55</b>
<b>OTHER INCOMING FUNDS</b>			
ASC Secretary Return			\$9.35
Hospitals & Institutions Secretary Return			\$7.90
Activities Return of Seed Money			\$200.00
Public Relations Return			\$3.70
<b>TOTAL INCOMING FUNDS</b>			<b>\$1302.50</b>

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<b>SEPTEMBER OUTGOING FUNDS</b>			<b>CASH OUT</b>
<b>SUBCOMMITTEES</b>			
Meeting Schedules/cash advance October			
Helpline (rent)			\$10.00
Literature Distributor			\$14.45
H&I (rent)			\$40.29
Secretary (cash advance)			\$40.00
Public Relations			
Regional Expenses			
Activities			
Treasurer (stamps)			
ASC			
Literature Review			
<b>TOTAL CASH OUT</b>			<b>\$104.74</b>
<b>TOTAL FOR DEPOSIT (see attached)</b>			<b>\$1197.76</b>
<b>STARTING BALANCE (10/10/09)</b>			<b>\$652.43</b>
<b>TOTAL</b>			<b>\$1850.19</b>
<b>RECURRING EXPENSES</b>			
Absent Answer ck# 2015			\$325.00
P.O. BOX ck# 2016			\$60.00
FRSO FCA Literature Order ck# 2017			\$868.67
<b>TOTAL RECURRING EXPENSES</b>			<b>\$1253.67</b>
<b>AVAILABLE FUNDS</b>			<b>\$596.52</b>

WACHOVIA BANK, NA  
RIVERSIDE  
JACKSONVILLE

DEPOSIT TO ACCT# 2xxxxxxx4941  
AMOUNT \$1,446.43

Cash In \$1,156.55  
09/14/09 00850 0229 # 00001111

Time: 09:36 AM

Calendar Date: 09/14/09

Deposit Effective Date: 09/14/09

Thank You For Your Business  
Wachovia

19,132

CB

9/01/2009 thru 9/30/2009

Account Owner(s): FIRST COAST AREA

**Account Summary**

Opening balance 9/01	\$2,065.13
Deposits and other credits	1,446.43 +
Checks	1,932.65 -
Closing balance 9/30	\$1,578.91

**Deposits and Other Credits**

Date	Amount	Description
9/14	1,446.43	DEPOSIT
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$1,446.43</b>	

**Checks**

Number	Amount	Date posted	Number	Amount	Date posted	Number	Amount	Date posted
2011	1,602.70	9/04	2013*	329.95	9/24	<b>Total</b>	<b>\$1,932.65</b>	

\* Indicates a break in check number sequence

**Daily Balance Summary**

Dates	Amount	Dates	Amount	Dates	Amount
9/04	462.43	9/14	1,908.86	9/24	1,578.91

UPDATE TO DEBIT CARD AGREEMENT, ACCOUNT NUMBER UPDATED IF YOU AUTHORIZE MERCHANTS TO BILL YOU. PAYMENTS AND IT CHANGES, YOUR NEW C. MERCHANTS, INCLUDING USERS OF VISA A UNLESS THE CARD NUMBER BEING REPLAC

WACHOVIA BANK, NA  
RIVERSIDE  
JACKSONVILLE

DEPOSIT TO ACCT# 2xxxxxxx4941  
AMOUNT \$1,197.76

Cash In \$562.93  
10/13/09 00850 0193 # 0000229

Time: 02:21 PM

Calendar Date: 10/12/09

Deposit Effective Date: 10/13/09

Thank You For Your Business  
Wachovia

WACHOVIA BANK, N.A. , SM-BUS FC-FIRST COAST



## RCM REPORT

### **MEETING PLACE:**

**DAY/TIME:** September 18<sup>th</sup>-20<sup>th</sup>, 2009

### **OPEN FORUM /AREA SUPPORT MEETING:**

Questions fielded by Ken, Tampa Funcoast, Re: Ad-hoc to form new Region within the state of Florida. States that the primary goal is to best serve the addicts in the Florida Region. Not pushing an agenda. They are compiling information and asking for participation, pros and cons, to better facilitate a decision. BJ asks whether they have looked into becoming a Metro rather than a Region. They have not, per Ken. The Ad-hoc feels that the Region has become obsolete with the development of areas and their ability to carry the service structure. Feels that money could be saved on travel and used on other resources. BJ questioned their figures as far as travel expenses are concerned. Figures are inaccurate. Ken states that the figure the Ad-hoc came up with is a combination of Regional and Area expenses. BJ advised that this was not clear in the report.

Bob K. expresses concern about how forming a new service structure serves the addict who still suffers. Feels that the aim of the committee to save money is an admirable goal, but fails to see the feasibility of a new region. Would be at least 4 years, if ever, that they could be represented on the World Board.

Kathy from Bay Area wonders whether the Ad-hoc is aware of the benefit of the resources available that won't be as easily accessible if another region is formed. Where would the access to resources come from for the new region if they separate from this body.

Ken states that they are only gathering information and no decision has been made. They are only looking at ideas and requesting input.

Bob G.: Fair to say that the letter only asks for support. Discussion on this is closed by the facilitator.

Michelle, Chain O'Lakes: First time at RSC is asking for a copy of the RSC policy. Per BJ, it is available from the RSO or online. Yvonne, from the Bahamas, introduced Peter as new RCM. Liz, Greater Orlando Area, presented a couple of questions from the Orlando Area: An overabundance of Spanish language literature in their Area and is looking for areas that may need some. ASL meetings? Are any other areas doing them? Needs feedback. Per Christi Beth, there is a DVD available from WSO. Carlos, Tampa Funcoast, states that no one from Tampa Funcoast has been authorized to speak at the Florida Region.

### **Fellowship Development – First Year Inventory**

For this session, again we formed groups of 4-6 members and each group came up with 2-4 questions/issues/ideas to discuss regarding this new structure. The complete set of questions are part of the FD report. In summary the key ideas which came out of the inventory are as follows:

- HRP needs help. The open HRP positions need to be filled.
- Establish a moratorium on Workgroups.
- Workgroups must become more efficient, i.e. work needs to get done in the periods between Region; not at Region.
- The Google Groups are not being exploited to the degree which they can be. Technology is not being fully exploited.

After the Brainstorming session we got with our corresponding Workgroups. I'm involved with the Tax exempt/Incorporation Workgroup and we basically do our work between regions so we did not have much to do. Reviewed letter going out and got the mailing list to confirm all the addresses.

## SUBCOMMITTEE REPORTS

### ACTIVITIES

**MEETING PLACE:** 5616 Atlantic Blvd.

**DAY/TIME:** Third Saturday of each month / 1p.m. – 2p.m.

### **COMMENTS/ PROBLEMS, QUESTIONS:**

We are going to meet next Saturday and go over some things we would like to try Dec., I am giving back \$200.00 as you asked for, the \$68.00 and receipts are still in the hands of the Convention Comm. Chair.

**ACCOMPLISHMENTS, GOALS, ACTIVITIES:**

**ITEMIZED MONTHLY EXPENSES:**

**MOTIONS TO ASC:**

**CHAIR:** Clinton A. **VICE-CHAIR:** Open **TREASURER:** Open **SECRETARY:** Terri G.

**SUBMITTED BY:** Clinton A.

**CONVENTION COMMITTEE FCACNA 9**

**MEETING PLACE:** Hope House, 5616 Atlantic Blvd.

**DAY/TIME:** October 06, 2009 / 5:30 p.m.-7:30p.m.

**COMMENTS, PROBLEMS, QUESTIONS:**

All members were present, with the exception of Convention Info Chair. We only had 10 room reservations at this time, but the cut off day has been extended until next Tuesday 10/13/09. The Convention Committee will be meeting on the 13<sup>th</sup> and 20<sup>th</sup> at the hotel in the Captains room at 5:30p.m. The budget is to be submitted next week to the committee. Registration has amount of \$541.62 with Office Depot for magnets, pens, etc. and needs check to be written. Discounts are closed on registration and will now be \$20.00 to register.

**ACCOMPLISHMENTS, GOALS, ACTIVITIES:**

Chose to have individual snacks; not peanut butter and jelly. Play for convention will be on November 07. Voted for fundraiser and dance on 10/16/09, Special Event for Friday night will be at 10:00p.m.

**TREASURER'S REPORT:**

Starting: \$5,038.34 After submission of checks for budgets presented: \$3,000 Ending: \$2,038.34 (est.)

**MOTIONS TO ASC:**

**CHAIR:** Ryan S. **VICE-CHAIR:** Warren L. **TREASURER:** Lorraine T. **SECRETARY:** Vanetta S.

**SUBMITTED BY:** Ryan S.

**HELPLINE**

**MEETING PLACE:** 4050 Barnes Rd. Calvin Presbyterian Church

**DAY/TIME:** October 05, 2009 / 7p.m. 1<sup>st</sup> Monday of each month

**COMMENTS, PROBLEMS, QUESTIONS:**

All shifts are covered. Researching 2 options to answering service and also changing text delays from Absent Answer helping to reduce minutes with them for possible re-negotiation of contract & reduction of price. We are still requesting each group consider sending a representative to the Helpline Subcommittee to assist us in serving you better.

**ACCOMPLISHMENTS, GOALS, ACTIVITIES:**

Making changes to Helpline guidelines and in light of Area finances and discussions regarding no funds available to send committee chairs to RSC's; It is our intent to change our policy to reflect that we no longer are required to attend 3 RSC's. We will, however, continue to submit a report to RCM.

**ITEMIZED MONTHLY EXPENSES:**

\$10.00 rent Billed \$325 – Absent Answer & approx. \$28.00 – AT&T

**MOTIONS TO ASC:**

**CHAIR:** Mary Jo V. **VICE-CHAIR:** Peggy M. **SECRETARY:** Amy K.

**SUBMITTED BY:** Mary Jo V.

**HOSPITALS AND INSTITUTIONS**

**MEETING PLACE:** Hope House 5616 Atlantic Blvd.

**DAY/TIME:** October 01, 2009 / 6 p.m. – 7 p.m. 1<sup>st</sup> Thursday of every month

**COMMENTS, PROBLEMS, QUESTIONS:**

We met on 10-01-09 at 6p.m. We have received another letter from the Baker County Correctional requesting an H&I presentation and agreed that we will revisit this. We are still without a Vice-Chair.

**ACCOMPLISHMENTS, GOALS, ACTIVITIES:**

The subcommittee agreed to make some adjustments and do the best we can to make the new proposed budget (which is \$250.00 monthly from \$500.00) work for the greater whole.

**ITEMIZED MONTHLY EXPENSES:**

Last month we received \$40.00 from the ASC. \$32.10 was spent at UPS for a pre-paid copy card and we will be returning \$7.90. We will need \$40.00 for rent.

**MOTIONS TO ASC:**

**CHAIR:** Ronald C. **VICE-CHAIR:** Open **SECRETARY:** Yvonne W.

**SUBMITTED BY:** Ronald C.

**LITERATURE DISTRIBUTOR**

**MEETING PLACE:** -N-

**DAY/TIME:** -N-

**COMMENTS, PROBLEMS, QUESTIONS:** Still learning. Willing to call ALL GSR's or contacts for to bring the Lit order to the home groups to stamp in order to build the support for the committee. So, if they (groups) wants to support the committee I will bring their orders to them to get stamped. If not to support the committee they can pick up at the ASC.

**ACCOMPLISHMENTS, GOALS, ACTIVITIES:**

**CHAIR:** Dawg P. (pro-tem) **ALTERNATE:** Open

**SUBMITTED BY:** Dawg P.

**LITERATURE REVIEW**

**MEETING PLACE:** 5616 Atlantic Blvd. at the Hope House / 1 in attendance

**DAY/TIME:** September 24, 2009 / 6:45p.m. – 7:45 p.m. Last Thursday of every month.

**COMMENTS, PROBLEMS, QUESTIONS:**

We couldn't conduct business due to no participation. We need "HELP"

**ACCOMPLISHMENTS, GOALS, ACTIVITIES:**

**ITEMIZED MONTHLY EXPENSES:**

**CHAIR:** Robert C. **VICE-CHAIR:** Open **SECRETARY:** Phyllis C. (pro-tem)

**SUBMITTED BY:** Robert C.

**POLICY**

**MEETING PLACE:** The Shepherd of the Woods Lutheran Church

**DAY/TIME:** October 10, 2009 2<sup>nd</sup> Saturday at 9:45a.m. Prior to ASC

**COMMENTS, PROBLEMS, QUESTIONS:**

#090901 – Motion reviewed, does not violate Traditions or Concepts. Sent back to groups, according to Roberts Rules the order of the day can be changed at any time.

**ACCOMPLISHMENTS, GOALS, ACTIVITIES:**

Reviewed subcommittee guidelines, budget updates. We need volunteers to help. We would like a show of hands to see if anyone is interested in assisting.

**RECCOMENDATIONS:**

**MOTIONS TO ASC:**

**CHAIR:** Phyllis C. **VICE-CHAIR:** Dave G. **SECRETARY:** Open

**SUBMITTED BY:** Dave G.

**PUBLIC RELATIONS**

**MEETING PLACE:** 5616 Atlantic Blvd. at the Hope House

**DAY/TIME:** October 07, 2009 / 6:30p.m. First Wednesday of every month.

**COMMENTS, PROBLEMS, QUESTIONS:**

The PR subcommittee has voted to change our meeting time, date, and location to the LAST Monday of every month, 7p.m. at Recovery Jax 3920 Spring Park Rd. Please announce in your home groups as we are hoping for more support. Our next meeting is to be held Oct. 26<sup>th</sup> at 7p.m.

**ACCOMPLISHMENTS, GOALS, ACTIVITIES:**

The orientation for Sept. 19<sup>th</sup>'s Information booth was well attended by 8 recovering addicts who in

support donated funds to purchase a Basic Text blue banner with “Narcotics Anonymous” written on it for the Subcommittees continued use both at the Keep Kids Drug Free annual event and any future events. Thank you to all who were of service with their time and a special thanks to the Gratitude Group for allowing the PR subcommittee to borrow both their IP rack as well as IP’s for that event. Meeting schedule changes are continuing to be updated on the website on an as needed basis. Please note any changes to downloadable schedule will be done monthly directly following ASC meetings. Please e-mail PR Chair with any changes you may be aware of on schedule at e-mail address: [pr@firstcoastna.org](mailto:pr@firstcoastna.org). Meeting schedules again were ordered in a quantity of 1500 to be distributed back to the groups. Please all home groups, bring back any unused schedules every month to next ASC meetings as we pass these on to H&I to take into facilities.

**ITEMIZED MONTHLY EXPENSES:**

Meeting Schedules total cost \$96.30 this month at Copy Right Jax., minus \$100.00 advanced to subcommittee, leaves \$3.70 to be refunded to ASC.

**MOTIONS FOR ASC:**

**CHAIR:** Chelsie P. **VICE-CHAIR:** Open **SECRETARY:** Open

**SUBMITTED BY:** Michael B.

**GSR REPORTS**

GROUP	ATT. / NEW.	COMMENTS	DON. / LIT.	GSR
<b>A New Beginning</b> 511 West 11 <sup>th</sup> Street Inside the Help Center Mon., Wed. & Sat. 7pm				
<b>A New Life</b> <b>Sunday 7pm</b> 1 <sup>st</sup> Timothy Baptist 12103 Biscayne Blvd. Sunday 7pm				
<b>A Shot of Hope</b> 1 <sup>st</sup> Christian Church 11924 San Jose Blvd.	78/ 06	All is Well.	0/ 23.59	Gwen S.
<b>Alive-N-Kickin!</b> Calvary United Methodist 112 Blanding Blvd. Orange Park, In back	200/ 25-30	Things are great. Speaker meeting last Saturday of the month.	0/ 0	Michael R.
<b>Amelia Island</b> 302 South 14 <sup>th</sup> Street First Assembly of God				
<b>Another Day Clean</b> 12791 Old St. Augustine Rd. Mandarin Church of Christ Mon. & Thu. 7pm	191/ 06	Attendance is up. Meetings are great! Newcomers welcome. Come join us for Another Day Clean.	0/ 2.94	Sharon T.
<b>Avondale Group</b> 4172 Shirley Ave. Tue. & Thu. 8pm	161/ 13		24.60/ 78.40	Ken B./ Michele D.
<b>BYOM</b> 7944 Smyrna Street Tuesday 8pm Friday 10pm				
<b>Courage to Change</b> Thu. 6:30 – 7:30pm 2002 San Pablo Rd. S. Sat. 7:00 – 8:00pm 150 Sherry Drive				

<b>Deepna</b> Kennedy Center 1 <sup>st</sup> and Ionia Street Tue. & Thu. 7:30pm Wed. 12 – 1pm	745/ 27	The group is having no problem at this time and they are going well at this time.	109.81/ 12.19	Arthur S.
<b>Fernandina Beach</b> 1200 Elm Street MLK Center Tue. & Thu. 8:00 pm				
<b>Frantic Serenity</b> 1100 Stockton St Fri. & Sun. 8pm 5616 Atlantic Blvd. Sat. 11am				
<b>Freedom of Choice</b> Mon. & Fri. 10am Kennedy Center 1 <sup>st</sup> & Ionia Street Thu. 10am Grace Baptist Church 1608 East 21 <sup>st</sup> Street		ALL IS WELL. WE WOULD LIKE TO HAVE SOME MORE PARTICIPATION IN SERVICE.	0/ 0	Mario S.
<b>God, Self, and Others</b> 1710 North Kernan Rd. Hope Community Church Tue. 7:30pm – 8:30pm				
<b>It Works: We Do Recover</b> Corner of 7 <sup>th</sup> and Main St. /Palatka, Emmanuel United Methodist Church.				
<b>It's About Change</b> 5616 Atlantic Blvd. Sun. 3:00 – 4:30pm	100/ 03	We are doing fine.	.18/ 4.82	Clinton A.
<b>Just for Today</b> 3920 Spring Park Rd. Recovery Jax	150/ 10	All is well.	0/ 0	Gary H./ Josh R.
<b>Living with Hope</b> Shepard of the Woods 6595 Columbia Park Ct.				
<b>More Will Be Revealed</b> 1301 North Myrtle Ave. Baptist Church Thurs. 8:00 – 9:30pm		Group is keeping the doors open and practicing the 5 <sup>th</sup> Tradition. I'm the new GSR of my home group and humbly accept the commitment to serve my group and this Area.	2.13/ 30.12	Francis K.
<b>New Hope Group</b> Central Baptist Church 524 West 3 <sup>rd</sup> Street M., W., Sat. 8pm				
<b>No More Excuses</b> Calvin Pres. Church 4050 Barnes Rd. Tues. 7pm – 8pm	72/ 01	Need women support have a lot of newcomers and ladies w/ children. Pam C.	3.62/ 20.21	Pam C./ Terri G.
<b>On The Pathway to Recovery</b> 611 East Adams St. Salzbaucher Wed. 10am – 11am	60/ 05	We are doing well, still need your support.	0/ 0	Willie M. S.
<b>Rebuilding Our Broken World</b> 5616 Atlantic Blvd. Tues & Thurs 8:00 – 9:30 pm	234/ 08	In need of Trusted Servants. Meetings going Great!	17.76/ 64.44	Johnny H.
<b>Recovery</b> 5616 Atlantic Blvd. M, W, F @ 8pm	458/ 16	All is well	115.18/ 0	Sean D.

<b>Recovery @ Work</b> 211 E. Macclenny Ave. Tue. & Sat. 8-9pm	100/ 20	All is Good	40.00/ 43.56	Chester H./ Dorie B.
<b>Riverside Noon Group</b> Good Shepherd Church Forbes @ Stockton Tuesday 12:00pm	105/ 03	All is well, Thank you!	27.16/ 0	Bernard W.
<b>Sicker Than Most</b> Calvin Presbyterian- Barnes & Kennerly Sun. & Thu. 8:00 pm	155/ 01	Our Thursday night meeting time will move from 7p.m. to 8p.m. beginning in November.	0/ 29.64	Kendra S.
<b>Spiritual Awakening</b> 1350 13 <sup>th</sup> Ave. South Jax. Beach 9:30am Baptist Medical Center				
<b>Timuquana</b> 5906 Lynn Street First Lutheran Church M, W, F 8pm-9pm	110/ 03	All Good	28.47/ 65.53	Mike C./ Reggie E.
<b>Turning Point</b> Shepherd of the Woods Lutheran Church 7860 Southside Blvd. Sun 6pm, M 8p.m., Tue 9:30pm, Sat 10pm	689/ 30	All is well	25.56/ 194.09	Open/ Debbie R.
<b>Way Out Group</b> St. Mary's Episcopal Middleburg Presbyterian Thursday 8pm	49/ 01	Outside meeting Smoking permitted (Tobacco)	22.19/ 7.81	Dennis S.
<b>Youth &amp; Recovery</b> 5616 Atlantic Blvd. Hope House Sat. 8-9 pm Friday 12-1am	Ave. Fri. 7/ Ave. Sat. 35	All is well.	40.30/ 0	Dennis C./ Tom J.

## ELECTIONS & NOMINATIONS

### **FCACNA X Chair**

I Chester H. have the willingness to be your FCACNA 10 Chair. I have a sponsor whom has a sponsor. I have 16 years clean time. I have served as GSR for my home group, H&I and Literature Distributor for this Area. Always served this Area in the most important way, Keep coming back.

Most Sincerely,  
Chester H.

### **FCACNA X Vice-Chair**

I, Mary Jo V., have the willingness to serve as FCACNA 10 Vice-Chair. I am currently chair of Helpline and have served as Vice-Chair and Secretary of that sub-committee. I am also Treasurer of my home group and have served as Secretary and filled in as GSR when needed. I have a sponsor, who has a sponsor, who has a sponsor in NA. My clean date is 9/12/05.

In Loving Service,  
Mary Jo V.

**FCACNA X Treasurer**

I, Sharon T. have the willingness to be the Treasurer of FCACNA 10. I have been clean 5 yrs. Been the GSR of my home group for the past 3 years. I have worked all 12 steps. Try to practice spiritual principles in all my affairs. Was a Bank Teller & New Accounts Rep. for 4 yrs prior to becoming an RN. I have a working knowledge of all 12 Traditions & Concepts.

Thank You for allowing me to be of service,  
Sharon T.

**FCACNA X Chair**

God willing and the creek don't rise; Warren will be celebrating his 6<sup>th</sup> year anniversary clean time in 6 weeks, this November 2009. He has a sponsor who has a sponsor, who also has a sponsor, who has a sponsor. He is intimately familiar with the 12 Steps of recovery, the 12 Traditions; and has first hand experience and a working knowledge of the Twelve Concepts of NA. For the last 5 years Warren has served at some level or other on the FCACNA Convention Committees; and has most recently served in the position as Vice-Chair of the Executive Committee.

He is very grateful for all of his 5 years of experience and would like to extend a welcome to all and encourage others to participate at some level on the Convention Committee for this next year.

According to the guidelines, to serve as Vice-Chair also comes with a 2 year commitment. Last year Jerry U., who was the ASC Chair at the time, asked me in Open Forum and I agreed to that 2 year commitment. I am here today to appropriately step up and honor that commitment. However, I have spoken at some length, with Chester H. who has expressed to me that he has a "burning desire" to be the Chairman of FCACNA 10. With that being a given, I would very much like to humbly ask the present body of the Area Service Committee to allow me to gracefully step aside to allow Chester H. to be considered as the next best candidate for a Chairman FCACNA 10 Committee, otherwise, I will step up as agreed.

I would very much like to thank the ASC for the opportunity to have served over these last 5 years and further pledge my commitment to be available for any advice and counsel as desired by any new Convention Committee member for FCACNA 10 coming next year.

I would like to also add that being a part of any of the Convention Committee or any of the various Sub-Committees is "actually" a whole lot of fun. "Just think about it," we are "the" people in the decision making process to pick out things like: which hotel is the best one, is there adequate parking, do they have a favorable banquet menu, deciding on the Convention Theme, the logo and color and quantity on the T-shirts, snacks for the brakroom, who will e the Main speaker, which DJ are we going to hire for the dance; and of course much more, it's a lot of fun!!!!

It's a great opportunity and learning experience to be a part of actually making something happen for NA. Although, there are certain clean time requirements, everybody is, Welcomed and Encouraged to be a "part of" and "participate in" making our which is your Convention happen. There ain't no "you, them, and they's" here. It's all I, me, us and we.

Thank you again, J. Warren L.

**Literature Distributor**

Addict Dawg

Been loyal devoted member of NA since '87 until my fuck up in 2006. Been back, working knowledge of the Steps & Traditions. My clean date is October 30, 2008. Been Pro-Tem for the last 2 months.

Dawg

**ELECTED POSITIONS**

## **OLD BUSINESS (FORMAT: YEAR/MONTH/#)**

**Maker:** Alive –N- Kickin!

**Second:** Way Out Group

**Motion # 090901**

**Date:** 09/13/09

**Motion:** Change the ASC format to conduct Area business prior to group reports.

**Intent:** To ensure and encourage full group participation in matters affecting area business and to reach the objective of a quorum.

**Reference:**

**Status:** Still in policy for discussion.

## **NEW BUSINESS (FORMAT: YEAR/MONTH/#)**

**Maker:** Sicker than Most

**Second:** Freedom of Choice

**Motion # 091001**

**Date:** 10/10/09

**Motion:** Remove all names and personal phone numbers from the meeting schedule.

**Intent:** Keeping in accordance with the 11<sup>th</sup> and 12<sup>th</sup> traditions.

**Reference:**

**Status:** Tabled to Policy.

**Maker:** FRC Board

**Second:** JFT

**Motion # 091002**

**Date:** 10/10/09

**Motion:** To accept the approved Florida Regional Convention guidelines: Policy approves by Florida Region July 2006.

**Intent:** To be up to date with 1<sup>st</sup> Coast policy as it applies to FRC Board.

**Reference:** Concept 8

**Status:** Tabled- E-file to be sent to policy to update policy.

**Maker:** FRC Board

**Second:** RAW

**Motion # 091003**

**Date:** 10/10/09

**Motion:** To have policy committee form an AD-HOC Committee to look into Consensus Based Decision Making.

**Intent:** Because it would be part of 1<sup>st</sup> Coast policy if passed, it would be best that policy be responsible to looking into it.

**Reference:** Concept 9

**Status:** Sent to policy to create AD-HOC Committee.

\*\*\*People with the willingness to be a part of the FRC Committee will be added into FRC Board Representative's Report at next ASC. Willie Mae S., Pam C., and Sean D. with their respective positions.

**CALENDAR AND CONTACT LIST**  
**ARE IN SEPARATE ATTACHMENT**