

First Coast Area Service Committee (ASC) of Narcotics Anonymous met July 8, 2017 at 1133 Ionia St. Jacksonville, FL.

- The ASC Policy Chairperson called the meeting to order at 11:00 a.m. The meeting opened with a moment of silence followed by the Service Prayer. NA members read the Twelve Traditions and the Twelve Concepts.
- The floor was opened to anyone wishing to address the First Coast Area Service Committee:

(Note: During this time, one GSR left causing the Committee to lose quorum needed for voting privileges)

1. Tish R- Posed question as to why is our Area paying taxes on Literature Orders if we possess a 501C?

➤ Mark C- Explained it is legitimate and customary to pay tax per order rather than collect tax upfront.

➤ ASC was satisfied with explanation.

2. H & I Chair expressed desire for alternative solution in the consistent inability to vote and elect trusted servants into positions who submitted letters of willingness due to lack of quorum being met.

1. No solution was agreed upon, with the lack of voting privileges the Trusted Servants possessed.

Resume Order of the day....

- **OLD BUSINESS:**

1. An addict (Mia) wants to start a new meeting. In lieu of no ASC Public Relations Chairperson, an Ad-hoc committee will be formed to include H & I Chairperson, Avondale Homegroup GSR and ASC Secretary. The Ad-hoc committee will go out and let the facility know about the program and fellowship of Narcotics Anonymous.
2. (Nominations/ Submissions) At previous ASC (June 10th) several members submitted letters of willingness to serve:
 - Erica S submitted letter of willingness to serve as ASC Vice Chairperson
 - Catherine S submitted letter of willingness to serve as ASC Treasurer
 - Maddy H submitted letter of willingness to serve as ASC Secretary
 - Rob C submitted letter of willingness to serve as ASC Literature Chairperson
 - Alex J submitted letter of willingness to serve as Vice Literature Chairperson(All letters attached in previous ASC minutes; June 10, 2017)

- **NEW BUSINESS**

1. Mia (addict wanting to start a new meeting, who addressed Area last month) has name for proposed new meeting: “After the Smoke Clears.” Meeting is proposed to meet at 1704 N. Pearl St. Jacksonville, FL 32206. Meeting is proposed to meet every Saturday from 6:30p.m. – 7:30p.m. Meeting format is proposed to be Open and Smoking, meeting on the outside porch of facility. Mia has ordered Literature Starter Pack and is inquiring on how to move forward with legitimizing meeting and having it added to FCA Meeting Schedule.
2. Sunshine M submitted letter of willingness to serve as Alternative Secretary for Area (see attached)

New GSR's:

1. Tish R new GSR for *Sicker than Most*
2. Willie Mae new GSR for *On the Pathway to Recovery*
3. Sunshine M new GSR for *Timuquana*

	Home Groups	GSR	April 2017	May 2017	June 2017	July 2017
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1	A New Life	Zena	P	P	A	A
2	A Second Chance	Hakeem	P	A	A	A
3	Alive-N-Kickin!	Sean	A	A	P	A
4	Avondale Group	Joe	P	P	P	P
5	BYOM	Frederick H	P	P	P	P
6	DEEPNA	Rondel	P	P	P (late)	A
7	Downtown Fernandina Group	REMOVED FROM LIST	NA	NA	NA	NA
8	Fernandina Beach Group	Lawrence	P	A	P	P
9	Frantic Serenity	Calvin	P	P	A	P
10	Freedom of Choice	Jimmie	P	P	P	P
11	Gift of Life	Cici	A	A	A	A
12	It's About Change	Ronda	P	A	P	P
13	More Will Be Revealed	Greg D		P	P	A
14	Mustard Seed Group		P	P	P	P
15	New Hope Group	Hope H	P	P	P	P
16	Noon Group	Jeff	P	P	P	P
17	On the Pathway to Recovery	Irene (Willie Mae)	P	P	P	P
18	Recovery	Sean S	P	P	A	A
19	Recovery At Work	Chester	P	A	P	P
20	Riverside Noon Group	Rufus	P	P	P	P
21	Sicker Than Most	Ira B (Tish R)	P	P	P	P
22	The Giving Back Group	James	A	A	A	A
23	Timuquana Group	Travis			P	P
24	Way Out Group	Dennis S	P	P	P	P
25	Youth and Recovery	Dennis	P	P	P	P (late)
	Quorum- majority of voting members rounding up.		9= Quorum 11= 2/3 maj	9= Quorum 11= 2/3 maj	9= Quorum 11= 2/3 maj	NOT MET
	GROPS PRESENT FOR OPENING ROLL TODAY (JUNE 10, 2017)		17 Present 15 Voting	17 Present 15 Voting	17 Present 16 Voting	16 Present 10 Voting

- Chairperson Attendance Record

First Coast ASC Attendance & Voting Eligibility						
<u>Position</u>	Trusted Servant	April 2017	May 2017	June 2017	July 2017	
ASC Chair	Ishmeal M	P	A	P	P	
ASC Vice Chair						
Secretary	Tyra G	P	P	P	A	
Alt. Secretary	-	-	-	-	-	
Treasurer	Catherine S	P	P	P	P	
Alt. Treasurer	-	-	-	-	-	
FRC Board Rep.	-	-	-	-	-	
RCM	Marc C	P	P	P	P	
Alt. RCM	-	-	-	-	-	
Policy Chair	Darryl E	P	P	P	A	
Policy Vice Chair	-	-	-	-	-	
Activities Chair	Loretta	P	P	P	A	
Convention Comm. Chair FCACNA XVI	Sakina B	P	P	P	P	
Helpline Chair	Jerome	P	P	P	A	
H & I Chair	Erica R		A	P	P	
Lit. Distributor Chair	Rob C	P	P	P	P	
Alt. Lit. Distributor	Jake S	P	A	P	P	
Lit. Review Chair	-	-	-	-	-	
P.R. Chair	-	-	-	-	-	

Please see attachments for all other letters and reports.

(Message from Sitting Secretary)-

First Coast Area of Narcotics Anonymous,

This Secretary's Report is surely missing some pertinent information. Please be patient as I do my best to better organize any future reports, should I be granted the opportunity. Any feedback and help with better serving the Area from members would be greatly appreciated.

In loving Service,

Maddy H.