

# AREA 8, DISTRICT 21 MEETING AGENDA

## December 3, 2015

### 6:30 – Open with the Serenity Prayer

#### **GSR PREAMBLE:**

"We are the General Service Representatives. We are the link in the chain, communicating for our Groups, with the General Service Conference, and the world of AA. We realize that the ultimate authority in AA is a loving God as He may express Himself in our Group Conscience. As trusted servants, our job is to bring information to our Groups so that they may reach an informed Group conscience. By communicating the Group conscience, we are helping to maintain the unity and strength so vital to our fellowship. Let us, therefore, have the patience and tolerance to listen while others share, the courage to speak up when we have something to share, and the wisdom to do what is right for our Groups as a whole."

### 6:35 – Welcome / Introductions / Birthdays

### 6:36 – Secretary's Report – Discussion / Approval of November Meeting's Minutes

### 6:40 – Treasurer's Report – Discussion / Approval of November Report

### 6:43 – Registrar's Report – Discussion / Updates to current District Roster

### 6:45 – DCM Report from Area Committee meeting

- No ACM report due to non-attendance caused by illness.
- Area Election Results:
  - Delegate – Jane;
  - Alt. Delegate – Roxane;
  - Chairperson – Emily;
  - Alt. Chair – Colin;
  - Secretary – Heather;
  - Alt. Secretary – Linda;
  - Registrar – Alicia;
  - Alt. Registrar – Renee;
  - Treasurer – Hugo; and
  - Alt. Treasurer – Efrain.
- Upcoming events (all shown on calendar on Area 8 website – <http://area8aa.org>):
  - Inclusion Workshop - Saturday 12/05 10am-1pm at St. David's Church (Clairemont).
  - Alkathon – Thursday, 12/31 from 2:00pm-4:00am at All Saints Episcopal Church (Hillcrest).
  - Orientation Area Assembly - Saturday, 1/23 from 9am-4pm at United Methodist Church (Mission Valley).

### 7:00 – Old Business

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- Discuss plans for hosting Orientation Area Assembly on January 23, 2016
- Reports from visits to unrepresented meetings. Any plans for upcoming targeted visits to unrepresented meetings?

### 7:10 – New Business:

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- GSR Round Table

### Visit Requests (Area Officers/Committees)

- Any desire to hear from any Area Officers or Committee Chairs for future meetings?

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- Reading of Tradition 12 – Anonymity is the spiritual foundation of all our Traditions, ever reminding us to place principles before personalities.
- Reading of Concept 12 – The Conference shall observe the spirit of A.A. tradition, taking care that it never becomes the seat of perilous wealth or power; that sufficient operating funds and reserve be its prudent financial principle; that it place none of its members in a position of unqualified authority over others; that it reach all important decisions by discussion, vote, and, whenever possible, by substantial unanimity; that its actions never be personally punitive nor an incitement to public controversy; that it never perform acts of government, and that, like the Society it serves, it will always remain democratic in thought and action.
- Close with the Responsibility Pledge

**I am Responsible...**

**When anyone, anywhere reaches out for help, I want the Hand of A.A. Always to be there, and for that, I am responsible.**