

SENANA ASC MEETING

May 5th, 2024

ATTENDANCE:

Chairperson:	Aaron G.	Present
Vice chair:	Bekka H.	Present
Secretary:	Chelsea B.	Present
Treasurer:	Josh H.	Present
RCM:	Lori C.	Present
RCM-Alt:	Seth B.	Present
Public Relations:	Bekka (Proxy)	Present
Literature:	Doris K.	Present
Activities:	Jordan B.	Absent
Policy:	Steven T.	Present
NRCNA 40 Convention Committee:	Bekka H. (Vice Chair/Proxy)	Present

Sunday Night Solutions	Eli C.	Present
Monday Hold U Up	Jessica J.	Present
Monday Never Alone	Dan R.	Present
Monday Night Miracles	Chris	Present
Tuesday Recovery at Work	Chrissy H.	Present
Tuesday Let it Out	Howard	Present
Wednesday Night Wild Women	Aaron S. (Alt. GSR)	Present
Wednesday Boys to Men	Greg (proxy)	Present
Wednesday Mission Possible	Matthew (proxy)	Present
Thursday One Promise	Moe M.	Present
Friday Happy Havelock	Lori C.	Present
Friday Lost and Found	Sara B.	Present
Saturday Morning Social	John H.	Absent
Saturday Night Live	Annastacia M. (Alt. GSR)	Present
Fairbury New Hope	Unknown GSR	Absent

Visitors: Sarah R.

Motion to approve Minutes from Previous Month: Steven T. motions, Kris. seconds. Minutes from the previous month are approved with the following correction:

Cameron G. gave notice to the area that he will be stepping down as PR Chairperson as of today, May 5th, 2024.

Motion to approve Treasurer's Financial Statement: Steven T. motions, Howard. seconds. The Treasurer's financial statement from the previous month is approved.

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE REPORTS

CHAIR: Nothing to report.

VICE CHAIR: Nothing to report.

SECRETARY: Nothing to report.

RCM:

Greetings in recovery! Seth and I attended the Regional Service committee that was held here in Lincoln. So much information so I will just hit the highlights. If you would like more complete information, please refer to the minutes on the regional website.

The new meeting finder is live and running on na.org! Please check this out, they did an excellent job in making this tool easy to access.

New Meeting Finder → (www.na.org/meetingsearch)

We attended the subcommittee meeting for information on the phone line. Thank you for all the input. They will be using our feedback to fine tune the process.

Advantages of a regional phone line to our area include:

- No cost to move local numbers into the system.
- You can keep your local phone line if you choose to.
- Extremely low cost to the region.
- Areas would no longer need to pay for their phone line.
- Increases the trusted servant resource pool.
- Ease of system use and data collection available.

The way this will work is: The addict calls the number, and they will be directed to a couple of options. Example: "Press 1 to find a meeting within your 40-mile radius in Nebraska. Press 2 to speak to a live addict. Press 3 to be directed to a list of emergency numbers. (911 etc.)" The goal is to get the addict to a meeting. The timeline is to have this up and running this year. There will be a 2-phase launch starting in June for PR week and will be a text only version. The training will consist of training the trainer workshops and phone line volunteers in the area. They hope to have the live addict option available in September in time for the NRCNA convention. They need willing volunteers to be part of the phone line scheduling when someone wants to talk to a live addict to find a meeting. They are also looking for a phone line coordinator, which will be a brand-new position. As an area, we will be reaching out to schedule our training, hopefully sooner rather than later. PR folks, please get with me for more info. This will be a huge savings for us as we will be able to retire the current phone line! (Please see the following attached report regarding the Nebraska Phone Line from Barry B.) Greetings in recovery, The phone line is ready for testing. We have been approved to use the text feature. The number is 844-818-3733. You can text a zip code to the number or call the number and follow the prompts. Please test the number and remember that we only have meeting information and voice mail available currently. If you chose the county feature, you must say county in the name. Example "Hall County." We would like to turn this live during PR Week that is one month away, so we are short on time for

testing. If you find a problem or it does something you do not expect please fill out this form. Here is the link. It is user friendly on your phone. <https://pszfna.org/yap-test/>. Another way to find this form is on the pszfna.org website under the contact us menu. Thank you for your service in helping test this service out. Please forward this to interested members that would like to assist in testing or have a help line interest. Again, the phone number is 844-818-3733. ILS, Barry B. (402-612-8137)

We have several proposals for you to take back to your groups:

Proposal #2: ENNA RCM nominates Barry B. as RDA for Nebraska

Intent: Because we love him and he's always of service to NA and he's already very knowledgeable of these things.

Financial Impact: NONE

Submitted by: Mandy F.

TAKE BACK TO GROUPS FOR A VOTE

Barry B.'s Service Resume:

I have been clean since January 14th, 2001. I have been involved in service to Narcotics Anonymous since September 1982. I have a Narcotics Anonymous sponsor and sponsor addicts in Narcotics Anonymous. I have a working knowledge of the 12 Steps, 12 Traditions and 12 Concepts of Narcotics Anonymous. I have served on numerous ad-hoc committees as an officer and as a member. I have served on multiple Convention and Activities Committees as a member. I have completed all the terms. I accept the nomination for Alternate Delegate of the Nebraska Region.

Proposal #3: Nominate Tommy N. as Regional Delegate

Intent: To fulfill our tradition of continuity and service rotation – note: Tommy has been a joy to serve with and has gone over and above as RDA.

Financial Impact: NONE

Submitted by: Brenda D.

TAKE BACK TO GROUPS FOR A VOTE

Tommy N.'s Service Resume:

My Clean Date is 10-5-12. I have a sponsor in NA and have worked all 12 steps. I sponsor men in Narcotics Anonymous. I was the GSR for the Survivor's Group from 2014-2017, EVANA H&I Chair from 2013-2015, panel leader for lots of H&I panels over many years, and the PI Chair for NRSCNA from 2013 until January 2020. I was the Memorial Wall chair for NRCNA 31. I was the NRCNA 36 Treasurer. I was the treasurer for EVANA from 2014 until 2017, and again from 2022 - present. I was the NRCNA 38 Vice Chair. I have at various times been the Treasurer for the Survivors Group. I have been the SBTW Liaison for Nebraska from January of 2019 until 2021. I have been the Nebraska Alternate Regional Delegate since January 2023. Any omissions or errors in dates are due to memory lapses. I. L. S., Tommy N.

Proposal #4: Nominate Steve T. to be Vice Treasurer

Intent:

Financial Impact: NONE

Submitted by: Seth B.

TAKE BACK TO GROUPS FOR A VOTE

Steven T.'s Service Resume:

I am an addict named Steven T and my clean date is March 17th, 2020. I am honored to be nominated to serve as the Nebraska Regional Vice-Treasurer. I am an active member of Narcotics Anonymous through regular meeting attendance, and being a home group member of the RAW group in Lincoln, NE. I am currently the Secretary for my home group and have also served as the GSR and Treasurer. At the area level, I am the Policy subcommittee chair. I have participated in bringing meetings to treatment centers with H&I. I currently have a sponsor and am working the 12 Steps with him. Thank you for your consideration.

Proposal #5: Presence at The Nebraska State Fair in 2025

Intent: Awareness in the community that NA is a viable source of recovery.

Financial Impact: \$1,500 – cost of booth, literature, and supplies

Submitted by: PR subcommittee

TAKE BACK TO GROUPS FOR A VOTE

Proposal #7: Rachael B. nominated for Alternate Secretary

Intent: To remain a trusted member of NA.

Financial Impact: 0

Submitted by: John P

TAKE BACK TO GROUPS FOR A VOTE

Rachael B.'s Service Resume:

My clean date is 8/10/15. I have a sponsor and I sponsor addicts in Narcotics Anonymous. I have a working knowledge of the 12 Steps, 12 Traditions and 12 Concepts of Narcotics Anonymous. I have held a few positions over the last 8 years including Secretary from 2016-2018 and Vice Chair for 8 months. I am the current Area Chairperson, I've been chairing the Sunday 7pm Freedom Works meeting since July 2023 and chaired the Outsiders midnight meeting for about a year. I was also the GSR of Outsiders for a year. I have been trusted with the registration table at the Freeze Out since 2016. I have served on the Fremont Activities Committee since 2016 making flyers and working the tables. I attend a minimum of 5 weekly meetings. I want to thank you all for this opportunity to serve this great program. I.L.S Rachael B.

Public Relations: We need a nomination for a Phonenumber coordinator.

Another item needed from all areas is the 12-step contact list.

TAKE BACK TO GROUPS

Regional meeting lists are available on the table, please make sure your group has the correct information. The Wednesday noon meeting will be added on the next meeting list printing. If you have changes it is up to you as GSR's to make the correction by submitting them to meetinglist@nebraskana.org. This will ensure that the correct information is available. This will also update the information on the new phone line.

Please send any updated in-person or Zoom meeting information to meetinglist@nebraskana.org and iit_committee@nebraskana.org.

Send flyers for NA activities to activities@nebraskana.org.

In Loving Service,
RCM Team
Lori C & Seth B

RCM ALTERNATE: Nothing further to report. Report is included above in RCM report.

TREASURER:

INCOME		EXPENSES	
Sunday Night Solutions	\$ 57.00	ASC	
Recovery At Work	\$ 25.00	Rent	\$ 25.00
Let it Out	\$ 20.00	PO BOX	
Never Alone	\$ 22.00	Reimbursements	\$ -
Wild Women		Other	\$ -
Boys to Men	\$ 107.00	TOTAL	\$25.00
One Promise		PR	
Lost and Found		Website	
Happy Havelock	\$ 253.00	Phone Line	\$ 114.64
Sat morning social	\$ 51.00	H&I Literature	
Monday Night Miracles - Swrd		Zoom	
Activities	\$ 50.00	Rent	\$ 25.00
Hold you Up		Jordan H Paper Reimbursement	\$ 19.29
Total from Groups	\$585.00	Jordan H - Paper Reimbursement	\$ 16.08
		TOTAL	\$175.01
		Literature	
Literature	\$745.11	Rent	\$ 25.00
		Monthly Order	\$ 629.67
		Reimbursements	\$ -
		TOTAL	\$654.67
Total for Deposit	\$1,330.11	Activities	
		Reimbursements	\$ -
		Activity Start Up	
		Other	
		TOTAL	\$0.00
		Policy	
		Reimbursements	
		Other	
		TOTAL	\$0.00
		Miscellaneous	
		Region Donation	\$2,100
		TOTAL	2100
		TOTAL EXPENSES	\$2,954.68
		SUMMARY	
		Previous Balance	\$3,748.26
		Income this month	\$1,330.11
		Expenses this month	\$2,954.68
		New Balance	\$2,123.69
		Balance from Month Ending Statement	\$4,223.69

SUBCOMMITTEE REPORTS

PUBLIC RELATIONS: The PR subcommittee would like to nominate Creston C. for the Chairperson position. He has a bio that he will submit. We had an H&I training last Saturday. We had 27 addicts in attendance get trained! We are currently going into LCC men's and women's regularly.

LITERATURE: Hello SENANA, It is with deep regret that I resign from my position as Literature Chairperson due to the clean time requirements of the position. Thank you for allowing me to serve. –Doris K.

ACTIVITIES:

Activities Treasurer's Report

April

Income

Expenses

Amount

Amount

Check #

Rent

Area Start Up		Venue		
		Food	\$171.38	debit
Suggested Donation			\$59.09	1523
			\$42.28	1525
		Soda/Coffee/Water		
Drink Sales/Coffee Donation				
		Decorations		
Raffle Ticket Sales				
		DJ/Band		
7th Tradition		Games		
Bake Sale & Beverages		Misc. Supplies		
Other Income:		Other Expenses:		
		-Area Donation	\$50.00	1521
		-NRCNA Donation	\$100.00	1522
		-Literature Order		
		-Storage Unit	\$63.96	card
Total Income	\$0.00	Total Expenses	\$486.71	
Literature Order (cash)		Previous Balance	\$992.24	
Cash Outlay		Income - Expenses	-\$486.71	
Bank Deposit	\$0.00	Start Up Money	\$170.00	
		Account Balance	\$505.53	

POLICY: Nothing to report.

NRNCNA 40 CONVENTION COMMITTEE:

Hey Peeps, NRCNA 40 is 5 months away! Our committee continues to amaze me. Our workshop topics have been chosen and we are in the process of reaching out to the chosen workshop facilitators/speakers. Our next meeting is to be determined, but hopefully will take place on May 19th at noon at Eastridge Presbyterian church. -Jae

NOMINATIONS:

The PR subcommittee nominates Creston C. for the Chairperson position. His service bio is included below:

I am an addict named Creston. My clean date is 4/16/2019. I just celebrated 5 years clean. I have a sponsor. I have worked all 12 Steps with my sponsor. I also sponsor other men. I have studied the 12 Traditions at my home group and at other groups. I attend meetings regularly. I have served as GSR, Treasurer, and Secretary at my home group. I have served on the Activities subcommittee. I am willing to serve as the PR Chairperson and further serve Narcotics Anonymous. In Loving Service, Creston C.

Doris K. nominates Steven T. for a second term as Policy Chairperson.

ELECTIONS:

Please note that the following service position is now open with the following requirements to serve:

LITERATURE CHAIRPERSON

- Responsible for the ordering, sales, & maintenance of a literature supply for the SENANA ASC.
- Follow the guidelines outlined in the "Guide to Local Service."
- Supply GSR Handbooks, Current SENANA ASC Guidelines, Guide to Local Service, & The 12 Concepts for NA Service to each group the expense of the SENANA ASC.
- Provide an inventory of literature on hand and a financial report of the previous month's income and expenses each month to the SENANA ASC.
- Maintain a bound ledger to track funds that are used for the committee's purpose.

Please note that the following service position is now open with the following requirements to serve:

POLICY CHAIRPERSON

- The Chairperson & committee will work to gain a full understanding of the SENANA ASC Guidelines.
- The committee will keep a regularly updated log of SENANA ASC Policy actions & motions.

- The Chairperson is to help keep things simple and avoid difficult situations regarding Policy questions, concerns, or issues.
- The committee is responsible for updating and the printing of the SENANA ASC Policies.
- The committee will print the complete & current SENANA ASC Policy with changes at least once per year in January.
- The committee will work in conjunction with the SENANA Secretary & Chairperson of the ASC to ensure accuracy of the Guidelines.
- The committee has a budget of \$150 per year unless full printing is needed at another time during the year.
- The Chair of the committee will recommend the complete re-print of the guidelines if more than 3 changes have been approved and that expense will be confirmed by the SENANA ASC.
- The committee has the right to make grammatical changes to the SENANA ASC Guidelines without prior approval.

Please note that the following service position is still open with the following requirements to serve:

All Subcommittee chair positions are terms of 2 years.

Public Relations Chairperson

- Chairperson must have minimum 1-year continuous clean time with a suggestion of 3 years continuous clean time and 6 months activity in H&I work. The chairperson will be elected by the subcommittee and elected by the subcommittee and approved by the Area Service Committee in accordance with the current guidelines.
- Bring before the general meeting of the subcommittee matters that should be discussed by them.
- Carry out policies and orders for the committee.
- Appoint panel leaders for institution services.
- Attend the Area Service Committee meetings.
- Attend Regional H&I subcommittee meetings.

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE TIMELINE

Executive Position	Service Member	Date Started Position	Ending Date for Position	When Positions Open at ASC
ASC Chair	Aaron G.	April 2023	April 2025	January 2025
ASC Vice-Chair	Bekka H.	May 2023	May 2025	February 2025
Secretary	Chelsea P.	January 2024	January 2026	November 2025
Treasurer	Josh H.	December 2022	December 2024	September 2024
RCM	Lori C.	November 2023	October 2025	August 2025
Alt. RCM	Seth B.	November 2023	October 2025	August 2025
Public Relations	OPEN	OPEN	OPEN	September 2023
Literature	OPEN	OPEN	OPEN	April 2025
Activities	Jordan B.	October 2022	October 2024	August 2024
Policy	Steven T.	June 2022	June 2024	March 2024

OLD BUSINESS:

Topic #1: PR Subcommittee Chair – Steven T brought up that this position has been open since September, and that Cameron G. has been “acting Chair” although he has never been voted back in as Chair. The group discussed that the ASC Chair can appoint a subcommittee Chair if there is no one to fill that position. Steven’s main concern is whether we are in line with the policy. Cameron G. notified the ASC that he will be stepping down as the PR Chairperson as of May 5th, 2024.

Topic #2: Activities budget ledger – David N. suggested that the language in our policy be changed about using the budget template as requirement. Rather, he suggested it can be used as a tool instead if a subcommittee does not have one of their own.

OPEN FLOOR:

Topic #1: Treasurer’s statement approvals: Aaron G. asked a clarifying question about the Treasure’s financial statements. Josh H. clarified.

Topic #2: New phone line: Chris H. stated that Barry B. has offered to come to the SENANA ASC and explain the new phone line in detail. Several members of the ASC asked questions about the phone line.

NEW BUSINESS:

Motion #1: To add to subsection 12 of section VI SENANA ASC Finances: “Unless an equally informative substitution is used.”

Intent: To allow subcommittees to use other ledgers for reporting

Submitted by: Steven T.

Seconded by: Moe M.

Financial Impact: NONE

Change in Policy: YES

TAKE BACK TO GROUPS FOR A VOTE

Motion #2: To replace all instances of “bound ledger” with “ledger.”

Intent: To allow the ASC to use electronic ledgers.

Submitted by: Steven T.

Seconded by: Moe M.

Financial Impact: NONE

Change in Policy: YES

TAKE BACK TO GROUPS FOR A VOTE

GROUP REPORTS

GROUP	TOTAL ATTENDANCE	TOTAL NEWCOMERS	TOTAL \$ COLLECTED	LITERATURE ORDER	ASC DONATION	RENT PAYMENT
BOYS TO MEN	171	11	\$168	\$50	\$45	\$20
RECOVERY AT WORK	147	12	\$67	\$12	\$25	\$30
LET IT OUT	120	25		\$29	\$20	
ONE PROMISE	237	9	\$334	\$13		\$40
WILD WOMEN	107	5				
SATURDAY NIGHT LIVE	224	9	\$116	\$80		\$26
SUNDAY NIGHT SOLUTIONS	186	7				
NEVER ALONE						
HAPPY HAVELOCK	185	8			\$207	
HOLD U UP						
LOST & FOUND	151	6	\$40.23	\$63.76	\$50	\$50
SATURDAY MORNING SOCIAL						
F.E.A.R.						

GROUPS THAT WOULD LIKE TO READ REPORTS OR BRING UP ISSUES

- Hello Fam! The One Promise Spring Picnic was a great success of carrying the message and celebrating our fellowship with well over 100 addicts in attendance. We want to thank our speakers Cassie and David.
- The Wednesday Wild Women meeting has been full of women every week and it absolutely beautiful. The last Wednesday of every month we do a celebration of recovery from 0 days to forever. We have coffee and snacks and we have a wonderful turn out.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- Save the date—August 31st 2024. The Seward Monday Night Miracles group will be celebrating their 3 year anniversary. There will be food, fellowship, and speakers.
- June 8th – The Recovery At Work Group of Narcotics Anonymous will be celebrating their 6 year anniversary with a speaker jam on Step 3. Please join us! – 1645 N Cotner Blvd, Lincoln NE. Doors open at 12. Speakers from 1-6 PM and a meal served around 4 PM. Please join us!
- Boys To Men is celebrating 10 years on August 17th from 1-6 PM at 6520 Colfax, Lincoln, NE. There will be 3 speakers and a meal served. **ALL ARE WELCOME!** 😊

FUTURE ASC MEETINGS

- Sunday June 2nd at 2:30pm – Eastridge Presbyterian Church
- Sunday, July 7th at 2:30pm – Eastridge Presbyterian Church

Area Service Committee Meeting (ASC)
 1st Sunday of the month; 2:30 pm.
 Eastridge Presbyterian Church
 1135 Eastridge Dr., Lincoln NE 68510

Subcommittee Meetings:
Literature: Every month before the ASC meeting at 1:30 pm
 Eastridge Presbyterian Church
 1135 Eastridge Dr., Lincoln NE 68510

Public Relations: 2nd Sunday of every month; 2:00 pm
 Two Pillars Church
 4000 Sheridan Blvd. Lincoln, NE 68506

Activities: 3rd Sunday of every month; 1:00 pm
 City Impact
 1035 N 33rd (33rd St. entrance) Lincoln, NE 68503

Policy: 4th Sunday of each month; 4:00 pm
 The Mill Coffee Shop
 330 S. 21st St. Lincoln, NE 68510

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