

**Houston Area Service Committee of Narcotics Anonymous
November 25, 2018 Meeting Minutes**

The meeting opened at 1:05 p.m. by the Faciliatory with a moment of silence followed by the Serenity Prayer.

The Service Prayer were read by
The Twelve Traditions were read by
The Twelve Concepts were read by

There were 12 G.S. R's (Group Service Representatives) present.
There are (26) inactive groups.

Recorders Report: None Given

Reports:

Faciliatory - Oral Report

Treasurer - See Attached

RCM-1 - Oral

Activities - Open

Public Information-oral

Outreach -Oral

Co-Faciliatory - Open

Co-Treasurer - Oral report

RCM-2 - See Attached

HACNA - Oral

**Hospital & Institutes -See Attached
Policy - Absent**

Group Reports

- **1960 Group-Hurshell C.** the donation will be mailed the average number in attendance 20-30
1711 W. FM 1960 77073 Recorder/Secretary and Treasurer filled positions needed Church
Liaison, Lit Chair Greatest success was the Thanksgiving Dinner & Meeting
- **Alive & Kicking, Eli P.** \$468.00 Donation Average number in attendance is 25 JFT meeting
Mon-Sat Group conscience held the last Saturday of the month Need aa assistant treasurer
and Assistant Activates Need support for newcomers meeting every Wednesday at 7 pm. Need
support for Step Study meeting on Mondays at 7pm successes this month is filled positions.
- **Chance for Freedom Sam G.** \$50.00 Donation average number in attendance 7-10 Group
Conscience is 2nd Friday of the month Admin positions filled birthday celebration last Friday of
the month Group Concerns attendance.
- **Copperfield Group Kelly Mc.** Donation \$20.00 average number in attendance 8-10 Recorder
position is open birthday celebrations 1st Friday of the month no group concerns.
- **Hope Sweet Hope Michael W.** No donation recorded average number in attendance is 20
Group Conscience the 1st Thursday all admin positions filled Birthday night is the 4th Thursday
successes was having our anniversary fundraiser this month.
- **Hugs not Drugs Tony M** No donation average number in attendance 10-15 Group Conscience
held 2nd Monday All admin position filled Birthday celebration is 1st Monday Group Concerns in
the process of find out if we are changing locations or not.
- **Jekyll & Hyde Ron Y.** Donation \$30.00 Average number in attendance is 52 Group Conscience
held the last Sunday of the month GSR Assist GSR and Treasurer needed other positions are
Greeter Lead Chair Birthday celebration is 1st Sunday 3rd Sunday is Speaker night LaVerne Mc

is the speaker for December Change meeting time from 1 hour to 1 ½ discussion will be held tonight at group Conscience Also wanting to update our opening and will be going over it at the Group Conscience tonight. Greatest successes 14 individual picked up clean time tags

- **New Pathfinder Kevin W.** \$50.00 Donation Average number in attendance is 5 Group Conscience is 2nd Saturday All admin positions filled Group Concerns Attendance and Flyers Need Outreach to help group. Greatest success this month was meeting chairs. Meeting are Monday @ 8pm Wednesday 8:15 pm and Saturday 9:30 pm. Other positions are GSR and Actives
- **Our Common Bond Emily G.** \$50.00 Donation average number in attendance 15-20 Group Conscience is 1st Sunday @ 6pm All admin position is filled birthday celebrations are the 1st Saturday @ 8pm not Group Concerns Greatest successes full birthday nights from 1 year to 20 years HSH/OGB speaker jam was a success.
- **Rainbow of Hope Paul D.** \$58.60 Donation Quarterly last donation was in October. Average number in attendance 10-15 Group Conscience held after meeting on the 3rd Tuesday, positions filled Treasurer other positions is GSR Birthday celebrations 4th Tuesday no group concerns Greatest success started new meeting format members seem to like it so far. We meet at 8pm each Tuesday at Resurrection Metropolitan Community Church @ 2025 W. 11th Street.
- **Ties That Bind Richard D.** No Donation 1203 Wart Rd Voss Average number in attendance 10-30 Group Conscience held 1st Sunday of the month @ 8:30 Only Treasurer is filled all other positions are open. Birthday celebrations last Sunday of the month @ 7:30 no group concerns
- **Third Coast LaVerne Mc.** \$31.00 Average number in attendance 23 Group Conscience held on 2nd Wednesday of the month. Admin position are filled and GSR although we do have other open positions. Group Concerns need Trusted Servient Support We work out of the Journey Continues on the 2nd Wednesday of the month and on the 5th Wednesday of the month we have a 90-day panel any help from the area is to make announcement in and around the fellowship greatest success is LaVerne Mc celebrated 24 years.

Old Business: Nominations

New Business: Nominated:	Facilitator/Henry Recorder/Open	Co-Facilitatory/Open Treasurer/Collen
	Co-Treasurer/Open	RCM 1/Open
	Policy/Open	HBI/Chris
	Outreach/Ronnie	PI/Justin
	HACNA/Allen P	RCM 2/Dawn

Meeting Closed in its usual manner

Of Loving Service

LaVerne Mc.

Next Area Service meeting will be December 30, 2018

Houston Area of Narcotics Anonymous

GSR's Sign-In Sheet

November 25, 2018

GROUP	ACTIVE	IN-ACTIVE	GSR SIGNATURE
1960 Group	X		
Alive and Kicking	X		
Alive with Pleasure		X	
Alpha and Omega		X	
Chance for Freedom	X		
Copperfield	X		
Cover to Cover		X	
Cypress Group		X	
Day by Day		X	
Edgebrook Unity		X	
Hamilton Recovery		X	
Hope Sweet Hope	X		
Hugs not Drugs	X		
Jekyll & Hyde	X		
Juntos Podemos		X	
Just a Meeting		X	
Just for Today		X	
Just in Time		X	
Keep it Clean		X	

GROUP	ACTIVE	IN-ACTIVE	GSR SIGNATURE
Keep it Real		X	
Mid-Town Group		X	
NA Way of Life		X	
New Pathfinders	X		
No Matter What		X	
Old School Keep it Simple		X	
One Promise		X	
Our Common Bond	X		
Phoenix Group		X	
Pleasantville		X	
Point of Grace		X	
Rainbow of Hope	X		
Recovery Matters		X	
Restore Us to Sanity		X	
Saturday Night Live		X	
Save Your Ass		X	
Sunday Starters		X	
Surrender to Win		X	
The Sooner the Better		X	
The Ties That Bind Us	X		
The Ultimate Weapon		X	
Third Coast	X		
Vigilance Group		X	
We Understand Group		X	

GROUP	ACTIVE	IN-ACTIVE	GSR SIGNATURE



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HOUSTON, TX 77253-3561

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Your Business Economy Checking

for October 1, 2018 to October 31, 2018

Account number: [REDACTED]

HOUSTON AREA SERVICE COMMITTEE OF N A (AKA) H A S C O N A

Account summary

Beginning balance on October 1, 2018	\$3,604.79	# of deposits/credits: 1
Deposits and other credits	729.70	# of withdrawals/debits: 11
Withdrawals and other debits	-30.06	# of deposited items: 0
Checks	-1,655.29	# of days in cycle: 31
Service fees	-19.00	Average ledger balance: \$3,504.79
Ending balance on October 31, 2018	\$2,630.14	



Your checking account

HOUSTON AREA SERVICE COMMITTEE | Account [REDACTED] | October 1, 2018 to October 31, 2018

Deposits and other credits

Date	Description	Amount
10/03/18	Deposit	729.70
Total deposits and other credits		\$729.70

Withdrawals and other debits

Date	Description	Amount
10/02/18	FreedomVoice ID:8004771477 ID:026-0136894418 INDN:Colin Pritchard CO ID:1002005372 PPD	-30.06
Total withdrawals and other debits		-\$30.06

Checks

Date	Check #	Amount
10/03/18	2662	-14.09
10/12/18	2665*	-50.00
10/31/18	2666	-63.37
10/11/18	2667	-579.32

Date	Check #	Amount
10/15/18	2669*	-34.51
10/12/18	2670	-79.00
10/19/18	2671	-535.00
10/30/18	2674*	-300.00
Total checks		-\$1,655.29
Total # of checks		8

* There is a gap in sequential check numbers

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Service fees

Date	Transaction description	Amount
10/31/18	Check Image Service Fee	✓ -3.00
10/31/18	Monthly Maintenance Fee	✓ -16.00
Total service fees		-\$19.00

Note your Ending Balance already reflects the subtraction of Service Fees.

Daily ledger balances

Date	Balance (\$)	Date	Balance(\$)
10/01	3,604.79	10/11	3,711.02
10/02	3,574.73	10/12	3,582.02
10/03	4,290.34	10/15	3,547.51
		10/19	3,012.51
		10/30	2,712.51
		10/31	2,630.14



HOUSTON AREA SERVICE COMMITTEE | Account # [REDACTED] | October 1, 2018 to October 31, 2018

Check images

Account number: [REDACTED]
Check number: 2662 | Amount: \$14.09

2662
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HOUSTON AREA SERVICE COMMITTEE
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DATE 8-26-18

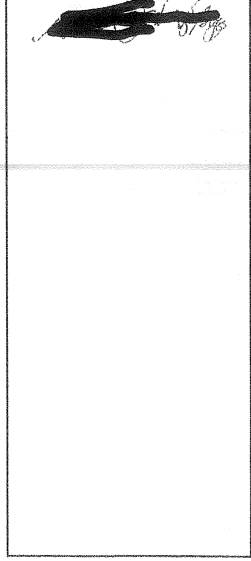
\$ 14.09 DOLLARS

Fourteen + 09/100

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Check number: 2665 | Amount: \$50.00

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DATE 9-20-18

\$ 50.00 DOLLARS

Fifty + 00/100

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#00 2665 5*

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HOUSTON AREA SERVICE COMMITTEE
CAPITAL ONE, N.A.
08857333 10/27/18
RICHMOND, VA 23222
RDC Deposit #62838389

Check number: 2666 | Amount: \$63.37

2666
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HOUSTON AREA SERVICE COMMITTEE
OF N.A.
(AKA) H A S C O N A
PO BOX 3561
HOUSTON, TX 77258-3561

DATE 9-30-18

\$ 63.37 DOLLARS

Sixty three + 37/100

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#00 2666 5*

For Deposit only
to account 41500595
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Check number: 2667 | Amount: \$579.32

2667
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DATE 9-20-18

\$ 579.32 DOLLARS

Five hundred seventy nine + 32/100

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For Deposit only
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R/T: 12201809

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Check number: 2669 | Amount: \$34.51

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DATE 9-30-18

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Account number: [REDACTED]
Check number: 2670 | Amount: \$79.00

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NO.

HOUSTON AREA SERVICE COMMITTEE
OF N.A.
4600 HALLS COV. A
HOUSTON, TX 77056-3961

DATE 9-30-18

AMOUNT \$ 79.00

Public Storage
Seventy nine + 10.00

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FOR # 42262

POD 2670 F

10/1/18

Check number: 2671 | Amount: \$535.00

2671
CHECK
NO.

HOUSTON AREA SERVICE COMMITTEE
OF N.A.
4600 HALLS COV. A
HOUSTON, TX 77056-3961

DATE 9-30-18

AMOUNT \$ 535.00

Five hundred thirty five & 10/100

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FOR RICE B. INC # 15152

POD 2671 F

Check number: 2674 | Amount: \$300.00

2674
CHECK
NO.

HOUSTON AREA SERVICE COMMITTEE
OF N.A.
4600 HALLS COV. A
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DATE 10-28-18

AMOUNT \$ 300.00

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TBCNA REGIONAL MEETING 11/10

NOVEMBER 25, 2018

As host Area this Regional meeting we were able to have a great meeting place and lots of good food. For breakfast we served Taco Cabana breakfast tacos and at lunch sandwich's from Jason's Deli. We were commended on our hosting skills by all and it made for a principled spiritual RSC. Most of the time anyway. 😊 We did spend the allotted amount of \$300.00 and I have turned all receipts to our Treasurer.

The Regional Facilitator was not present but sent in an agenda and brief report. All documents have been submitted to APD and she will need to make arrangements with the detective to give a sworn statement. I believe he needs to do the same with our Treasurer, Kari B. He will now be able to begin his investigation and when appropriate, contact Cyndi. She has not had communication with Cyndi in the last three months.

Input is now being gathered for the new Spiritual Principle Day Daily Meditation book. This phase of this process will be on Acceptance, Love, Surrender, and Unity. Literature Review has two workshops for this, coming up in San Antonio. Tues. Nov. 27, 7 p.m. at Journey to Recovery, 211 N. Park Blvd, and Wed. Dec. 5, 11:30 a.m. at Simplify, 8102 Midcrown. You can go to na.org/spad to fill out surveys on these principles. You are also able to send in thoughts or questions on the project by email at worldboard@na.org. We have been in contact with Northside, and Tri County to hold a workshop on two of the three Issue Discussion Topics. Attracting Members to Service, and Carrying the NA Message and Making NA Attractive. We are looking at having this after the holidays and before the next Regional Assembly. The RD and RDA are available to work with us and are looking forward to it.

On Dec. 8 CTANA (Central Texas Area) will have an H&I book drive/Holiday Party. The speaker that spoke at the H&I workshop at WCNA, will be there sharing his experience, strength, and hope. A workshop on H&I Orientation is in the process of completion along with a "behind the walls speaker" at this upcoming TBCNA from 8-12 Sat. morning. Details are being ironed out.

Adopt an Inmate has started mailing letters to inmates with various other materials and information on how they can get in touch with us upon release. Sponsorship behind the walls has been a topic of discussion but no one has done much on it. They feel that the focus on the letter writing is the first step of doing Sponsorship behind the Walls. A suggestion is to get a type of E-letter started where Inmates who are seeking sponsors will be able to have their information distributed. I have a sample letter if anyone would like to look it over.

TBCNA currently have 116 pre-registrations for the convention. The website now has a pre-registration link and for the newcomer donations, banquets, and entertainment. They are working on adding in the pre-registration t-shirt. If you are early bird registered or pre-registered by paper, visit the website to add what you would like to get. Speakers for the convention have been finalized and they are as follows: Fri. night Regional Speaker is Raymond L. main speaker Sat. night will be Rene B. from Rhode Island, and Chris T. from Atlanta Sun. morning. Also, all alternative merchandise will be sold on

Sun. only, unless all TBCNA merchandise has been sold. I do have an image for the logos if anyone would like to see.

Areas:

Northside: April 26-29, 2019- Fellowship by the Lake, Huntsville State Park, donation to Region was \$500.

Central Texas Area: As previously stated, they are having their annual "Holiday Function" 12-8-2018. They made the last big Back Payment donation of \$1,056.06. 2017 RCM kept forgetting to bring the quarterly Area donation, so the groups voted to up the percentage of the quarterly donation until caught up. Also, 7th Annual Spring Campout will be March 22-24 2019 at Buescher State Park. Entrance fee \$5.00 a day and camping is \$14.00 per night.

Brazos Valley: The Mask Must Go! New Freedom Group is celebrating their 18th year anniversary, Sat. 12-1, 2018. Donation to Region was \$125.00. I have a flier for that event and their latest meeting schedule.

Esperanza Area: Just for Today group will be meeting on Thanksgiving Day with speakers, free Thanksgiving dinner and fellowship, 6110 NW loop, 410 San Antonio, 4:30-9:30 p.m. Annual Holiday Marathon meetings will start December 24th at 4 p.m. thru December 25th 4 p.m. Location soon to be revealed. Donation to Region was \$152.07.

Southeast Texas: No events planned at this time and there was not a donation made.

Hill Country: No events planned at this time and donation to Region will be mailed in after Area Business meeting, November 18th.

Regional business: We finally voted in a recorder! Heidi M. RD and RDA will be nominated and elected at the next Regional Assembly, March 9, 2019 in College Station, St Thomas Episcopal Church, 906 George Bush Dr. If interested in running, send in your resume to all@tbrna.org. Gilbert L. was voted in for TRBCNA 2020 Facilitator, which will be held in San Antonio. Still need a co-facilitator and Treasurer. 2021 Area for convention still to be decided, but Austin will be in 2022. The Region donated \$500.00 to the Alabama, Northwest Florida Region to help them rebuild due to the hurricane that devastated the Region, and we elected to pay our insurance bill in full for the year, \$5,185.00 instead of in quarterly payments. *we received \$3.00 in 7th tradition which has been turned into the treasurer*
Our ending balance from Oct. 31, 2018 was \$12,942.52. After all business was handled and donations added in, we closed with a balance of \$14,528.00. The next Regional business meeting will be February 9th, 2019, in the Brazos Area. Exact location still to be determined.

Grateful in service,

Dawn H. and Jesse Cee

HOUSTON AREA Hospitals & Institutions SUB COMMITTEE 11-18-18

Decisions in Blue

To Do in Red

Tabled Items in Green

Attendance: 12

12 Traditions: - Sam D.

Service Prayer: - Julian A.

12 Concepts:- Autumn L.

CHAIRPERSON REPORT

Chris M.- Introduction of Facility reports / Roll call

Chair- Chris M.

Co-Chair-Vacant (Sam D. nominated)

Recorder-Julian A.

Treasurer-(Patrick B. Absent Sam D. to give report and distribute literature)

Santa Maria- Mary M.

Women's Home-Vacant (Autumn L. and Mary B. to give report/nominated for facilitators)

Facility Reports-

Prisons

Harris County- Yami:

-Amelia Murphy Harris County Jail contact

-Jackie from A&K has been going since 1991

-Yami has completed application and is waiting to see if she is able to be of service in HCJ and then plans to form a panel

-Yami to forward application to Julian A.

Literature-Patrick B.

-Spreadsheet (attached)

-October and November IP distributed

-When we received last order from NAWs they sent us 50 to many so we owe them \$11.50, I will go to area and get a check to send them.

- I spent \$15.16 to make 20 copies of the Orientation, I will get reimbursed at area.

New Business:

- Learning Day
- December- in partnership with HASCONA
- HASCONA looking for facility for Learning Day details soon
- Michelle H. –Last year did a skit of a mock panel for H&I.
- Also recruitment opportunity for H&I
- Shortened version of a meeting including do's and don't's (i.e. addressing potential controversies, disturbances, outside literature)
- Motivation to recruit for H&I
- Those that may have been in rehab, prisons, or a facility now in recovery have an opportunity to give back
- Purpose is to educate and attract new members to service

Have done:

- Chili Cookoff
- Service Convention
- TDC to come and do an on-site presentation

Michelle H. -suggests creating a list of facilities, where they are, and the date and time of the meetings

Basket: \$10.50

Open Discussion

Meeting Closed *H&I Orientation to take place immediately after closing