

HASCONA

Houston Area Service Committee of Narcotics Anonymous

Meeting Minutes for 03/03/2024

The meeting was called to order at 10:32 am with a moment of silence, followed by the Serenity Prayer, and readings of the 12 Traditions by Hugger John., the 12 Concepts by Roy S., and the Service Prayer by Rolando G.

I. ROLL CALL:

GROUP	3/3/2024			2/4/2024			1/7/2024		
	Present	Absent	vote?	Present	Absent	vote?	Present	Absent	vote?
Facilitator	P			P			P		
Co-Facilitator	P			P			P		
Recorder	P			P			P		
Treasurer	P			P			P		
Co-Treasurer	OPEN	OPEN	OPEN	OPEN	OPEN	OPEN	OPEN	OPEN	OPEN
RCM 1	OPEN	OPEN	OPEN	OPEN	OPEN	OPEN	OPEN	OPEN	OPEN
RCM 2	P			P			P		
H&I	P			OPEN	OPEN	OPEN	OPEN	OPEN	OPEN
PR	P			P			P		
Phoneline		A			A			A	
Activities	OPEN	OPEN	OPEN	OPEN	OPEN	OPEN	OPEN	OPEN	OPEN
Outreach	OPEN	OPEN	OPEN	OPEN	OPEN	OPEN	OPEN	OPEN	OPEN
Policy	OPEN	OPEN	OPEN	OPEN	OPEN	OPEN	OPEN	OPEN	OPEN
HACNA	P			P				A	
1960 Group	P		X	P		X	P		X
6PM Meeting	P								
Alive & Kicking		A		P			P		
Beauty of Recovery		A			A			A	
Chance for Freedom	P		X	P		X	P		X
Copperfield		A			A			A	
Cypress Group	P								
Everyday NA	P		X	P			P		
Familia Unida	P				A		P		
Hope Sweet Hope	P		X	P		X	P		X
Hugs not Drugs	P		X	P		X	P		X
Jekyll & Hyde	P		X	P		X		A	X
Juntos Podemos	P				A		P		
Just a Meeting		A			A			A	
Keep it Clean	P		X	P		X	P		X
Keep It Real	P		X	P		X	P		X
New Heights	P		X	P		X	P		X
New Pathfinders		A			A			A	
Old School Keep It Simple		A			A			A	
Our Common Bond	P		X		A	X	P		X
Outer Circle Group		A			A			A	
Phoenix Group		A			A		P		
Rainbow of Hope	P		X	P		X	P		X
Recovery at Work	P			P					
The Journey Continue	P				A			A	
The Sooner the Better	P		X	P		X	P		X
Saturday Night Live	P		X		A	X	P		X
Sunday Starters	P		X	P		X	P		X
Third Coast		A			A			A	
Ties that Bind		A			A			A	
Tomball New Attitudes	P		X	P			P		
We Understand		A			A			A	
With Grace & Gratitude		A			A			A	
You Are Worth It	P		X	P				A	

New Groups –Cypress & 6 PM Meeting

New GSR/GSRAs -Levi W-Cypress Group; 6 PM Meeting-GSRA Caitlin M; OCB-Austin; RAW- Kenneth C.; TSTB- Staviors

II. ADMINISTRATIVE REPORTS

Facilitator’s Report – Please keep all committee and group reports short. There are blank GSR report forms on our website for detailed group information that can be emailed to the Recorder at Recorder@hascona.com. The same goes for Subcommittee Chairs: please email your reports or even just your subcommittee minutes to Recorder@hascona.com at least one day prior to the ASC Meeting. This helps ensure that **ALL** of the information you want to be available to this Area is reflected in the ASC Minutes.

a. **Co-Facilitator-** Nothing to Report

b. **Treasurer’s Report** – provided written report, which reads as follows:

- i. Cost of PO Box too high? (Jesse C.)- \$220/12 months for 5x5.5” or \$182/6 months for 3x5.5”. Recommendation to stick with what we have.
- ii. New Payment option for all donations- Joe will reach out to Cathryn for information

February 2024 ASC Treasurer's Report

7th Tradition Income in February 2024			
Activities Committee	\$	-	\$
1960 Group	\$	22.99	New Heights
Alive & Kicking	\$	-	New Pathfinders
Beauty of Recovery	\$	-	
Chance for Freedom	\$	-	
Copperfield Group	\$	-	Our Common Bond
Familia Unida	\$	-	
	\$	-	Phoenix Group
	\$	-	Rainbow of Hope
	\$	-	
	\$	-	Saturday Night Live
HACNA	\$	-	
	\$	-	
Hope Sweet Hope	\$	-	
	\$	-	Sunday Starters
Hugs Not Drugs	\$	52.06	
Jekyll & Hyde	\$	-	The Sooner the Better
Juntos Podemos	\$	-	Third Coast
Just a Meeting	\$	-	Ties That Bind
	\$	-	Tomball New Attitudes
	\$	-	We Understand
	\$	-	With Grace & Gratitude
Keep It Clean	\$	40.00	You Are Worth It
Keep It Real	\$	-	
Kimberly S.	\$	14.00	
Year to Date Revenue:	\$	2,158.87	Total Receipts
			\$ 792.75

2024 BUDGET AND EXPENSES				
Category	Year to Date	Budget	Remaining	
Facilitator/Co-Fac	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	
RCM	\$ -	\$ 1,500.00	\$ 1,500.00	
Treasurer/Co-Treas	\$ -	\$ 100.00	\$ 100.00	
Room Rent for ASC	\$ (34.10)	\$ 600.00	\$ 565.90	
Storage Unit	\$ (2.00)	\$ 1,100.00	\$ 1,098.00	
Post Office mailbox	\$ -	\$ 198.00	\$ 198.00	
Bank Fees	\$ -	\$ 80.00	\$ 80.00	
Activities	\$ (500.00)	\$ 4,000.00	\$ 3,500.00	
TBRNA Hospitality	\$ (708.49)	\$ 500.00	\$ (208.49)	
H&I	\$ -	\$ 9,000.00	\$ 9,000.00	
Outreach	\$ -	\$ 300.00	\$ 300.00	
PR	\$ -	\$ 3,750.00	\$ 3,750.00	
Policy	\$ -	\$ 50.00	\$ 50.00	
TBRNA donations	\$ (232.06)	\$ 1,000.00	\$ 767.94	
NAWS donations	\$ (116.03)	\$ 500.00	\$ 383.97	
Totals	\$ (1,592.68)	\$ 22,678.00	\$ 21,085.32	

Region/World Donations for February 2024			
Check Written to:	Amount	Check #	
TBRNA	\$ 79.28		Zelle
NAWS	\$ 39.64		

Expense Report for February 2024			
Administrative Expenses	Amount	Check #	Description
Zoom Account Rental	\$ (17.05)	debit	
Treasurer Supplies/copies	\$ -		
Postage	\$ -		
RCM	\$ -		
Facilitator/Co-F. Expense	\$ -		
Recorder Supplies	\$ -		
Starter Kits	\$ -		
Storage Unit Rental	\$ (1.00)	debit	
P.O. Box Rental	\$ -		
Bank Fees	\$ -		
	\$ -		
TBRNA Regional donation	\$ (152.79)	Zelle	Conf# sxx602477
NAWS donation	\$ (76.39)	debit	
Administrative Total	\$ (247.23)		
Subcommittee Expenses			
H&I Expense Total	\$ -		
PR Expense Total	\$ -		
Web Hosting	\$ -	debit	
Phone Services (Freedom Voice)	\$ -	debit	
Meeting Schedules	\$ -		
Policy	\$ -		
Outreach	\$ -		
Activities	\$ (500.00)	debit	Downpayment Hotel
TBRNA Hospitality	\$ (708.49)	debit	
Debit Total	\$ (1,708.84)	debit	Bank fees, phone, hostgator, storage

Checks Cleared This Month			
NAWS	\$ -		
	\$ -		
	\$ -		
	\$ -		
	\$ -		
	\$ -		
	\$ -		
	\$ -		
Total Cleared Checks/Deposits	\$ -		

Outstanding Checks			
Written To:	Amount	Check #	Check Date
One Source	\$ (410.00)	1053	2.27.2024
	\$ -		
	\$ -		
	\$ -		
	\$ -		
	\$ -		
Total Outstanding Checks	\$ (410.00)		

Bank Statement Jan 31, 2023	\$ 16,194.61
February Revenue	\$ 792.75
February Expenses	\$ (1,455.72)
Outstanding Checks	\$ (410.00)
Checks/Deposits Cleared	\$ -
Prudent Reserve	\$ (2,500.00)
Available Balance	\$ 12,621.64
Bank Statement (End of Month)	\$ 15,531.64

Your Business Advantage Fundamentals™ Banking

for February 1, 2024 to February 29, 2024

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Account summary

Beginning balance on February 1, 2024	\$16,194.61	# of deposits/credits: 6
Deposits and other credits	792.75	# of withdrawals/debits: 6
Withdrawals and other debits	-1,455.72	# of items-previous cycle ¹ : 0
Checks	-0.00	# of days in cycle: 29
Service fees	-0.00	Average ledger balance: \$15,600.36
Ending balance on February 29, 2024	\$15,531.64	¹ Includes checks paid, deposited items and other debits



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Deposits and other credits

Date	Description	Amount
02/01/24	Zelle payment from [REDACTED] PHOENIX GROUP 7th TRADITION CONTRIBUTION TO ARE"; Conf# 01VK23PGK	450.00
02/05/24	Zelle payment from [REDACTED] or "january donation"; Conf# TORXP2XYC	10.00
02/16/24	Zelle payment from [REDACTED] Conf# 01VZC22G3	80.70
02/28/24	Cash App DES:* Cash App ID:T3N4CCS93YE101R INDN:Houston Area Service C CO ID:8800429876 PPD	176.99
02/28/24	BKOFAMERICA MOBILE 02/28 3672817144 DEPOSIT *MOBILE TX	52.06
02/28/24	Zelle payment from [REDACTED] for "Ties that bind"; Conf# 99aa8lihi	23.00
Total deposits and other credits		\$792.75

Withdrawals and other debits

Date	Description	Amount
02/05/24	Zelle payment to TBRNA for "January Donation"; Conf# sxx602477	-152.79
02/09/24	Zelle payment to [REDACTED] for "TBRCNA Hospitality"; Conf# wls1zhvlt	-708.49
Card account # XXXX XXXX XXXX 4727		
02/05/24	CHECKCARD 0201 MORNINGSTAR STORA HOUSTON TX 85140514033900015701331 CKCD 4214 XXXXXXXXXXXX4727 XXXX XXXX XXXX 4727	-1.00
02/05/24	CHECKCARD 0204 NA WORLD SERVICES CHATSWORTH CA 82711164035000013706149 CKCD 8398 XXXXXXXXXXXX4727 XXXX XXXX XXXX 4727	-76.39
02/07/24	CHECKCARD 0205 WYNDHAM HOUSTON N 7137483221 TX 52704874037036000015965 CKCD 3750 XXXXXXXXXXXX4727 XXXX XXXX XXXX 4727	-500.00
02/28/24	PURCHASE 0228 ZOOM.US 888-799-9 8887999666 CA	-17.05
Subtotal for card account # XXXX XXXX XXXX 4727		-\$594.44
Total withdrawals and other debits		-\$1,455.72

Daily ledger balances

Date	Balance (\$)	Date	Balance(\$)	Date	Balance (\$)
02/01	16,644.61	02/07	15,924.43	02/16	15,296.64
02/05	16,424.43	02/09	15,215.94	02/28	15,531.64

GSRs, if preferred, you may send your group's 7th Tradition donation via Zelle to treasurer@hascona.com.

III. RCM Reports: Nothing new to Report this month:

If any GSR or GSRA needs help pertaining to their group, please get with me after the meeting.

In Loving Service,

RCM-2 Henry H. 361-208-3325
RCM 1- OPEN

THE RCM 1 POSITION IS OPEN AND AVAILABLE FOR NOMINATIONS.

IV. GROUP REPORTS

- **Alive & Kicking- Hosting Learning Day for Region March 23rd 2-6pm Location Wingate Houston Hotel 8600 Kirby Dr. [NEW Flyer Attached](#)**
- **Familia Unida-** Needs support on Friday's
- **Hugs Not Drugs:** Needs Support Mon/Wed Noon Meetings
- **Chance For Freedom:** Need Support; Meets M, TH, F @ 8pm; Sunday meeting to 5pm now
- **Everyday NA-** Need's Support from people with recovery; M & W 10-11am 4410 Reed Rd #2126
- **Hope Sweet Hope-** 8th Anniversary March 17th 1-4 pm; 800 Pitts Rd Richmond Tx.
- **New Heights:** March 24th 12-3pm Hosting a picnic; Chance for Freedom & TSTB Supporting. Need people to sign up for food via [LINK AT END OF MINUTES](#)
- **Juntos Podemos-** Needs more Spanish-speaking support
- **Rainbow of Hope-** Meeting Tuesdays and Thursdays at 7pm @ Resurrection MCC 2025 W. 11TH St.
- **TSTB-** Need support Tuesday 8pm Meeting; Needs meeting chairs
- **You are Worth it-** One year Anniversary March 7th- 10 PM Zoom ID: 829 8663 2163 Password: 084708
- **Recovery at Work-** Wednesday 6:30-8pm 4925 Griggs Rd.- Literature Study- Need Support
- **Cypress Group-** Joining HASCONA- Sun & Mon @ 8pm 13131 S. Fry Rd Cypress Tx, 77433- Classroom 3
- **6 PM Meeting-** Meets @ Gulf Coast Club 6-7:15 PM Everyday- Needs Support
- **Third Tradition Group-** Meets Monday's- 7:30-8:30 PM @ 1203Wirt Rd- Needs support
- **Literature Study Group-** 6PM on Wednesday's @ 2305 McGowen
- **Grace & Gratitude-** Thurs. 6:45-8pm- 7818 Spring Cypress Rd. Spring, TX 77388 (In Front Building)

V. SUBCOMMITTEE REPORTS

a. PUBLIC RELATIONS

1. Schedules have been printed.
 - Reach out to Jerry to schedule to meet to pick up a bundle of New Schedules
2. If wanting to do a Poster Day- Reach out to Jerry

PR's next meeting will be held on the third Sunday of the month at 1:30 pm on Zoom ID 979 4364 4649.

b. HACNA- Written Report as follows:

i. New Elected Positions

1. **Paul C-**Merchandise Chair

2. **Monya B.** - Recorder
- ii. **Logo Contest Until April 10th- Prize TBD- Keeping Hope Alive (Theme)**
- iii. **Location For HACNA 15**
 1. **Hyatt Hotel: 13210 Katy Freeway.**

Next HACNA meeting will be held 3.10.24 @ 2305 McGowan

c. ACTIVITIES – OPEN

The ACTIVITIES FACILITATOR POSITION IS OPEN AND AVAILABLE FOR NOMINATIONS.

d. PHONELINE- ABSENT

e. H&I- Provided Written Reports as Follows:

- i. **Clean Time Requirement**
 1. 90 Days Clean- **Panel Member**
 2. 6 Months Clean- **Panel Leader**
 3. 1 Year- **Facility Coordinator**
- ii. **Odyssey House-Fort Bend- Houston Area- Juveniles: Thursday's 7PM**
- iii. **Cheyenne Center- Males Only- Eastex Freeway: Sunday 6pm**
- iv. **Westpark Springs-Richmond Area: Saturdays 7:30PM**

H&I Meets Every 3rd Sunday of the Month via Zoom ID:

f. OUTREACH- OPEN

The OUTREACH POSITION IS OPEN AND AVAILABLE FOR NOMINATIONS

g. POLICY- Reginald Elected for Policy!

I. OLD BUSINESS

a. Reginald Elected as new Policy Chair!

b. NOMINATIONS

- i. **Facilitator- Ronnie H. Nominated- 7/4/2017 Clean date- Done lots of positions at area level & Group level & HACNA- Has a sponsor and is work the 12 steps & 12 traditions.**
- ii. **Co-Facilitator- OPEN FOR NOMINATIONS**
- iii. **Recorder- OPEN FOR NOMINATIONS**
- iv. **Co-Treasurer – OPEN FOR NOMINATIONS**
- v. **RCM I- OPEN FOR NOMINATIONS**
- vi. **ACTIVITIES – OPEN FOR NOMINATIONS**
- vii. **OUTREACH- OPEN FOR NOMINATIONS**

GSR's Please Take Back to Your Home Group to Get Nominations- Voting in JUNE

c. Survey on Reviving the H&I Handbook: <https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/handibasics>

- i. **Each individual, and each RCM, can complete this survey.**
- ii. **Available until March 31st, 2024- Completed as Area During Meeting**

II. New Business

1. **We are hosting RSC on May 4th 2024 8am-6pm- 30-50 people expected, need internet access, access to a screen, provide meal and refreshments – (Rainbow of Hope will get back to Sarah N., and access to possible kitchen; Cypress group or 1960 a possibility-doesn't want to be responsible for food or clean-up-Just provide the space- Henry H. will coordinate; Chance for Freedom has a hall- will get with church about internet- Deadline is sooner the better or region will take it upon themselves to**

find a place)

GSR's take back to groups- Need internet access, access to screen, up to 50+ people, cost of room rental, LUNCH and refreshments. Region will cover reasonable costs. Find out NO Later than NEXT Area

2. Proposal from You are worth it Group
 - NA Way Magazine- **PASSED**

III. OPEN DISCUSSION

- a. Taxes to be taken out of cash app, etc. Tax ID/Tax exempt status. Joe will do research on this. 501 (c)(3) or 504- zero out at end of the year possibly? 504- Levi going to research with NASCONA

VI. REVIEW OF BUSINESS

- a. **Reginald- Elected to Policy Chair**
- b. **New Heights Needs people to sign up for Picnic on March 24th for food, etc via**
<https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/19ZMQRUJFm4ueM102J0nvY65IR2ULtUvvhmZzb0HZjs/edit?fbclid=IwAR3lQQ9oq1qAOeuqsgUeBkG8TFaHLkDC-uuerWcn-SgRZsTxr9lidbWyjIU#gid=0>
 - i. **Also announce at groups- Bring Blanket/Chair**
- c. **Ronnie H. nominated for Facilitator - Clean Date: 7/4/2017 Has done lots of positions at the area and group level, and HACNA. Working knowledge of the steps and has a sponsor.**
- d. **GSR's take back to home groups- Need internet access, access to screen, up to 50+ people, cost of room rental, LUNCH & refreshments. Region will cover reasonable cost**
- e. Please send any updates to your meeting schedule to schedulechanges@hascona.com to get the online meeting schedule updated.
- f. Please send your event Flyers to Events@hascona.com to get your flyers displayed on the webpage.
- g. **OPEN ASC POSITIONS: Facilitator, Co-Facilitator, Recorder, Co-Treasurer, Activities, Outreach, and RCM I**

The next ASC will be held at 10:30 AM on 04/07/2024 at Zoom ID 979 4364 4649

The meeting was adjourned at 12:40 PM with a moment of silence followed by the Third Step Prayer.

In Grateful & Loving Service,



Sarah S.



HOPE SWEET HOPE

8th Anniversary
Speak and Eat
March 17th, 2024
1:00pm - 4:00pm

Pecan Grove Park
800 Pitts Rd, Richmond,
TX 77406

1:15 - First Speaker
3:00 - Final Speaker

Food will be served and a
playground is available for children.
Park has a disc golf course and a
covered Pavilion, but bringing your
own chair is recommended!





ALIVE & KICKING GROUP OF NA
IS HOSTING A

**AREA/REGIONAL
LEARNING DAY**

**TOPIC: Disruptive Violent Predator
Behavior/ Neutral Gender/ Inclusive
Language (Service Pamphlet)**

**AT WINGATE HOUSTON
NEAR NRG PARK/ MEDICAL CENTER
8600 KIRBY DRIVE
HOUSTON, TEXAS 77054**



**SATURDAY, MARCH 23, 2024
2PM CST, 3PM EST, 12 NOON PST**

FUN- FELLOWSHIPPING-REFRESHMENTS

**HYBRID VIA ZOOM
EVERYONE WELCOME TO JOIN**



**MEETING ID: 882 6098 3581
PASSWORD: ALIVE**





It's An Picnic Y'all

FOOD



12 pm - 3 pm

Location:

Montie Beach Park

915 Northwood St. 77009



FUN

Asking for Sides
DESSERTS,
DRINK
DONATIONS

SPEAKER

Teresina B.

7-22-13

FELLOWSHIP

Grace & Gratitude

New Heights

Chance For Freedom

The Sooner The Better.

