

Area 54 Assembly January 21, 2018

Opening: Tina C.

Opened the Assembly with the Serenity Prayer. Prayer /Card Readings: **Jim S.** -Read the **12 Traditions**, **Thomas M.** Read the **12 Concepts**, **Tim H.** - discussed **Tradition 7** and **Marilyn H.** discussed **Concept 7.**

Announcements: January 28th – Mini Conf. Planning meeting – **Holiday Inn – Strongsville – 2pm. February 18th- GSR Workshop** - Upcoming **43rd Annual Area 54 Mini- Conference- March 23-25th, 2018** -, **Oh. 44136**
Recording Secretary: Bev F.

Explained the sign-in procedure for DCM's/Past DCM's, GSR's, Area Committee Chairs/Past Area Committee Chairs to **establish eligibility for elections.** There's 2-minute time limit for giving reports.

Presentation of Minutes

Moved & Seconded.

Treasurer: Dawn J. Financial Reports to date.

Contribution from **Women's International Conference.**

Mailing Secretary: Dustin S.

Next Folding Party: **February 24th, 2018** - **Youngstown, Oh.** – 850 N. Meridian Rd. – **44509**

Registrar

Marilyn H.- Group Updates, etc.

AA Anniversaries recognized - 7th Tradition-

Introduction of New GSR's

Introduction of New DCM's

Suspend all Area business...to review the 2018 Budget.

Moved & Seconded.

Waived reading of Budget.

Moved & Seconded.

Budget Accepted for 2018.

Moved & Seconded

Rea R. - **Gratitude Sunday Report**

Mark P. – **GSR Workshop**

Resumed Committee Reports

Area Committee Reports:

Tim H. – **Accessibilities** – No calls at this time.

Susan R. – **Grapevine** – Promote Grapevine at your homegroup.

Mike S. - **Treatment** - Promoted **Bridging the Gap** at Hitchcock Center for Women.

Ron O. – **CPC** – **No report**

Casey M. – **OYAPPA** – Contacted Cincinnati, Cleveland **EACYPAA** and Akron. Hosting **OYAPPA 37, 60TH ICYPAA, Aug. 30th-Sep 2nd, 2018 Baltimore, MD**

District Committee Reports:

Ed U. – **No Report** – Dist. 31

Rea R. – Dist. 10 – Gratitude Sunday – over 130 people, \$104.00/7th Tradition. Returned \$300.00n Seed money to Area.

Jesse H. –. – Dist. 33 - Found (1)group listed twice. Reorganize GSR Dist. meetings. Need individual **CMD** Contributions listed..

Val D.– Dist 11 – Richard C. offered DCM position – however is is not here today.

Dave A.– Dist 7,8 & 48 – Mailing Party Feb. 24th, 2018.

John M. – Dist 23 & 39 – (3) active GSR's – Funds are low, however we make contributions to the Area.

Emily W. – Dist 28 – Visiting groups to "light up" the District. Talking to Homegroup about GSO. Will attend Multi-District meeting.

Mark P. — Dist - 19A - Final Report by Jamie B – Delegate. (4) new GSR's.

Talathia E.R.– Dist 34 – Cleveland Teamster's Anniversary 5,6 and 7 – Jan. 27th – 2018.

Nelson M. - Dist 61 – Still trying to get active GSR's, and I am not giving up.

Mike S. – Dist 2 – Invited to (2)groups to discuss GSR's.

Challenging, but getting better.

Intergroup Reports:

Quinsetta M – Attend Advisory Committee. Meetings.

Steve K – **Youngstown – Pasta Dinner – Feb. 10th, 2018**

Tim H – **Ashtabula – Golf Outing – Aug. 18th, 2018**

Alternate Delegates Report: - Shryl B. – 43rd Annual Mini Conf. 43rd - March, 23rd-25th – Strongsville, Oh - (Use Trifold for upcoming events.)

Delegates Report: Jamie B. -

Pay Pal Available for upcoming Mini Conference.

ECR Forum – every (2) years – done by Area 54. Held in July 2019, near airport. Via conversation with Steve S. No information on 2030 bid for International at this time..

Old Business: None at this time.

New Business: - Bids for May - Unity Day

June - Open House.

What's on your mind?

Monica M. Where do I find **Guidelines** for Open House?

Karen S – New Flyers for Cleveland Multi-District Aa **only.**

Emily W. – **OYPAA** Watch Party – **Stella Maris**

Brian J.C. – Cleveland Corrections Chair – **needs assistance**

Thomas M. – Amends to Area.

Nelson M. – Requesting group updates in **January.**

Greg J. – **Take notes** for homegroup.

Bob M. - Advisory Committee Meeting – please send a representative. They meet (4) times a year.

Dustin S. - Mailing parties Sat (**4/28**), Sat (**6/23**), Sat (**8/25**), Sat (**12/1**)

Meeting adjourned followed by the Responsibility Pledge and the Lord's Prayer.