**MINUTES FOR DISTRICT 41 MEETING AUGUST 17, 2023 (HYBRID)**

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PRESENT AT MEETING:

Lora B., Susan H., Chris J., Lee K., Lael L., Brian L., Jeane M., Tom Mo., Jim P., Bob S. and Chris S.

Meeting opened at 7:00 p.m. with a Quiet Time, Serenity Prayer, GSR Preamble, 8th Tradition and 8th Concept for World Service.

Chris S. chaired the meeting.

##### INTRODUCTIONS:

**New GSRs** – None.

**Guests** – Gerry W., Cecilia K. and Leroy L., Dennis L. (D-42 Corrections Chair),

**Anniversaries** – Lora B. (19 yrs.)

**Birthdays** – None.

**Announcements** – Lee K. announced that the sixth and seventh step workshop will be on August 19th at Anona East from 12 noon – 3 p.m.  
  
Susan H. announced the Illinois State Conference in Schaumburg will run from 6:30 p.m., Friday, August 18th until Noon on Sunday, August 20th.

Lee K. reminded the Joe T. picnic will be Sunday, August 20th at Anona East, from 12 Noon until 4:00 p.m.

**GSR-CC & Q:** GSRs reported on their meetings.

**OFFICERS REPORTS:**

**SECRETARY: (**Tom Mo.) Several people were removed from the Roster due to lack of attendance. Minutes from July were put into the record.

**TREASURER:** (Lora B. Acting Treasurer)

Lora B. reviewed contributions and expenses. Donations totaled $465. Expenses totaled $1,049.99, of which $800 was spent on the District Picnic. Ending balance was $6,945.31.   
  
Lora B. will include the flyer concerning becoming a GSR with receipts for donations.

**DCM:** (Chris S.) Nothing further.

**ALT. DCM:** (Open)

**ACCESSIBILITIES:** (Open)

**ANSWERING SERVICE:** (Maggie A.). Absent. Tom M. read report from text received from Maggie A. See below:

Hey, Tom, here’s my report for Answering Service: Calls are coming through regularly. It seems like everyone is getting one or two calls. I have $118 in donations I’ll send in from the Early Birds. Thank you!!

**ALT. ANSWERING SERVICE:** (Open)

**ARCHIVES:** (Lael L.) Lael L. will interview a founder of Anona East to add to the archival history of the District.

**BTG:** (Open)

**CPC:** (Open)

**ALT.** **CPC:** (Open)

**PI:** (Open)

**CORRECTIONS:**  (Brian L.) Meetings are going well at the DuPage Jail. Signed up for Corrections Conference in Oklahoma City in November. Pink Can Fund is at $5,800.00.   
  
Dennis L. (District 42 Corrections Chair) was given permission to start a new meeting at the Jail. The meeting is on Thursdays at 2:00 p.m. Thanked District 41 for Pink and Green Can contributions. Dennis L. brought to the attention of the meeting that Area 20 wishes to put Pink Can funds under the administration of the Treatment Chair. He urged attendance at the Area Assembly on September 16 to vote on the matter.

**ALT. CORRECTIONS:** (Lora B.) No report.

# GRAPEVINE: (Joan N.) Absent.

**ALT. GRAPEVINE:** (Open)

**LITERATURE:** (Chris J.) Chris J. ordered addition Service Manuals. Will be taking the GSR flyer to meetings without GSRs.

**ALT.** **LITERATURE:** (Open)

**LCM:** (Open)

**NEWSLETTER:** (Susan H.) Will have a new Newsletter by the end of the year. Asked for a summary of the District Picnic. Lora B. will send a summary.

**TREATMENT:** (Tom Ma.) Absent.

**ALT. TREATMENT:** (Open)

**WEBSERVANT:** (Jeane M.) Jeane M. reported 1,018 views in July. Posted a new PDF with all meetings on August 15. Asked for any events that need to be posted. Worked with Jim P. on updating meeting, including new meeting numbers.

**ALT. WEBSERVANT:** (Jim P.) Reviewed progress on converting meetings to a versatile digital format.

**WORKSHOPS:** (Lee K.) The next workshop will be in January or February. The topic to be determined.

**OLD BUSINESS:** Gerry W. was nominated to become District Treasurer. She summarized her AA experience. Gerry W. was elected Treasurer of District 41.

**ONGOING BUSINESS:** Open District positions were reviewed.

**NEW BUSINESS:** None.

Closed with Responsibility Statement.

## If you are a District 41 member and have not attended a district meeting within the last three months, chances are your name will be removed from the mailing list.

**The next meeting will be held Thursday, September 20, 2023 @ 7:00 P.M.**