



## MEETING REPORT SEPTEMBER 10, 2023

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**OPEN FORUM:** Any member may address the Area Service Committee. You must email [secretary@goldcoastna.org](mailto:secretary@goldcoastna.org) if you would like to have it included in the Meeting Report.

**GROUP REPORTS & FLYERS:** Group announcements and reports are made during *Roll Call* and should be emailed to [secretary@goldcoastna.org](mailto:secretary@goldcoastna.org) to be included in the Meeting Report.

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**MOTIONS/ NEW BUSINESS:** BLANK MOTION FORMS are found at <https://goldcoastna.org/resources> and MUST be submitted to the ASC Secretary PRIOR to the start of new business. You may also email the motion to [secretary@goldcoastna.org](mailto:secretary@goldcoastna.org).

*It is suggested that all motions relating to Area Policy be presented at this meeting or to the Policy Subcommittee prior to submission for ASC consideration. The POLICY SUBCOMMITTEE meets at 11:00 AM prior to the ASC meeting.*

**ASC ADMIN & NEW GSR ORIENTATION:** ALL SUBCOMMITTEE CHAIRPERSONS meet with the ASC Vice Chair at 12 Noon prior to the Area Service Committee meeting.

*If you are a NEW GSR or ALT GSR, you should meet with the Policy Subcommittee Chair at 12:30 PM prior to the Area Service Committee meeting.*

**USE ONLINE FORM FOR LITERATURE ORDERS:** The direct link is <https://form.jotform.com/212648033288054> and orders are due by ASC. **NEXT LITERATURE PICKUP (LAST SATURDAY OF EACH MONTH): SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 29, 2023 9:30 AM - 11:00 AM (Serenity By the Sea)**

### **GROUP CONTRIBUTIONS:**

- **ONLINE:** Visit <https://goldcoastna.square.site/>
- **CASH DROP OFF:** Only during literature order pickup on the LAST Saturday of each month between 9:30 am and 11:00 am.

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## **REFERRED TO GROUPS FOR CONSIDERATION:**

### **2 OPEN AREA TRUSTED SERVANT POSITIONS FOR NOMINATIONS.**

(Call for Nominations at June ASC. Nominations made at July ASC. Elections made at August ASC.)

### **0 OPEN GCCNA 30 (ASC-ELECTED) POSITIONS FOR NOMINATION.**

(Call for Nominations at April ASC. Nominations made at May ASC. Elections made at June ASC.)

### **10 OPEN REGION TRUSTED SERVANT POSITIONS FOR NOMINATION.**

### **6 ASC TRUSTED SERVANT POSITIONS FOR GROUPS TO VOTE.**

### **0 GCCNA 30 (ASC-ELECTED) POSITIONS FOR GROUPS TO VOTE.**

### **0 REGION TRUSTED SERVANT POSITIONS FOR GROUPS TO VOTE.**

### **0 AREA MOTIONS FOR GROUPS TO VOTE.**

### **6 REGION MOTIONS FOR GROUPS TO VOTE.**

### **1 ASC AD HOC COMMITTEE OPEN (Area History) for members with White Key**

## **GOLD COAST AREA SERVICE RULES OF ORDER**

<b>MOTION</b>	<b>2nd REQ?</b>	<b>DEBATABLE?</b>	<b>AMENDABLE?</b>	<b>VOTE</b>
Main Motion	YES	2 PRO/2 CON	YES	MAJORITY
Amendment	YES	2 PRO/2 CON	NO	MAJORITY
Refer to Committee	YES	1 PRO/1 CON [2]	YES	MAJORITY
Refer to Groups	YES	1 PRO/1 CON [1]	YES	MAJORITY
Call the Vote	YES	1 PRO/1 CON [1]	NO	2/3
Table	YES	1 PRO/1 CON	NO	MAJORITY
Recess (Break)	YES	NO	NO	MAJORITY
Adjourn (Close)	YES	2 PRO/2 CON	NO	MAJORITY
Point of Order	NO	NO	NO	NONE
Appeal Chair's Decision	YES	1 PRO/1 CON	NO	MAJORITY
Suspend the Rules	YES	NO	YES	2/3
Point of Information	NO	NO	NO	NONE
Reconsider	YES	2 PRO/2 CON	NO	MAJORITY
Take From the Table	YES	1 PRO/1 CON	NO	MAJORITY

#### NOTES:

**[1]** IF PASSED, 2 PROS AND 2 CONS FOR INFORMATION ONLY ON THE MAIN MOTION.

**[2]** DEBATABLE ONLY IF MOTION TO BE AMENDED IS DEBATABLE.

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(Review Gold Coast Policy Manual "TABLE ASC-03: DESCRIPTION OF PARLIAMENTARY PROCEDURES".)

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## 16. MEETING CLOSED

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- RACHEL CLOSED THE MEETING WITH THE THIRD STEP PRAYER AT 2:48PM.

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### Gold Coast ASC Entity Acknowledgement

*The BROWARD GOLD COAST SERVICE OF NA INC is a corporation organized under the laws of the State of Florida, filed on February 17, 2020, effective February 10, 2012. The document number of this corporation is N20000001948. This entity was formed with the purpose of conducting the business of the Gold Coast Area, in supporting its members as designated by the Twelve Concepts for NA Service, and has no affiliation with Narcotics Anonymous. Narcotics Anonymous is not affiliated with any other organization or outside entity, including any venues, meeting facilities or event locations listed in this report. Any included names are listed for the purpose to provide a description or direction to location.*



## 1. OPEN MEETING

- The ASC Chair opened the meeting with the Serenity Prayer at 1:00 PM.

## 2. ASC READINGS

- THE TWELVE TRADITIONS of NA were read by \_\_\_\_
- THE TWELVE CONCEPTS of NA were read by \_\_\_\_
- THE DEFINITION of an ASC was read by PAUL
- THE QUALIFICATIONS and RESPONSIBILITIES of a GSR and GSR ALTERNATE were read by PAUL

## 3. OPEN FORUM

New GSR's please email your name, group name, and telephone number to [secretary@goldcoastna.org](mailto:secretary@goldcoastna.org)

## 4. ROLL CALL & GROUP REPORTS - TO DO

ASC TRUSTED SERVANTS	1ST	2ND	PHONE #
ASC Chair – Rachel L.	X	X	754-308-8648
ASC Vice Chair – Corey	X	X	
ASC Secretary – Christina J.	X	X	215-292-5750
ASC Asst. Secretary – Nicky	X	X	

ASC Treasurer – Taylor D.	<b>x</b>	<b>x</b>	918-813-9641
ASC Asst. Treasurer – OPEN	<b>o</b>	<b>o</b>	973-634-1159
RCM – Adam	<b>x</b>	<b>x</b>	954-913-8638
Alt. RCM – Adam E	<b>x</b>	<b>x</b>	954-907-6157
Activities – Kristy C.	<b>x</b>	<b>x</b>	954-881-1805
Activities Treasurer - Tanya	<b>x</b>	<b>x</b>	
Convention (GCCNA) – Lauren C.	<b>x</b>	<b>x</b>	561-876-0111
H&I – Tony	<b>x</b>	<b>x</b>	754-551-0274
Literature Dist. – Lisa M	<b>x</b>	<b>x</b>	443-690-9681
Asst. Literature Dist. – OPEN	<b>o</b>	<b>o</b>	954-952-7131
Policy – Paul	<b>x</b>	<b>x</b>	301-923-5760
Public Relations – Rocky M.	<b>x</b>	<b>x</b>	954-551-0080

**NOTE: A = Absent; 2 = Second Consecutive Absence; x = Present; and o = n/a or Open**

##	AREA GROUPS	1ST	2ND	REPORT/NOTES
1	5:30 Group	<b>A</b>	<b>A</b>	
2	6 O' Clock Solutions	<b>X</b>	<b>X</b>	
3	Best Meeting Ever	<b>X</b>	<b>X</b>	
4	East Side Story	<b>X</b>	<b>X</b>	
5	Entirely Ready	<b>X</b>	<b>X</b>	
6	Freedom Ain't Free	<b>X</b>	<b>A</b>	
7	Freethinkers South	<b>X</b>	<b>A</b>	
8	Giving it Away @ 7	<b>X</b>	<b>X</b>	
9	G.O.D	<b>X</b>	<b>X</b>	
10	Journey for Discovery	<b>X</b>	<b>X</b>	

11	Las Olas Sunday Night	X	X
12	Monday Night Live	A	A
13	New Path	A	A
14	No Matter What	A	A
15	Noontime Recovery	X	X
16	Plantation Recovery	X	X
17	PM Recovery	X	X
18	Progressive Recovery	X	X
19	Rainbow Group	X	X
20	Room 4 Change	A	A
21	S.O.S.	X	X
22	STAR	A	A
23	Stayin Alive	A	A
24	Sunland Park	A	A
25	Sunday Serenity	x	A
26	Sunday Solutions	x	x
27	Together We Grow	x	x
28	Trust Us	x	x
29	The Wich Group	A	A
30	Women Do Recover	A	A
31	Women of Substance	x	x
32	Hispanos Unidos	x	x
33	Couch Recovery	x	x
34	Serenity at 7	x	x

**NOTE: A = Absent; 2 = Second Consecutive Absence; C = Meeting Closed; and X = Present**

**ACTIVE ROSTER**

- If a group did not attend two (2) consecutive ASC's, the group is removed from the Roll Call roster, per Policy.
- (0) GROUPS REMOVED FROM ACTIVE ROSTER AFTER SEPTEMBER ASC;
- (3) GROUPS ADDED TO ACTIVE ROSTER AFTER SEPTEMBER ASC;

**5. ESTABLISH QUORUM**

- \_\_ of 31 groups were present for the 1st Roll Call. A simple majority of \_\_ groups present from the active roster was required to conduct business; as such, quorum was met.
- For total of \_\_ groups present, a majority vote of \_\_ requires to pass and a 2/3 vote requires \_\_ to pass

**6. ACCEPT LAST MONTH'S MINUTES**

- ASC CHAIR called for any corrections to the minutes -
  - NO CORRECTIONS SUBMITTED

<b>MOTION</b>		MAKER OF MOTION:	SECONDED BY:
		<i>SOS</i>	<i>BME</i>
MOTION:	To Accept the Minutes		
ACTION:	MOTION PASSED		

**7. OLD BUSINESS**

NO OLD BUSINESS

**8. ELECTIONS**

Nominations are brought back to the ASC in July. Elections are held in August. (GCCNA nominations are brought back to the ASC in May and elections are held in June.) Nominations for vacancies may be made during any month. All ASC elected officer nominees should be asked the following questions:

1. Have you read the policy for your position and committee, if applicable?
2. Are you aware of all responsibilities for the position per policy?

Additionally, all nominees for an area money handling position will be asked the following questions by the Policy Chair:

3. Are you currently employed?
4. Do you currently hold a bank account in your own name?
5. Have you ever misappropriated any funds since you got clean?

All nominees, even with only one nomination, must go back to the groups for a vote and brought back to the ASC for election. *Answers to questions will be submitted in the area minutes when nominees are referred to Groups. All nominees are required to attend the ASC for elections in August. If a nominee is not present for elections, his/her nomination will be withdrawn. Voting is done by a show of hands: positions with only one (1) nomination require 2/3 majority; positions with two (2) require only a majority; refer to policy for procedures for handling three (3) or more nominees for the same position.*

MOTION FOR ELECTION		NOMINATION MADE BY:	SECONDED BY:
		<i>Activities</i>	<i>RCM</i>
<b>NOMINATION:</b>	To select Christina J. as temporary ASC Secretary		
<b>QUALIFICATIONS:</b>	I'm an addict named Christina. I've been assistant Secretary, Secretary, vice chair, chair, policy chair, literature review chair, regional literature review chair and I have the willingness to be of assistance with helping be Secretary. I have a sponsor, who has a sponsor, I have working knowledge of the 12 steps, 12 traditions, and 12 concepts.		
<b>ACTION:</b>	SENT TO GROUPS		
<b>FINAL RESULT:</b>	PASSED		

MOTION FOR ELECTION		NOMINATION MADE BY:	SECONDED BY:
		<i>Activities</i>	<i>RCM</i>
<b>NOMINATION:</b>	To select Nicky as ASC Assistant Secretary		
<b>QUALIFICATIONS:</b>	<p>Greetings Gold Coast Family!</p> <p>Firstly, I Thank you for the nomination. I have the willingness to serve as Assistant Secretary to the Gold Coast of Narcotics Anonymous Area Service Committee ("Area"). My clean date is September 14, 2021. I have a sponsor and am an active member of my Home Group.</p> <p>At one year clean, I started attending Area as GSR for my Home Group. I have service commitments in both the H and I and Public Relations sub-committees and have been involved in convention activities such as Serenity Keeper, Registration and chairing Marathon Meetings.</p> <p>The opportunity to be of service to our community has been an integral and vital part of my personal recovery, and I am grateful to have found the gift of recovery in Gold Coast. I am humbled by this nomination and look forward to this opportunity to be of service to our Area such that I can continue to pay forward the gift that was so freely given to me.</p> <p>In Loving Service, Nicky6</p>		
<b>ACTION:</b>	SENT TO GROUPS		
<b>FINAL RESULT:</b>	PASSED		

MOTION FOR ELECTION		NOMINATION MADE BY:	SECONDED BY:
		<i>Policy</i>	<i>Activities</i>
<b>NOMINATION:</b>	To select Paul I. as Policy Chair		
<b>QUALIFICATIONS:</b>	<p>Hello, family. I'm Paul I. and I'm an addict.</p> <p>I would like to serve as Policy Chair for the Gold Coast area. My clean date is 07/17/2009. I have worked the steps and traditions multiple times with an NA sponsor who has worked the steps and traditions with an NA sponsor. I have been involved in service on and off since 1990.</p> <p>My service commitments in the past include:</p> <p>Home group level ( highest level of service):</p>		



	<p>Chair Coffee maker Gsr I was involved in the formation of the Central Dade Area ( currently called Beach and Bay) ASR alt Lit review committee: ( sponsorship book ) ( spad ) H&amp;I Gold Coast- Policy subcommittee chair person Gold Coast RCM- a RCM - Gold Coast ( X2) Home group: ( current) Journey for Discovery Gsr Chair - monthly for the year Coffee maker H&amp;I Gold Coast policy subcommittee member</p> <p>I also sponsor men and have an NA sponsor.I strive to apply the principles of the steps and traditions in my daily life and in service.I believe in upholding group conscience and group autonomy in service to carry the Narcotics Anonymous message to the addict. Thank you for your consideration: Paul I</p>
<b>ACTION:</b>	<b>SENT TO GROUPS</b>
<b>FINAL RESULT:</b>	<b>PASSED</b>

<b>MOTION FOR ELECTION</b>		NOMINATION MADE BY:	SECONDED BY:
		<i>RCM</i>	<i>H&amp;I</i>
<b>NOMINATION:</b>	<b>To select Corey S. as ASC Vice Chairperson</b>		
<b>QUALIFICATIONS:</b>	<p>Hi I'm Corey and I'm an addict. My clean date is August 13, 2014. Next month I'll be celebrating 9 years clean. I have a sponsor who has a sponsor. I have working knowledge of the 12 steps and 12 traditions of NA. I've served at group level( secretary, assistant gsr and gsr) in several groups. I've served at area level as a policy member. I've been policy chair for several stints. I've also served at GCCNA as serenity patrol vice chair. I have the willingness to serve our area.</p> <p>ILS, Corey</p>		
<b>ACTION:</b>	<b>SENT TO GROUPS</b>		
<b>FINAL RESULT:</b>	<b>PASSED</b>		

<b>MOTION FOR ELECTION</b>		NOMINATION MADE BY:	SECONDED BY:
		<i>Activities</i>	<i>RCM</i>
<b>NOMINATION:</b>	<b>To select Kristy C. as Activities Chairperson</b>		

<b>QUALIFICATIONS:</b>	Current Activities chairperson
<b>ACTION:</b>	<b>SENT TO GROUPS</b>
<b>FINAL RESULT:</b>	<b>PASSED</b>

<b>MOTION FOR ELECTION</b>		NOMINATION MADE BY:	SECONDED BY:
		<i>Activities</i>	<i>BME</i>
<b>NOMINATION:</b>	<b>To select Tanya D. as the Activities Treasurer</b>		
<b>QUALIFICATIONS:</b>	<p>My name is Tanya and I'm an addict. I have the willingness to serve as Activities Treasurer and it would be an honor to serve in this position again if I'm elected by the area. My clean date is January 14, 2018 and I have been a member of the Gold Coast Area throughout my recovery. I have served our area as GSR and on the Public Relations, H&amp;I and Activities subcommittees and am currently the vice chair of Activities &amp; chair of H&amp;I. I've been a member of the activities for over 4 years and have served as vice chair, treasurer and secretary for the subcommittee. I have a job and bank accounts in my own name.</p> <p>In loving service, Tanya D</p>		
<b>ACTION:</b>	<b>SENT TO GROUPS</b>		
<b>FINAL RESULT:</b>	<b>PASSED</b>		

## 9. NOMINATION

<b>MOTION FOR NOMINATION</b>		NOMINATION MADE BY:	SECONDED BY:
		<i>SECRETARY</i>	<i>SOS</i>
<b>NOMINATION:</b>	<b>To select Nicky as ASC Secretary</b>		
<b>QUALIFICATIONS:</b>	<p>Greetings Gold Coast Family!</p> <p>Firstly, I Thank you for the nomination. I have the willingness to serve as Assistant Secretary to the Gold Coast of Narcotics Anonymous Area Service Committee ("Area"). My clean date is September 14, 2021. I have a sponsor and am an active member of my Home Group.</p> <p>At one year clean, I started attending Area as GSR for my Home Group. I have service commitments in both the H and I and Public Relations sub-committees and have been involved in convention activities such as Serenity Keeper, Registration and chairing Marathon Meetings.</p> <p>The opportunity to be of service to our community has been an integral and vital part of my personal recovery, and I am grateful to have found the gift of recovery in Gold Coast. I am humbled by this nomination and look forward to this opportunity to be of service to our Area such that I can continue to pay forward the gift that was so freely given to me.</p> <p>In Loving Service, Nicky6</p>		
<b>ACTION:</b>	<b>SENT TO GROUPS</b>		
<b>FINAL RESULT:</b>	<b>PASSED</b>		

<b>MOTION</b>		NOMINATION MADE BY:	SECONDED BY:
			<i>SUNDAY SOLUTION</i>
	TO CLOSE NOMINATIONS FOR SECRETARY		
<b>ACTION:</b>	<b>VOTED ON FLOOR</b>		
<b>FINAL RESULT:</b>	<b>PASSED</b>		

<b>MOTION FOR NOMINATION</b>		NOMINATION MADE BY:	SECONDED BY:
			<i>LIT DISTRIBUTION</i>
<b>NOMINATION:</b>	TO NOMINATE MARCY FOR ASST LIT DISTRIBUTION		
<b>QUALIFICATIONS:</b>	Hi, I'm Marcy and I am an addict. Clean date 10/26/2017. I have worked the steps and traditions and have a working knowledge of both. I have an NA sponsor, and I sponsor women in NA. I am currently the Vice Chair of the SFRCA host committee and as a result, also a member of the BOD. Last year I was Registration chair for SFRCA host committee and the year prior to that, I was the merchandise chair. Several years ago I was gsr of my homegroup in Palm Coast and I served on their convention committee in programming and as secretary. I have the willingness to serve as literature vice chair. I understand that it is a two year commitment. Thank you, Marcy K.		
<b>ACTION:</b>	<b>SENT TO GROUPS</b>		
<b>FINAL RESULT:</b>			

<b>MOTION</b>		NOMINATION MADE BY:	SECONDED BY:
			<i>ACTIVITIES TREASURER</i>
	TO CLOSE NOMINATIONS FOR ASST LIT DISTRIBUTION		
<b>ACTION:</b>	<b>VOTED ON FLOOR</b>		
<b>FINAL RESULT:</b>	<b>PASSED</b>		

<b>MOTION FOR NOMINATION</b>		NOMINATION MADE BY:	SECONDED BY:
			<i>GCCNA</i>
<b>NOMINATION:</b>	TO NOMINATION LUIS FOR GCCNA ENTERTAINMENT CHAIR		

<b>QUALIFICATIONS:</b>	I have 6 ½ years clean, work steps, have a sponsor, I sponsor 3 guys. I was Vice Chair of GCCNA Entertainment and Fundraising for GCCNA XXXI
<b>ACTION:</b>	<b>SENT TO GROUPS</b>
<b>FINAL RESULT:</b>	

<b>MOTION</b>	<b>NOMINATION MADE BY:</b>	<b>SECONDED BY:</b>
	<b>ACTIVITIES</b>	<b>VICE CHAIR</b>
	TO CLOSE NOMINATIONS FOR GCCNA ENTERTAINMENT CHAIR	
<b>ACTION:</b>	<b>VOTED ON FLOOR</b>	
<b>FINAL RESULT:</b>	<b>PASSED</b>	

Email qualifications to [secretary@goldcoastna.org](mailto:secretary@goldcoastna.org)

### OPEN POSITIONS FOR NOMINATIONS

<b>AREA SERVICE COMMITTEE - ASSISTANT TREASURER AND TREASURER</b>	Money Handling?: <b>Yes</b>
<p><i>Nominated and elected by the ASC and serves as BOARD OF DIRECTORS ASST TREASURER. Money handling position. Not a co-signer on the ASC bank account. Three (3) years clean time. 1) An example of living recovery through the application of the Twelve Steps and Twelve Traditions of Narcotics Anonymous. 2) Bookkeeping or accounting experience suggested. 3) Six (6) months prior experience (any consecutive time period during their recovery) as a group treasurer and prior participation in the ASC as GSR, Administrative Committee or Subcommittee Chairperson.</i></p> <p>REF TO ASC POLICY MANUAL:  <a href="https://goldcoastna.org/sites/default/files/resources/00%20GOLD%20COAST%20AREA%20POLICY%20MANUAL%2020200809.pdf">https://goldcoastna.org/sites/default/files/resources/00%20GOLD%20COAST%20AREA%20POLICY%20MANUAL%2020200809.pdf</a></p>	

### GCCNA 31 TRUSTED SERVANT POSITIONS OPEN FOR NOMINATION:

Email qualifications to [secretary@goldcoastna.org](mailto:secretary@goldcoastna.org)

<b>GOLD COAST CONVENTION ADMINISTRATIVE COMMITTEE</b>	Money Handling?: <b>variable</b>
<p><i>A. PURPOSE The Administrative Committee holds separate, periodic and special committee meetings and carries out the will of the Convention Committee. Its function is to ensure that the various Subcommittees work together and to assist those Subcommittees, however it is not necessary for the Administrative Committee to involve itself directly in the specific workings of each Subcommittee. The members of the Administrative Committee discuss the performance of the Subcommittees as well as the overall budget and other matters which affect the convention. The results of these discussions are included in reports at Convention Committee meetings. The Administrative Committee drafts a schedule of meeting dates for the Convention Committee as soon as possible. This schedule is then approved by the Convention Committee and distributed to all members. It is advisable to choose a night on which meetings will be held and schedule all meetings on that night throughout the duration of the planning period. The Administrative Committee also makes regular reports to the ASC. Comments and suggestions from the ASC are included in the Chairperson's report.</i></p> <p>REF TO GCCNA POLICY MANUAL:  <a href="https://goldcoastna.org/sites/default/files/resources/02%20CONVENTION%20%28GCCNA%29%20Subcommittee%20Policy%2020190812.pdf">https://goldcoastna.org/sites/default/files/resources/02%20CONVENTION%20%28GCCNA%29%20Subcommittee%20Policy%2020190812.pdf</a></p>	

## 10 - RSC (REGION) TRUSTED SERVANT POSITIONS OPEN FOR NOMINATION

(1) Assistant Secretary (2) Assistant Treasurer (3) Literature Review (4) Member at Large (5) Newsletter (6) Outreach/Additional Needs (7) BOD CFO (8) Convention Host Chair (9) Convention Host Vice Chair (10) Convention Host Treasurer

## 9. RCM REPORT

Good afternoon Gold Coast Area,  
The South Florida Region last met on August 20, 2023. Being that our area did not meet quorum on our last scheduled ASC, I did not have any "consciences" (if that is even a word) to bring back to Region. As it turns out, during old business, the "ultimate authority" of our "loving G-D" expressed itself by way of more than simple majority on the motions sent back to groups. Our abstentions in effect did not impact the voting tally.

I was however unaware that our Area's yearly report was due to be submitted at the August RSC meeting. For those that don't know, the yearly report in simple terms is part census, part inventory, and part barometer, all gauging our numbers, accomplishments and goals. I have the query, it is as follows...

- a) Number of meetings:
  - how many groups
  - how many meetings each week
- b) Size of local fellowship. (if known)
- c) H&I Activity.
  - how many facilities
  - how many meetings each week
- d) Public Relations activity.
- e) Other Committee Activity.
- f) Major accomplishments (Public Relations services, Area Service Office(s), etc.)
- g) Specific problems or situations.
- h) Plans for the coming year.
- i) Brief summary of what your Area would like to accomplish at the WSC.

For anyone interested I'm including an attachment for the RSC Policy Manual.

The attached RSC Policy Manual reflects policy changes approved during the past service cycle. The numbering/ order sections have been updated as many of these were out of sequence.

The RSC Policy Manual is watermarked with "Under Admin Review" because we have determined additional policy changes approved during previous service cycles were not made to the most recent (2022) document. Admin and the MAL are working on this update for the October RSC.

There is a motion to update the SEZF policy manual. This is attached with noted revisions.

Also included is an attachment titled "NA Survival Kit" as presented by our RD.

(WSC) are proposing to bundle this material into one boxed set titled The NA Survival Kit. For each Step, the Survival Kit would include the section from the Basic Text chapter "How It Works," the chapter from It Works: How and Why, and the chapter from The NA Step Working Guides, with the questions numbered rather than bulleted.

The NA Survival Kit would consist of five bound packets together in one slip case:

Steps One, Two, and Three

Steps Four and Five

Steps Six and Seven

Steps Eight and Nine

Steps Ten, Eleven, and Twelve

The packets would not be produced or sold separately, only together as a slip-cased set.

And of course there are motions going back to the groups for consideration, they are as follows...

**MOTION #: 2023-06-18-01**

**Made By:** RD

**Second By:** Gulf Coast

Motion to read:

Change policy under D) ADMINISTRATIVE SUB-COMMITTEE, b. QUALIFICATIONS, 2)  
REGIONAL DELEGATE & ALTERNATE DELEGATE

from:

( c ) Two-year commitment per position commencing after the July 2016 RSC. too:

( c ) Terms will be the same as one WSC cycle per position, one as AD one as RD.

Intent: To match the RD AD terms with the change in WSC cycle length, and allow it to adapt if it's changed again in the future.

**MOTION #: 2023-06-18-02**

**Made By:** RD

**Second By:** Gulf Coast

Motion to read: add a line to policy under section F) TRAVEL POLICY, c. TRAVEL TO RSC, subsection v.

which reads: v. An Area may submit for travel reimbursement of their respective RCM and sub committee chairs for attendance to RSC weekend responsibilities if they travel 86 or more miles each way. Reimbursement can include up to 60% of the current Federal Mileage rate per mile as of the RSC.

Add at the end: Reimbursements to Area trusted servants will be paid directly to that trusted servant, and not to the area requesting it.

Intent: To clarify policy with the stated intent of the motion passed at the April RSC meeting.

There are still open positions at the RSC, they are as follows...

- a) Assistant Treasurer – OPEN – AREAS BRING NOMINATIONS TO OCT RSC
- b) Newsletter – OPEN – AREAS BRING NOMINATIONS TO OCT RSC
- c) Outreach/Additional Needs – OPEN – AREAS BRING NOMINATIONS TO OCT RSC

The next RSC weekend is ... October (10/15/2023 - 10/16/2023): Zoom/ Admin

Join Zoom Meeting <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/86583124084?pwd=ckhxaTZON0NDbnVaMzUvM1BkczU3UT09> Meeting ID:  
865 8312 4084 Passcode: RSC

Thank you for allowing me to serve,

Adam E.

## 10. SUBCOMMITTEE REPORTS

### ● ACTIVITIES SUBCOMMITTEE REPORT

Greetings from the Gold Coast Area Activities Subcommittee,

We meet the first and third Tuesday of the month at 7:00 PM to 8:00PM at our new location and back to Serenity by the Sea in the small room. The address is 1000 S. Pompano Parkway, Pompano Beach.

The subcommittee's last meeting was on September 5th. We meet again on September 18th. We are always looking for trusted servants. All you need is a white key tag to join.

Our last event was Clean but Crazy. The turnout was great. The treasurer will give her report next.

The next event is our Thanksgiving Dinner on November 23rd. Details and flyer will be in next months report.

In loving service,  
Kristy C.

● **ACTIVITIES SUBCOMMITTEE TREASURER REPORT**

Description	Expense	Paid by Area	Paid by activities
9/4 buttons	\$180.59	\$180.59	\$0.00
Pavilion	\$428.00	\$428.00	\$0.00
Gordon Food Svc	\$375.90	\$375.90	\$0.00
DJ	\$150.00		\$150.00
Home Depot	\$76.95		\$76.95
Target	\$102.86		\$102.86
Win Dixie	\$83.95		\$83.95
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$1,398.25</b>	<b>\$984.49</b>	<b>\$413.76</b>

Donations \$58.00  
 Square 2 area \$255.00  
 CashApp \$130.00  
 Cash \$1,160.00 \$1,160.00  
 paid at event -\$413.76  
 Cash to turn in \$755.00  
 Donations \$58.00  
 CashApp \$130.00  
 Monies collected \$1,218.00 \$885.00  
 Expenses -\$1,398.25  
 profit/loss -\$180.25

● **CONVENTION (GCCNA) SUBCOMMITTEE REPORT**

Hello Family

Things are moving along with the planning of our area convention. Entertainment and Fundraising will be hosting a Beach Bash BBQ, food, fun, fellowship and a speaker on September 25 10am-4pm. Budgets for committees are completed and will bring to host to go over with committee members. We still have some open committee seats available along with committees that need support. We meet the 2nd Tuesday of each month at Sanctuary Church at 7pm please come out and help your areas convention. Thank you for allowing me to be of service.

Lauren C

- **HOSPITALS & INSTITUTIONS SUBCOMMITTEE REPORT**

H& I subcommittee report

Greetings from the Gold Coast Hospitals and Institutions subcommittee.

We meet the first Monday of the month at the Serenity by the Sea Clubhouse.

Our last meeting was Monday, September 11th, with 26 voting members in attendance. 4 new members attended orientation.

The subcommittee currently brings presentations into 13 facilities. There is a wait-list with three facilities requesting additional presentations. We are in desperate need of women with master clearance to take a presentation into the jail.

ISWG is currently in the process of becoming it's own subcommittee separate from H&I

Anyone interested in attending upcoming jail orientation can go to [goldcoastna.org](http://goldcoastna.org) for the email address to RSVP as space is limited to 20 attendees. All applicants will need their driver's license and social security card in addition to the application packet completed and notarized.

Our next subcommittee meeting is Monday, October 2nd at the Serenity by the Sea clubhouse in Pompano Beach. Orientation is at 6 p.m. and the subcommittee meets at 7 p.m.

Thank you for allowing me to be of service.

ILS,  
Tony S

- **INMATE STEP WRITING GUIDE AD HOC COMMITTEE REPORT**

Greetings from the GOLD COAST Inmate Step Writing Guide Subcommittee,

We meet the **second Monday** of every month on Zoom

6:30-7:00pm is Orientation

7:00-8:00pm is our Subcommittee meeting

Meeting ID: 986 0753 7980

Password: ISWG

Requirements to become a Guide

Must go through orientation.

Must have at least 2 years of clean time.

Must be active in recovery.

Must have worked up to the 5th step in Narcotics Anonymous.

Must be willing to guide an incarcerated addict work the 12 steps through the mail.

We continue to be in need of Trusted Servants to Guide inmates through the 12 steps of NA.

·We are currently corresponding with 23 inmates.

We are also in NEED of Trusted Servants to serve on the Subcommittee

OPEN POSITIONS :

Co Chair

Secretary



In Loving Service  
Debi L  
Assistant Secretary ISWG Subcommittee

- **LITERATURE DISTRIBUTION SUBCOMMITTEE REPORT**

FL Region Literature Order: \$3290.69  
Meeting lists Print Order: \$135.00  
QR code cards: \$0  
Flyers: \$0  
Phone Lists: \$0  
Total spent: \$2917.69  
H&I (budgeted) Sold: \$373.00  
Group Literature Sold: \$1,192.00  
Individual Literature Sold: \$0  
Total Literature sold: \$1,192.00  
# of Groups ordered: 9  
# of Individuals ordered: 0  
Total Orders Filled: 9  
Total Group Contributions: \$50.00  
# of Groups Contributions: 1  
Card collected: \$1,242.00  
Cash collected: \$0  
Square fees: -\$33.31

- **POLICY SUBCOMMITTEE REPORT**

NO REPORT

- **PUBLIC RELATIONS SUBCOMMITTEE REPORT**

August 2023 Report

Hello everyone from the Gold Coast Area Public Relations Subcommittee, I am an addict named Rocky. The PR Subcommittee met on 08/28/2023 at 7:30 PM via hybrid. We have 20 members total in our PR subcommittee. We are always seeking new members, and anyone is always welcome to come sit in and be a part of our amazing group of trusted servants. You do not have to hold a position to join us to see how the public relations committee functions, all are welcome to log on. Dates and online links are always listed at the end of our monthly report as well as the Gold Coast Area website. Hope to see you all there.

What's new at PR?

- PM Pancakes that is sponsored by Together We Grow group will be held September 23 starting at 4:30pm - 8:30pm. There will be pancakes and BACONNNNN - a boot camp on PR and a double speaker to wrap things up.
- We will be holding a poster day on November 18th, more details to come by next month!!! Please reach out to us if you're interested!!!!
- We have an opportunity to attend the Substance Abuse and Mental Health Symposium at their event outside of Jacksonville, FL November 3rd-5th. The NA area there isn't able to attend so we will be hopefully sending some members from our area out there.

The following positions are open and need to be filled in our service committee

WEBSITE DEVELOPMENT COORDINATOR

- 1) Two (2) years clean time.
- 2) Website design and development experience.
- 3) Six (6) months prior involvement in the Public Relations Subcommittee.
- 4) Familiar with PR policy, Narcotics Anonymous FIPT, and copyright laws.
- 5) Working knowledge of the Twelve Traditions of Narcotics Anonymous and the Twelve Concepts for NA Service.
- 6) Working knowledge of appropriate website development languages and technologies.
- 7) Willingness to serve.
- 8) An example of living recovery through application of the Twelve Steps and Twelve Traditions of Narcotics Anonymous.

WEBSITE INFORMATION COORDINATOR

- 1) One (1) year clean time.
- 2) Website management experience.
- 3) Six (6) months prior involvement in the Public Relations Subcommittee.
- 4) Familiar with PR policy, Narcotics Anonymous FIPT, and copyright laws.
- 5) Working knowledge of the Twelve Traditions of Narcotics Anonymous and the Twelve Concepts for NA Service.
- 6) Willingness to serve.
- 7) An example of living recovery through application of the Twelve Steps and Twelve Traditions of Narcotics Anonymous.

If anyone needs any more information about these service positions or anything relating to Public Relations please don't hesitate to reach out to me or Rhonda with our information listed at the bottom of this report.

The next subcommittee meeting will meet via hybrid on September 25th 2023 at 7:30pm. Meeting information for both will be listed below.

In person meeting location:

Conference room in the Dunkin Donuts at:  
1405 SW 26th Ave, Pompano Beach, FL 33069

Zoom Meeting Info:

Meeting ID: 828 1216 2900

Passcode: 474652

For any groups wanting to update their meeting info such as openings/closings due to natural disaster, holidays, etc please contact

Rhonda C. (Vice Chair/Temp Web Info Vice)

(P) 954-330-5751

(E) [Webinfovice@goldcoastna.org](mailto:Webinfovice@goldcoastna.org)

If you have any other questions you can also contact:

Rocky M. (Chairperson)

**11. RE-ESTABLISH QUORUM (2nd ROLL CALL):**

- **23 of 36** groups were present for the 2nd Roll Call. The assembly met the previously established quorum of **19** groups present from the active roster prior to New Business and the order of business continued. New simple majority of **12** and  $\frac{2}{3}$  majority of **15** were set based on the 2nd roll call.

**12. NEW BUSINESS**

<b>MOTION 2023-09-10-01</b>		NOMINATION MADE BY:	SECONDED BY:
		ACTIVITIES	SOS
	CHANGE F7 FROM: Subcommittee shall be responsible for obtaining a banquet facility hold the Anniversary Banquet during the last week of July. <b>to:</b> Subcommittee shall be responsible for obtaining a banquet facility hold the Anniversary Banquet during the month of July.		
<b>INTENT:</b>	To give the area more banquet facility options that would include more venues, more catering options and to be prudent with our funds. This would also help with not being in conflict with Mid Coast Convention which has fallen on the same weekend the last couple of years.		
<b>ACTION:</b>	<b>SENT TO GROUPS</b>		
<b>FINAL RESULT:</b>			

<b>MOTION 2023-09-10-02</b>		NOMINATION MADE BY:	SECONDED BY:
		POLICY	ACTIVITIES
	.To add under section 3 of Policy:  <b>GOLD COAST AREA SERVICE SUBCOMMITTEES</b>  <i>To avoid conflicts of interest, no trusted servant of a committee can bid their goods or services, or receive compensation for their goods or services to the same committee. Any paid special worker or outside vendors should not be members of that subcommittee.</i>		

INTENT::	To avoid conflicts of interest from trusted servants and not allowing outside vendors. To ensure the prudent use of NA funds in carrying the message so the subcommittee isn't persuaded into selecting the bid of the trusted servant.
ACTION:	<b>SENT TO GROUPS</b>
FINAL RESULT:	

**13. TREASURER'S REPORT**

(See last page of meeting report)

As of today, the bank balance is \$10,271.00. That is \$9,729.00 below prudent reserve Expenses paid: region, area, activities, and H&I. There are currently check requests for activities and H&I that will be written and reflected on next month's report  
 For any other check requests, please email Treasurer@goldcoastna.org.  
 Group donations can be made at literature distribution the last Saturday, September 30 th , 2023 from 9:30-11am at Serenity by the Sea or through the link on the Gold Coast NA website via Square (located under the Service tab, 7 th Tradition)

In loving service,  
 Taylor D.

<b>MOTION</b>	MAKER OF MOTION:	SECONDED BY:
	<i>BMN</i>	<i>GIVING IT AWAY @2</i>
MOTION:	To Accept the Treasurer's Report	
ACTION:	PASSED	

**14. ASC SECRETARY REVIEW OF DAY'S BUSINESS**

[\(See page 3 of meeting report\)](#)

**15. ESTABLISH NEXT MEETING TIME & PLACE**

- 1:00 PM on Sunday, August 13, 2023

<b>MOTION</b>	MAKER OF MOTION:	SECONDED BY:
	<i>Policy</i>	<i>SOS</i>

MOTION:	To Close the ASC Meeting
ACTION:	MOTION PASSED

16. MEETING CLOSED

- Rachel closed the meeting with the Third Step Prayer at 2:48PM.

***SUPPORT YOUR AREA !!! GET INVOLVED !!!***

**Gold Coast ASC Entity Acknowledgement**

*The BROWARD GOLD COAST SERVICE OF NA INC is a corporation organized under the laws of the State of Florida, filed on February 17, 2020, effective February 10, 2012. The document number of this corporation is N20000001948. This entity was formed with the purpose of conducting the business of the Gold Coast Area, in supporting its members as designated by the Twelve Concepts for NA Service, and has no affiliation with Narcotics Anonymous. Narcotics Anonymous is not affiliated with any other organization or outside entity, including any venues, meeting facilities or event locations listed in this report. Any included names are listed for the purpose to provide a description or direction to location.*