

NAGSC Saturday August 3, 2024 Minutes
Host: NACYPAA & District 10A
Elko Convention Center
700 Moren Way
Elko, NV 89801

Meeting was recorded but only as reference for secretary minutes

Paul opened the meeting with the serenity prayer at 1:00 pm

Paul welcomed everyone and all who are attending their first NAGSC meeting.

In attendance 35-40 in person and 20 online

NAGSC Secretary Mike L asked for approval of June 1, 2024 minutes motion was made, seconded and approved without opposition or corrections.

NAGSC Treasurer and Area Alternate Treasurer Rich B gave the area report attached at the end of minutes is the Statement of Financial Income and Expense January through April 2024 statement from Jason the area treasurer

Officer Reports

NAGSC Chair Alternate Area Alternate Delegate Report Paul E

Hi, Northern Area 42 and those joining in from the South, I'm Paul your Panel 73 Area 42 Alternate Delegate / NAGSC Chairperson. Welcome to all of you that took the long drive here to Elko and thank you to all that are joining us online. Is there anyone that is attending a NAGSC meeting for the first time. I would like to thank all of those that were able to attend and support Area 42 at the Pacific Regional Forum especially those that volunteered. There were 64% first time attendees. Most of you know if not all, that in September at our Fall Area 42 assembly we will be having our elections, but there is another important piece of business that we will have to take care of and that is the Area 42 2025 budget. As everyone will be rotating out of their current position they are asked to fill out a budget for the person that will be taking over that position. Jen sent out a request for people to fill out a budget request so that we don't leave the new people hanging with no budget. The time to fill this out is now you have less than a week to submit your budget to the Finance Committee and not wait until the Area 42 assembly to start making requests for changes as we will be very busy with the Area 42 elections. Today the

Finance Committee will be giving a presentation on the budget process. Thank you for allowing me to serve, Paul

NAGSC Tech Chair – Michelle M

I have nothing to report.

NAGSC Registrar Jodie G

My name is Jodie, I am an alcoholic and I am currently serving as the Area 42 Alternate Registrar, which makes me your Registrar.

I am so happy to be here in Elko with you all today.

Attending the Pacific Regional Forum in Las Vegas with many of you last month was a highlight in my sobriety and service journey. What a wonderful weekend shared with so many who love Alcoholics Anonymous like I do and were there to see how best to serve and be informed.

I learned something there very important to my position as Alternate Registrar! A question was asked how GSO calculated the 2 million members. To my surprise, that number comes from GSO Group Information Change Forms! I had no idea. I know this rotation is coming to an end so I encourage you all to remind any incoming GSRs that when they complete the form to be sure and answer the “New Information” portion with a current and accurate number of members in the group. We all want to be counted as members of this amazing fellowship that has transformed our lives!

I am happy to announce registration is open for the Fall Assembly taking place in Tonopah, Nevada in September. Things were changed up a little so that we can be sure members are registered for both the event and the banquet without any confusion. We are working out the kinks - just in time to rotate!

As always I want to remind you, I am here to help with group numbers, registering new groups, GSRs or DCMs. I am here to support you in any way I can, just ask!

Thank you so much for allowing me to be of service!

See you in Tonopah!

NAGSC Archivist Debbie S

My name is Debbie, I am an alcoholic, serving as your Area 42 Alternate Archivist and NAGSC Archivist. I have not had much going on this past summer to report on. I am in my last quarter of a 16-quarter commitment, yes, this is a 4-year commitment. This next 4-year commitment of Alternate Archivist will be coming in from the South, therefore the Archivist will be coming in from the North. Our Archivist will play the role of the NAGSC Archivist. Unless I become the Archivist in this next rotation, in December or January I will be turning your NAGSC archives totes over to the care of our next NAGSC Archivist. Highlights of my 4-years include...The first thing I did in this new position was receive the totes from my predecessor; it was highly suggested that I keep your archives inside my home, where the elements and pests will not ruin them. Included in the stuff was the workbook, in which I read. I kept my focus on encouraging Districts to put together binders, that are specific to their District and or create an Archivist position within their District; put together traveling displays for different events here in the North; put on a couple of presentations on Archives; received and filed a few items; served on the Area Conference Committee for Archives, where I discovered that I could look up some archived articles on the aa.org website; downloaded the Area 42 Assembly minutes, then uploaded them onto a flash drive for Archives; and kept in contact with our Archivist. It is important for the Tech Chair, Area Secretary, and the Archivists to plan on how the Area 42 Assembly minutes will be recorded and turned over to the Archives in Las Vegas. In closing...Recently, I was looking back, contemplating on, "Did I do enough?"; I attended the 2024 PRAASA, where I heard, "This is your position, make it your own". I believe this statement stands true in any position we are holding. Debbie S.

Area Chair Lyle C

Hello NAGSC, I'm Lyle Alcoholic with the honor to serve as the Area 42 Chair P73.

It is good to see everyone, the Fall Assembly is coming up fast Sept.6th-8th in, of course, Tonopah NV. This is our election assembly. If you have not seen the election assembly, you are in for a treat. The third legacy procedure is a special process we use for our elections. You can find the details on page 110 in the current service manual. Service resumes are helpful but not required, I've sent out an email with a sample service resume, and what positions are available for north and south for this rotation.

The Mizpah is catering the banquet again with the same menu, registration and dinners will be opening soon. Registration is free but necessary because we are voting; the banquet is \$35.00. Our group room rate for the Mizpah and Belvada are available till Aug. 27th, the code is Area42.

Phil W the Las Vegas Forum chair announced and thank everyone who came to the forum in Las Vegas and who also able to help out. He said he got a letter from GSO that they felt the forum was roaring success

Members of the area finance consisting of Laura J , Laura j, and Anne Y discussed the Area budget that will be approved at the Fall Assembly. There was a lively discussion because there was shortfall of \$47,000 contributions received vs what was spent. To formulate a more accurate the finance committee request that area officers and committee members please submit annual budget request form as soon as possible. Rich the Area Alt chair reminded us that the Area decides how money is spent. Because of the short fall the finance committee will be making recommendations to address the shortfall such as bring back the assembly registration fee, lower the reimbursements to GSR and DCM to the assembly, lowering the gas reimbursements for attending NAGSC meetings. Rich also reminded the meeting there is process for GSR's and DCM's to request assistance from are tot first go the groups and districts for funding. Laura reminded the body along with the combining the treasuries North and South, allocating more to more positions, the pandemic giving us a false sense of funding where there was less travel is how come to this position of treasury.

Area 42 Delegate Jake S

o yo yo!! What up Area 42, the greatest area in the history of the universe. I just had to make Paul say that, but seriously I am missing you guys today. I came to my first SAGSC meeting in 2007 and today is the very first SAGS meeting I have ever missed ever!! Today's meeting was scheduled for July 14th. We rescheduled this meeting because of the pacific region forum, which I totally agreed with by the way. Before we rescheduled the meeting I had already agreed to go to speak in district 14 in Lake Tahoe this weekend. Thank you very much to all of the districts and groups that have given me the honor of coming to share with you for the past 2 years. Thank you so much to everyone who came out to the pacific region forum and made it such a successful event. We had 918 registered attendees which is a really huge turn out for a regional forum. What I was really excited about was the fact that we had 588 first time attendees. I really hope we inspired a new group of service junkies. We need them all and we need you too! It was really great to see all of the members from Area 42 there. Hopefully you have all received the email from our area chair Lyle about the upcoming fall area assembly that will be held September 6-8 in the sobriety capital of the universe beautiful downtown Tonopah Nevada. If you have not yell at your DCM. Hopefully Paul made it clear that was a joke, but seriously I want to give a huge thank you to all of the area 42 DCM's. Since COVID there have been a ton of changes in AA. One of the biggest

changes is that the emails from GSO that used to just go to the delegate now go to everyone. I really want to say thank you very much to all of our DCMs for the important role they play in keeping our area informed. Thank you very very much for the awesome job you are all doing. Half the time I'm seeing emails from my DCM before I see it from GSO. This assembly will be a very important assembly because it will be our election assembly. We will be electing all of our new area officers for panel 75 as well as our candidate for US trustee at large. Pretty amazing it will be the 75th general service conference. The 75th GSC will be conducting an inventory just like we will be doing in SAGS today. I'm very sorry I'm going to miss it. I will keep this short and sweet because I know today has a very busy agenda. I wish you all good luck and I really hope we can identify ways we can be more effective in carrying the message to the alcoholic who still suffers. Remember this general service committee only exists for one reason and it will only ever be as good as the members that serve in it. Thank you very much to Paul for giving my report and I look forward to seeing you all September 6-8.

District DCM Reports

District 02 DCM Debbie O

Hello everyone, my name is DCM Deb and I'm an alcoholic.

I am the DCM for district 2.

We meet on the 2nd Tuesday of every month at our Center Office to discuss how we can better serve our district for the newcomer. We will be working on bringing some light to Dark Meetings in our District. I want people to be excited about service and know all the opportunities that are available.

We are excited about the spirit of rotation with new GSRs coming in and we will be voting for the next DCM in the next couple months.

We are working on our last workshop for this year with excitement, hoping it might be another play. We will keep you informed.

I can't tell you the gratitude I have for this level of service and thank you for the opportunity to serve AA.

DCM DEB – District 2

District 04 DCM Scott A

I am grateful to be serving as the District 4 DCM for Panel 73. There has been a lot to learn and this is a fun learning experience.

We meet the first Thursday of the month at 6:00 pm upstairs at the Triangle Club in room 3. We are also virtual for those that can not attend in person. This has been a great help to have presentations from our chairs and others who have not been able to make it to the meeting physically.

We have had some wonderful presentations from our Area Chairs and have at least one more on the horizon. It is wonderful to see the opportunities for service at many different levels. I am hopeful that this is inspiring others to be of maximum service to God and to our fellows.

Thank you for the opportunity to serve,
Scott A.

DCM District 4

District 06 DCM Kevin E

My name is Kevin E. and I am honored to serve as District 6 DCM.

District 6 encompasses all of Douglas County, Carson City, South Lake Tahoe, and surrounding communities.

District 6 holds meetings on the second Sunday of every even-numbered month at 1:15 p.m. Meetings are held at the Carson City Alano Club and are hybrid, as well....

At our next District meeting on August 11, we will be conducting elections for positions in our district. Our district also had great attendance with chairs and Gsr's at the Pacific Regional Forum.

I was able to attend the Forum representing District 6 as a volunteer in LV. I had the privilege of working with the Area 42 Archivist Ronnie. He took me to Central Office where our Archives reside at this time in the south. I was able to capture where the area 42 archives reside and the layout of the room. Ronnie started giving me a tour when it

sounded so good I decided to start filming. There was a lot of information with explanations of where things are. My email address is (kevineaks@gmail.com) for any of the norths members to email me. I will grant access for you to see Area 42 archives. Also there is another video on the archives display at the Pacific Regional Forum. Please see me and I will give you access on Google Drive to view the presentations.

Thank you for allowing me to be of service.

District 08 Laurie G

Hi, I'm waiting for the minutes from the last dist. Meeting that I wasn't able to attend. So here's what I have:

July chili cook off on 6/23 rd was well attended and hot. 97 degrees in Bishop Cal. Jake came and shared some new info. from area 42 *and talked about new changes in book (possibly) and Las Vegas conference among other things. We have a 8 member P.I/C.P.C committee that is developing outreach materials and reading the work book together. They are from Bishop, Big Pine and Lone Pine. They have had some very positive contacts with the HR people at some of the larger local employers • Thanks go to Sophie K. August 23-25 is the High Sierra Campout in Mammoth, theme this year is “ Back to basics” sign up on website • All dist. meetings are still open except a Crowley one. Bridgeport has changed their time to 7.30 pm Wednesdays and are having positive results. Hope to see u on zoom on the 3 rd It's my first grandsons 2nd birthday by the grace of God i get to babysit him• thank u Laurie

District 10A DCM Laurie B
No written report submitted

District 12 DCM Jeffery P

No written submitted

District 14 DCM Mike M

Greetings trusted servants,

District 14 which encompasses Greater North Laker Tahoe including Kings Beach, Tahoe City, Incline Village, Crystal Bay, Squaw Valley, Sierra City, Sierraville, Loyalton, Blue Canyon and Truckee currently enjoys approximately 60 meetings a week. The district highlight since my last report aside from real alcoholics finding the fellowship they seek has to have been our Jamboree. This years festivities included a DJ, fabulous food, great fellowship and a corn hole tournament. The gathering was a who's who of beloved trusted servants. There was Committee members, Committee Chairs, Alt GSR's, GSR's, DCM's and alternates, Area Chair and on and on. And a couple hundred people sharing sharing there Joy with one another. The day ended with our Young Peoples speaker Alana Who told an inspiring story I will not soon forget and our very own Delegate who when we asked if he'd attend our event and share his experience, strength and hope he didn't even consider saying no, he just said where and when. So after working the day before Jake and his wingman Jaxton hopped in his sweet ride, drove for 8 or 9 hrs got a couple hrs sleep, fellowshipped all day, shared and drove home. A side note, the local radio station put up prizes for the corn hole tournament which are tickets to a music festival called Aftershock. My sponsee and I won having never played before so we will be grabbing our incredible lives by its heavy metal horns and be hanging with the likes of Iron Maiden and Slayer and be thanking God for his sense of humor. Thanks for letting me be of service.

Mike Moore
DCM Dist 14

District 16 DCM Dave H

No written report submitted

District 20 DCM Jay

Nothing to report

District 22 DCM Carlos

June 28-30 we celebrated our 25th Hispanic State Convention of AA at the Nugget Hotel and Casino in Reno with a very attendance.

We continue to have our district meetings on the first and third Thursday of each month at Central Office, we have decided as a district to increase our contribution for hosting to Central Office from \$40 to \$150 a month .

I attend the Regional Forum in Las Vegas with some members of the district committee who volunteered at the forum , it was an inspiring experience to remain active in service .

Carlos C
DCM D22

Standing Committee Chair Reports

Accessibility and Remote Committee Chair Joe H

Nothing to Report

Cooperation with the Professional Community Terri M

Hello everyone, my name is Terri, and I am a recovered alcoholic. I currently serve as your Cooperation with the Professional Community Chair for the North. I have one event coming up this month on August 20th. I will bring a panel of AA members who are also veterans into the National Guard in Sparks Nevada, and they will share their experience, strength, and hope. I am looking forward to sharing what A.A is and is not. I have 1 other National Guard event in September, and I couldn't be more grateful for this opportunity. It has changed my life, my A.A world. I feel this position aligns in our primary purpose. To help the suffering alcoholic.

Thank you for my life. Terri

Corrections Chair Bigg J

Hello, my name is Bigg I'm a recovered alcoholic I currently serve Area 42 Corrections Chair

North I also serve as my group the Vast Amount of Fun located in beautiful downtown Minden

as its alternate GSR. My report is fairly short today in terms of corrections. I have continued my efforts in correspondence with the chaplains in Northern Nevada prisons. The main emphasis behind my efforts has been to get online meetings started within the prisons. AA would provide the necessary literature to be downloaded on devices at no cost. In other areas, this practice is already been established and the two main benefits are staff

members are not needed to assist in running meetings. Less staff time/wages spent for the meetings being held. I continue to attend the corrections online meetings when time permits.

The other main benefit is volunteers would be more accessible. Maybe even a former attendee on the inside could attend certain meetings. Getting people cleared for corrections work would

not be an obstacle. The other item I'll touch base on in my report is this....

Lyle put me on an ad-hoc committee with Jefferey C. and some other members of AA Area 42. It's a technology-based ad-hoc committee that I look forward to hearing what Jefferey presents to at our Fall Assembly. Going into it everyone was made aware....technology is not my strong suit. Which I was told makes me a perfect person to be on the committee. I think they knew I'd ask questions though. And questions I have asked. And they have all been answered But the reason I bring this up about the committee)...is not to tell you about the details of it. But

the experience of it. See in 2018 when I started coming to service events I felt alone in a room full of people....fact is I can still feel alone. Little by little I've felt a part of it. A small part of a

great whole. By volunteering for this committee it opened me up to more relationships. Relationships I hope to nurture and grow in some cases. Why share this? Why put it in a report? Because I know someone in this room could need to hear it. Maybe they feel alone. Maybe my experience could benefit others and in turn others. I feel I have learned through the process and feel I am the one who has benefited thus far.

Thank you to all who have been involved So my last item I'll report on is going to the forum in beautiful Las Vegas. Too many great things to report here. So I'll just tell you of my highlights. The roundtable workshops are phenomenal and I get a lot out of them.

Gathering with my service peeps is getting better and better and

these events make that possible. I believe that having a service sponsor always points me to the traditions. Being informed about them..... embracing them has helped me immensely in my relationship with you. I would be willing to discuss service sponsorship with anyone interested.

This will conclude my reportthank you!

DCM Coordinator Phil W

No written submitted

GSR Trainer Pat S

My name is Pat. I am an alcoholic and serve as your NAGSC GSR Trainer. It has been a pleasure and an honor to serve you in this position. I wish I could have done more, but health issues dictated otherwise.

Besides answering questions and concerns from GSRs in Northern Nevada, my counterpart from SAGSC (Dano) and a small but active committee has been working on revising the GSR Survival kit, which turned into a mammoth but worthwhile project. At this writing it is almost done. When it is, the suggested revisions (really a total rewrite) will be submitted to Area 42 for consideration.

My term winds down at the end of the year, Thank you for allowing me to serve.....With AA love, Pat S.

Grapevine Chair “Sober Sue” Sue H

No written report submitted

La Viña Chair Teresa B

This report is not exactly what Teresa said but what the secretary was able make notes for since no written was submitted. Teresa was able to able attend Hern first forum in Las Vegas and is very grateful to part of the AA community. She just returned from Utah celebrating 28th year of La Viña and make it to the NAGSC here in Elko. Also in September will be writing workshops for La Viña for the community. Very grateful to be here and to serve.

NNIG Liaison Ed L

Hi everyone My name is Ed and I am an Alcoholic and present NAGSC Intergroup Liaison. NNIG had their elections in June. At the July meeting there is still a need for the Treatment and Corrections Chair. If you could pass the word maybe there is a member out there who would love to get involved. Or you can always volunteer a Sponsee. Both positions had amazing chairs the replacements will step into a very organized commitment.

I had the honor of attending the Forum in Las Vegas a few weeks ago it was amazing as they always are. I personally want to thank Phil W for all of the work and dedication he put into getting the Forum in our area. Phil mentioned that iit was a seven year project. The

first Forum was canceled because of COVID. Phil kept going and made it happen. He was quick to note that it took all of us to pull it off. I feel we need to give Phil a big round of applause for all he accomplished.

I will until the end of this rotation remind everyone that attending a Intergroup meeting and introducing yourself to the NNIG chair of your committee. Even though all of our terms are coming to an end it would be great to let your replacement know who to contact.

Yours In Service

Ed L

Public Information (PI) Don D

Hey y'all! My name is Don and I serve as your NAGSC Public Information Chair. I have been working with the new NNIG PI Chair to help out with anything I can as well as some local districts in whatever I can do to be of service for them. I attended the District 14 Jamboree in Truckee and was able to talk to a few people about PI.

Also I was able to attend the Pacific Regional Forum which I wouldn't have enough time to scratch the surface of what I got to do in this report. I was able to attend one workshop on Safety & AA which was really informative as far as safety packets districts are using QR codes to give greater access to. I was able to speak with some folks from GSO about various Public Information topics including one item I may put forward as a General Service Conference Agenda item. I got to hear our Delegate Jake and see how so many of our Area 42 service folks worked so hard to help put on the best show in Vegas that weekend. It was just like PRAASA in how it lit the fire of my service heart. I am so grateful to have been there for my 1st Forum. Lastly, this fall I will be putting in another Zoom Workshop on Public Information for our Area. I will be doing this after the next chair has been appointed because I want to leave them with a sense of direction for presentations and workshops. I would strongly encourage anyone else to do this. Let's give the next chair of our standing committee the best chance to feel they have some direction. I will also be calling another ACC committee meeting for a wrap up for any questions or ideas to pass on to the next or other committees. I hope these ideas will encourage people to stay committed to the positions and help them feel that they have been handed off something not dropped in their lap. Thank you as always for the honor and privilege to serve the alcoholics here and the ones not yet born through my position.

In Grateful Service

Don D

Treatment/ Bridging the Gap Chair Anna L

Hello,

My name is Anna, I am an alcoholic and your NAGSC Treatment and Bridging the Gap Committee Chair. To say it has been a busy summer is an understatement! Our committee has only met once since the last NAGSC meeting, but we have a very exciting workshop planned on August 10th in District 20 at the Susanville Fellowship at 11am. Speakers from NAGSC, NNIG, and Central Office will be covering Treatment, Bridging the Gap, Corrections, and the AA Hotline. We will be providing street tacos from the Courthouse Café and if you aren't interested in the workshop, the tacos are worth the drive! There are flyers up here for the taking. Hope to see you all there! A couple of us attended the Pacific Regional Forum in Las Vegas a few weeks ago. There were over 900 attendees! To be surrounded by that many people who love Alcoholics Anonymous and hear from past trustees and the General Service Office staff was an honor. Last weekend District 14 held their annual Jamboree in Truckee. We were invited to run a table for H & I along with Public Information. There was a lot of interest in Bridging the Gap and we had a handful of people sign up to be temporary contacts. Thank you District 14 for the invitation and opportunity to be of service! We still have a handful of business cards with a QR code on the front that links to the NNIG website and a QR code on the back that links to the Bridging the Gap Temporary Contact Request. Again, a huge thank you to Ronda at Central Office for providing the business cards and Heather L., past NNIG Bridging the Gap Chair, for providing the stickers with the QR code for the Temporary Contact Request! I would like to get these into the hands of the district Treatment, Bridging the Gap, and Corrections committees, so if you could use some cards, please see me after the meeting. I would also like to make a plug for the Standing Committee Chairs Committee. The next meeting is scheduled on Sunday, August 11th at 7pm on Zoom. Please let me know if you have any questions or are interested in participating. Thank you for allowing me to be of service and to be a part of
Anna L. NAGSC Treatment & BTG Cha

NACYPA Liaison Dan M

Dan M thank you all for the opportunity to serve one of the best Areas. Renvypaa will be holding election on the 28th of August we should have new Liaison for the young people in Reno.. I will be in Tonapah in September. Renvypaa is going to be bidding for WACYPA in Denver CO. In January. Thank you for letting be of service to NAGSC as well Area 42.
Dan M

Linguistic Translator Diana V

No written report submitted

Paul announced there was no old business then he asked for new business

Bigg J Corrections Chair announced his home group had proposed an agenda item that he would like to bring to Assembly and submit to to general service conference. It is as Follows:

We move that the text of Appendix D page 301 of *Alcoholics Anonymous Comes Of Age* "Text of The Lasker Award" replaces the existing abbreviated version of the same Lasker award located in the Big Book of Alcoholics Anonymous on page 571.

The text in Comes of Age is more explicit and details the program so beautifully. That's why it could be more effective.

The Vast Amount of Fun District 6 Area 42 voted unanimously to make this motion after one member brought the motion at their monthly business meeting in June of 2024.

It was presented at the district, and there was no time to discuss it.

It was presented on at area assembly where it received substantial unanimity.

(Presentation attached)

The minority was heard. After the minority was heard no votes changed. The motion passed with substantial unanimity.

NOTHING would be changed in our recovery message. The whole award is way more explicit and adds detail. The writing is exquisite. There is plenty of room for the whole Lasker award without adding pages to the book. With the 5th edition soon to be printed, this is an opportune time for the whole award to be added to our basic text without adding essentially any printing cost. The page is already there. Let's fill it up.

"The American Public Health Association presents a Lasker Award for 1951 to Alcoholics Anonymous in recognition of its unique and highly successful approach to that age-old public health and social problem, alcoholism. Since its founding sixteen years ago, Alcoholics Anonymous has brought recovery to more than 120,000 chronic drinkers formerly thought hopeless. Today this world fellowship of 4,000 groups, resident in 38 countries, is rehabilitating 25,000 additional persons yearly. In emphasizing alcoholism as an illness, the social stigma

associated with this condition is being blotted out. Alcoholics Anonymous works upon the novel principle that a recovered alcoholic can reach and treat a fellow sufferer as no one else can. In so doing, the recovered alcoholic maintains his own sobriety; the man he treats soon becomes a physician to the next new applicant, thus creating an ever-expanding chain reaction of liberation, with patients welded together by bonds of common suffering, common understanding, and stimulating action in a great cause. This is not a reform movement, nor is it operated by professionals who are concerned with the problem. It is financed by voluntary contributions of its members, all of whom remain anonymous. There are no dues, no paid therapists, no paid professional workers. It enjoys the goodwill and often the warm endorsement of many medical and scientific groups-no mean achievement in itself for any organization run entirely by laymen. Historians may one-day point to Alcoholics Anonymous as a society which did far more than achieve a considerable measure of success with alcoholism and its stigma; they may recognize Alcoholics Anonymous to have been a great venture in social pioneering which forged a new instrument for social action; a new therapy based on the kinship of common suffering; one having a vast potential for the myriad other ills mankind."

The above text is the award in its entirety we would like the longer more explicit version to replace the existing verbage on page 571

Please consider this motion as a way to provide a more explicit and detailed version of the Lasker Award. The current page 571 of Alcoholics Anonymous would certainly fit the whole text of the Lasker Award. Since we are coming out with a new 5th edition it's a great time to add. Also, we would be paying next to nothing in additional costs. It's one way to be more effective.

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After the presentation of the proposed agenda item. Lyle the area chair wanted get the sense of the meeting if this should be presented to the assembly in September. Most wanted to wait to have time to think about it and bring it the groups. Those who did vote in person and online voted overwhelmingly bring to this to this to the Assembly for consideration.

Afterwords Paul asked for a district to host the next NAGSC meeting on December 7, 2024. None did at this time. There was no other new business Paul asked for a motion to close. Motion was made and seconded to close the meeting and meeting closed 3:10.

Jason M.
Area 42 Treasurer
August 2024 SAGSC Report

Hello, my name is Jason, and I am an alcoholic.

The following reports are available:

- Income & Expense as of 6/30/2024 – See attached
- Balance Sheet as of 6/30/2024 – See attached

Cash Position (As of 7/25/2024)

Savings	\$ 30,031.15
Checking	\$ 37,729.52
Total Cash	\$ 67,760.67

For the period ending **June 30th, 2024**, our net income amounted to a negative <**\$47,107.86**> while the total expenses for the corresponding period reached **\$72,592.28**.

Kindly take note of my updated service email: **jasonmarea42@gmail.com**. While I'm accessible via this new email, I **strongly recommend** utilizing the official Area email, **treasurer@nevadaarea42.org**, for all communications. Using my Yahoo email might lead to potential oversight **(Please Stop Using)**. Your cooperation is greatly appreciated.

Voluntary Group contributions can be made payable to "Area 42" and mailed to;

Area 42
PO Box 70171
Las Vegas, NV 89170-0171

To request a reimbursement, send an email to **treasurer@nevadaarea42.org** containing the following details: your Service Position/Committee, a brief description of the expenses, receipts, your mailing address, and the name of the payee for the check. If you're hesitant to provide your mailing address, please inform me, and we'll figure out an alternative.

It's my pleasure to serve in this capacity and thank you for your cooperation!

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