

CDCO Minutes
June 13, 2023

Present: Gene R (Treasurer); Chip B (Secretary); Justyn B (Literature); Ed M (IT Coordinator; Newsletter Editor); Allan D (Scheduler); Jill S (D1 COR); Valerie S (D2 COR); Zane D (D3 COR).

The meeting opened with the Serenity Prayer. Tradition Six was read and reviewed.

Chair: No report.

Secretary: Minutes, reviewed, approved, posted to website.

Treasurer: Report reviewed, approved, posted to website.

Scheduler: All shifts covered; Need for new every other Thursday 10-2 in July; Need to advertise for Fill-in 'Floaters' to cover shifts on short notice when regulars cannot cover shifts.

Group Information Coordinator: Announcements, meeting updates current.

Data Coordinator: 80 calls, \$2134 Literature/Medallions, 14197 websites visitors, approved, posted to website.

Newsletter Editor: Currently 740 subscribers; Next edition sent to Steering Committee for review; circulation to subscribers next week.

Literature/Medallions: Back-order Grapevine order received, Medallions and literature orders replenished, report accepted, posted to website.

IT Coordinator: Record number of web hits this month; Domians renewals due, drop aaalbany.com. keep goanow.org, givetooa.org, volunteeraa.org (\$23/year for each one).

D1 (Jill S): Service vacancies, elections pending in the fall, hybrid Business Meetings planning continues, Tri-fold brochures on site at Kennedy Towers.

D2: (Val S): Memorial Day Picnic went well, good attendance; GSRs steady, discussing donations, compiling list of current meetings on website.

D3 (Zane D): Joy of Service Day planned for June 24, Hopewell Junction, AA OKE Dance with HVYPAA July 15, August 12 12 picnic planning underway, TX chair bringing meeting to Drug Court, district running well.

D13 No report.

D14: No report.

D17: No report.

D18 No report.

Old Business: Renewed discussions of Steering Committee service rotations and volunteer recruitment challenges; proposed dedicated web page and article to highlight needs in newsletter -- Who We Are, What We Do, How you can help...Proposed update of Service Manual Positions and Descriptions; 'Magic Jack' app for night owls still in process; Multi-District Meeting lists discussion tabled.

New Business: Discussed the addition of other nearby districts to CDCO coverage area, e.g., D4, D5. Discussions will continue. Discussed a CDCO celebration picnic or similar event to fete and recognize the volunteers for all their efforts. Discussed potential ideas for expenditure of funds to increase outreach/awareness (Gene will collect ideas).

The meeting closed with the Responsibility Pledge.

Respectfully Submitted,

Chip B.
Secretary