



Baltimore Area Service Committee of Narcotics Anonymous

Free State Regional Service Center

217 N. Warwick Avenue

Baltimore, MD. 21223

Phone: 410-566-4022 Hotline: 1-800-317-3222

Mario A.-Chair Leonard W.-Vice Chair Vacant- Secretary

Saturday, August 6, 2022

Respectful Housekeeping Rules

We the BASC Executive Body Respectfully Request your help and assistance by:

August 6, 2022, Agenda/Reports

^{*}Please keep your microphones on mute unless you are sharing.

^{*}Please raise your hand in the participates area to share.

^{*}Please be mindful of background noise, when sharing.

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^{*}Please allow the chair of each sub-committee to give their full report, before presenting/asking questions.

^{*}Please when you need to submit (i.e. nominations or motions, etc) put in the chat room and allow a BASC Executive body member to acknowledge.

^{*}Please no cross sharing or talking (direct all questions and/or comments to the Executive Body).

^{*}Please for all GSR counts, raise your hand in the participate area and keep hand raised until count it complete and confirmed.

^{*}Please stay focused on business currently on the floor to be discussed and possibly voted on.

^{*}Please remember to keep Principles before Personalities. Group conscience is the spiritual means, by which we invite a loving God to influence our decisions (6th Concept).

^{*}Please remember that motions and nominations are conducted during new business.

^{*}Please be respectful at all times.





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BASC AGENDA

Order Of Business

Please review the reports when shared on the screen

Our 8th Step states: "We made a list of all persons we had harmed and became willing to make amends to them all."

- 1. Serenity Prayer (We Version)
- 2. Reading of 12 Concepts
- 3. Housekeeping Rules
- 4. Roll Call
- 5. Welcome to All New Groups, New GSR's, and Alternate GSR's

Mention*****Baltimore Area Cashapp (\$BASCNA)

- 6. Secretary report and review/approval of last month minutes
- 7. Treasure and/or Vice Treasure Update/Report
- 8. Special Events Sub-committee report
- 9. Old Business
- 10. New Business (COS Update)
- 11. RCM/RCM Alternate report(s) (VACANT)
- 12. Public Relations/Information (PR/PI) committee report
- 13. Literature Report--(VACANT)

- 14. Hospitals & Institutions (H&I) Committee Reports and Updates
- 15. Phoneline/Hotline Committee Report—(VACANT)
- 16. **Policy** Committee report
- 17. Web Servant Report/Alternate Web Servant Report(s)

Mention***Baltimore Area Cashapp (\$BASCNA)

- 18. BACNA Liaison report Update
- 19. **FSRNA** and/or **FSRCNA** report
- 20. Vice Chairperson report
- 21. Chairperson report
- 22. Open Discussions of issues, thoughts, and concerns in our BASC Area

Closing with the "We" version of Serenity Prayer

Thank you to all GSRs for stepping up and staying until the meeting close.

This demonstrates how your Home Group presents itself to the Area, Region, and the World!

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BASC MEETING MINUTES

> OPENING

- o We version of "The Serenity Prayer"
- o The reading of "The 12 Concepts"
- Housekeeping Rules

> ROLL CALL

o BASC Chair	Mario A.	o Phone Line Chair	Vacant
o BASC Vice- Chair	Leonard W./late	o Hospitals & Institutions Chair	Dina T.
 Secretary 	Vacant	o RCM	Vacant
o Alternate Secretary	Vacant	o Alternate RCM	Vacant
o Treasurer	Verlie H.	o Public Relations Chair	Miles M.
o Alternate Treasurer	Milton W.	o BACNA/Convention Liaison	Tina B.
o Literature Chair	Vacant	o BACNA/Region	Vacant
o Policy Chair	Katrina W.	o FSRCNA and / or FSRNA	Excused
 Special Events Chair 	Sheila S.		
o Web-Servant	Kia B.	o Sargent at Arms #1	Vacant
o Alternate Web-Servant	Vacant	o Sargent at Arms #2	Vacant

> WELCOME of "New Groups and/or GSR/Alt GSR

Home Group Name	Ad	dress	Representa	tive	Meeting Information
Recovery in the Jungle	1622 Carey S	1622 Carey Street			Tues. & Fri6pm (OD)
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		• OD – Ope	en Discussion		
		Basic Tex	t		
		JFT – Jus	st for Today		
		• ST – STE	P		

TR – TRADITIONS

L – LITERATURE

TO – TOPIC

GP-Guiding Principles

> **SECRETARY Update:** Review of last Month's minutes (See Report)

- All BASC Reports are posted on our website, **Baltoareana.org** and **emailed** to all GSRs whose emails addresses are provided.
- ➤ All subcommittees need HELP!!

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1st GSR count @ 11:05 am 9 GSRs

- > TREASURER/VICE TREASURES: (see report) (10, 0, 0)
 - o **Friendly Reminder** all reports are a month behind.
- ➤ Donation Options: Cashapp-\$BASCNA, mail and/or drop-off check or money order to 217 N. Warwick Ave Baltimore, MD 21223. (IMPORTANT) place for Home Group Name in Cashapp and on check/money order. Make checks/money orders payable to: Baltimore Area
- > SPECIAL EVENTS: (see report) (10, 0, 0)
 - Saturday, July 2nd event, A Marathon & Dance at 5020 Gwynn Oak Ave, marathon 12—6pm, dance 6pm—10pm (donation \$5). Bring a Newcomer!
 - Tickets for Six Flags trip are for sale contact the Chair or Vice Chair for details.

> OLD BUSINESS

- o RCM stepped down; position is currently vacant.
- o Policy Subcommittee mid-year, one-time/6-month budget \$550 Approved (14, 0, 0)
- The Service Center is open Monday & Friday 12pm—4pm, and Saturday 10am—4pm.
- Clarity/Open discussion about the FSRCNA Liaison position-was/is this a made-up
 position at the BASC level that has been passed on, no duties and/or responsibilities
 available for this position. FSRCNA provides liaison and sends to BASC meetings to
 provide needed info and answer questions.
- O Public Relations (PR) will provide an update on the Reclamation Program/Ad Hoc committee. This AD-Hoc committee needs your HELP!!
- COS need your support, visit the website—www.Circle of Sisters.org
- COS will be hosting a "Tea Party" Saturday, Sept. 10th at Matthews Catholic Church, 5401 Loch Raven Blvd. *Treat the women/young ladies/little girl in your family to a beautiful dress-up day.*
- o COS crab feast: Sat, 10/21/22, \$65 per ticket (open for male participation)

> NEW BUSINESS

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Vacant-Secretary

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 We need TRUSTED SERVANTS Open BASC positions—Posted on our website with qualifications. (Secretary, Alt. Secretary, RCM, Alt. RCM, Alt. Web-Servant, Hotline Chair, Literature Chair, SAR I & II)

2nd GSR count @ 12:15 pm 12 GSRs

- > CHAIR Update (See Report)
- > VICE CHAIR Update (See Report)

3rd GSR count @ 12:59pm 14 GSRs

- LITERATURE Update (See Report)
- > BACNA LIAISON / BACNA BOD / BACNA Subcommittee Update(s)- (See Report)
 - ➤ BACNA Convention Per-Registration--\$25.00
- > RCM and/or Alternate RCM Report(s) (See Report)
- > **POLICY Subcommittee Report** (See Report)
 - o Policy subcommittee meets virtually every 3rd Saturday at 11am

Zoom ID: **892 9038 4963** PW: **295451**

- > HOSPITALS and INSTITUTIONS Subcommittee Update (See Report)
- > PUBLIC RELATIONS Subcommittee Update (See Report)
 - o Public Relations (PR) subcommittee meets virtually every 4th Monday at 6pm

Zoom ID: 813 0386 6303 PW: 332720

- o Recovery Walk September 15, 2022 (Druid Hill Park)
- o PR is looking for members to serve/assist with current & upcoming projects. You do not have to join the subcommittee, We Need You!
- > PHONE LINE Subcommittee Update (See Report)
- > WEB SERVANT / ALTERNATE WEB SERVANT (See Report)
- > FSRCNA and / or FSRNA (See Report)
 - Free State Region Convention will be held on November 25th thru November 27th at The Hyatt Regency, Downtown Baltimore

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- > OPEN GROUP DISCUSSION-- None
- > CLOSING
 - o The We version of the "Serenity Prayer"

Thank you for allowing me to serve!!!

Truly Grateful

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HOME GROUPS – JULY DONATIONS 2022

LITERATURE IS THE PROGRAM	LIBERTY ROAD GROUP	STOP THE GAP
LIFE SUPPORT WOMEN RAP	JOURNEY CONTINUES	ARE YOU WILLING
KEEP STEPPIN	A DESIRE TO CHANGE	MESSAGE OF RECOVERY
NO LONGER BOUND	1000 MILE WALK	THE MIX
MIRACLES ON CHESTER	DOING IT AGAIN ON GREENMOUNT	PROMISE IS FREEDOM
BLAST OF RECOVERY	DO THE RIGHT THING NOW	RECOVER OR RELAPSE
IT'S A MIRACLE @ 7/11	THE TIES THAT BIND US TOGETHER	RECOVERY AT THE CENTER
MESSAGE OF RECOVERY (JUNE & JULY)	LIVING LIFE A NEW WAY	

Baltimore Area Service Committee of Narcotics Anonymous															
JUNE 2022 MONTHLY RE			EPORT-	VIRTUAL N	EETING (JULY	2, 2022)									
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MARLCNA (RCM / ALT. RCM) Once a Year (FEBRUARY)															
TRIP INCLUGING REGISTRATION / HOTEL RO			L ROOM / GAS												
RCM		\$ 250.00													
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	SPECIAL EVENTS					
JULY MONTHLY REPORT						
STARTING MONTHLY BALANCE \$1,500.00						
Expenses:		N	IONETARY			
VENUE		\$	940.00			
DJ (DANCE)		\$	350.00			
DRINKS / BACNA REGISTRATION / L	ITERATURE (IT WORKS HOW & WHY)	\$	170.00			
FLYERS		\$	40.00			
TOTAL EXPENSES		\$	1,500.00			
BACNA REGISTRATION \$35	Literature (it Works How and Why) \$1	1.45				
RECEIVE	FROM MARATHON:	N	IONETARY			
FOOD / DRINKS		\$	300.00			
7th TRADITION		\$	165.47			
DANCE		\$	503.00			
RETURN TO THE AREA		\$	44.00			
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SIX FLA	GS (AUGUST 2022):	N	IONETARY			
NUMBER OF TICKETS SOLD:	142	\$	8,520.00			



Saturday August 6, 2022

Free State Region July Meeting Report

Good morning, all,

I attended the hybrid Off-Month Regional meeting on July 9, 2022. Six (6) areas were in attendance.

The following points were discussed in the meeting.

1) Service Center- Ellen

The report was presented by the new Vice-President, Ellen.

- a) The sales were flat this month at the Service Center.
- b) The Commemorative White Book is still on sale. As a reminder, the cost is \$25.
- c) The Service Center is accepting donations. (<u>Note</u>: for those interested, you can do it in-person, or in-line via the freestate web page. The link is: https://www.fsrsc.com/donate.html. Alternatively you can also Cash App to \$FRSCNA or Venmo @Frank-Dyson).
- d) The treasurer report was sent to Secretary.

2) Free State- Wayne

- a) Introduced three new members for the Convention in keeping with the goals of having an adequate representation from all areas and demographics of the Region.
 - a. Shelly P from Baltimore
 - b. Cynthia S from NE Freedom
 - c. Bonnie A from Westside.
- b) The Convention is getting ready to start selling Registration in the next few weeks. The costs for pre-registration will stay as it was last year: \$ 10.00 for addict with a clean time < 3years; \$20.00 for clean time > years. This is a substantial decrease from 3 years go namely 60% decrease for <3 years clean time, and 33% decrease for >3years clean time.

- c) The package this year will include five meals, Friday night, Saturday morning breakfast, Saturday lunch, Saturday dinner, Sunday brunch; basically, a meal at each plenary meeting. The cost will be \$ 30.00 each meal. The cost of the full package will be \$170.00. Buying the full package will come with a decrease in Registration fee to \$20.00
- 3) Chair: Stepped down for Health reasons
- 4) Vice-Chair-Larry: presented a thank you note to the Region for continue collaboration
- 5) RD- Chris:
 - > AZF Meeting scheduled at Greater Philadelphia on July 30, 2022.
 - > AZF: Chris presented his budget to attend the AZF meeting
 - ➤ NAWS financial update:
 - i. Operating expenses are in the red
 - ii. Contributions exceeded 60%
 - iii. However, sales are slowly starting to return to Pre-Covid levels
 - iv. Expenses are 20% below budget
 - v. Plan to continue working on Inventory
 - vi. Legal costs have increased due to some pending lawsuits worldwide:
 - 1. One in the Philippines regarding fellowship trust
 - 2. The World did prevail in the lawsuit in California
 - 3. Personal injury lawsuit form WCNA 27 at Orlando.
 - 4. Total costs of all these lawsuits are greatly impacting the budget (Overwhelmingly from California case)
 - vii. Iran is trying to separate from NAWS
 - viii. Financial Reserve did allow NAWS to survive during pandemic.
 - ix. A statement of financial aspect is posted at the world site including both physical assets and cash
 - x. Financial liabilities:
 - xi. Waiting for PP2 loan
 - xii. Every year audits are required for physical inventory. Over 2 million items are to be accounted for. This is a time-consuming activity.
 - xiii. WSC Travels Reports are posted at NA world services

6) RDA- John:

- June 18 Webinar discussed two (2) topics:
 - i. The future or WSC Conference:
 - 1. Three (3) years Conference cycle to be tested
 - 2. Procedures for Delegated funding: available only upon request. Wil no longer be automatic. Funding for RDAs not included.
 - 3. There is a meeting today on Fellowship development. The topic is to explore new ideas for Fellowship development
 - The NAWS is currently revising the Loner IP (IP # 21). Accepting input online at: https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/theloner
 - ➤ SPAD book, like the Just for Today, is available for daily distribution on line. The link to register for free subscription to this book and all others is: https://www.na.org/?ID=subscribe
 - > There are a few current Surveys on lines
 - Ongoing DRT/MAT (*Medication-Assisted Treatment*). The link for that survey is: https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/drtmat
 - CP Webinar: (More Info to come)
 - Discussions at the WSC regarding 3 years cycles. There will be a trial of 2 consecutive Cycles to see how it goes. As a side note, the Consensus at the Free State Regions was to keep it at 2 years cycles.
 - ➤ Because of the changes to the WSC Conference cycles, the commitment time for the next RD will be at one year in order to adjust the position to WSC cycles.
 - ➤ We need at the Regions to discuss on how to synchronize the two years requirements at the Region to the three years WSC cycles. More likely there will be a need for one year leap time, and then move on to three years term.
- 7) Secretary and Alternate Secretary: Both reports were posted at the website.
- **8) Policy Facilitator- Joe:** Currently trying to locate at the Service Center with Franck's help an area to store the Archives.

9) Treasurer- April:

- **a.** Total Donation for the month: \$2,444.07
- **b.** Total Expenses: \$2,44.07; which include \$1,442.02 sent to the World. (Report is attached).

10) Old Business:

a. Nominations

- i. Michelle H for Treasurer. Nominated by April
- ii. Wayne W is nominated for Web-Servant
- **iii.** Randy B for alternate Secretary. She is the current RCM for Bay area. Nominated by Shelby.
- b. Forty (40) years Speaker Jam Celebration project is currently on hold.
- c. **Consensus Based Decision Making** was again discussed. It was noted since there is no current written policy to keep Robert Rules of Order as deliberative medium, we can, at the Region, continue experimenting with the consensus decision making process.

How will it proceed?

- i. A proposal can only be made by RCM unless it affects the Executive Body (for e. the Treasurer).
- ii. Discussions will be open to anybody in attendance, but only RCM can vote.
- iii. The threshold for passing a proposal is still to be determined: 75%, versus 80%?
- iv. We need to discuss also whether it needs to be written in the minutes.
- v. The timeline for adoption will be to fine-tune until September, and then vote in October. However, the policy facilitator cautions anything that we are going to implement can't be until the policy change is written.
- vi. Quorum for a session will be 50% + 1 for a minimum of six (6) areas.
- vii. The Chair will serve as facilitator for deliberations.

Meeting was adjourned.

In Loving services, Mario A

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Regional Prudent Reserve: \$ 2,358.00 RDA Prudent Reserve: \$ 2,000.00 Total Prudent Reserve: \$ 4,358.00

AREA	DONATIONS	TOTAL

Baltimore	
Bay	
Delmarva	
East of the Bay	
N.E. Freedom	\$700.00
Northwest	
Ocean Gateway	
Small Wonder	
Susquehanna	\$1,665.12
Westside	
Other Additions	78.95

Total \$2,444.07 \$2,444.07 **Total Donations**

DATE	CHECK #	PAYE	DESCRIPTION	AMOUNT
06/13/22	Debit	TWILIO	800 Line-auto debit	\$10.03
06/17/22	Debit	TWILIO	800 Line-auto debit	\$10.04
06/24/22	Debit	TWILIO	800 Line-auto debit	\$11.54
07/05/22	Debit	TWILIO	800 Line-auto debit	\$10.06
07/09/22	Debit	TWILIO	800 Line-auto debit	\$10.38
07/09/22	CashApp	FSRSC	July Donation	\$350.00
07/09/22	Paypal	NAWS	Donation to World	\$1,442.02
07/09/22		AZF Reserve	Upcoming AZF travel expense Reserve	\$600.00

	Total Expenses	\$2,444.07
Beginning Balance:		\$8,458.00
Area Donations +		\$2,444.07
Total		\$10,902.07
Total Expenses -		-\$2,444.07
Balance		\$8,458.00
 RDA Reserve Beginning Balance		\$2,000.00

RDA Reserve Ending Balance (of \$2,000) \$2,000.00

Money Earmarked for Billboard Project & TUREK Conf & Regional Schedules \$4,100.00

> **Total Regional Ending Balance** \$2,358.00 \$0.00

Under Prudent Reserve

Total Checking Balance = Regional Balance + RDA Reserve Balance \$9,058.00

April H. freestateregionaltreasurer@gmail.com



BASC Public Relations Subcommittee Report

August 6, 2022

Good afternoon, Baltimore Area Service, Executive Committee Members, and Group Service Representatives (GSRs) –

- ❖ PR and the NA member Why is this important to me? From the Baltimore Area PR Outline:
 - **Public Relations** –refers to all of the relationships we create and maintain with the general public, professionals, potential members, and each other in our groups and service communities.
 - This implies an ongoing relationship, based on the many opportunities we have to build and sustain ongoing relations with the public. The example of our members play a tremendous role in building relationships with the public ...
 - "The actions we take in forming relationships with the public can have a profound effect on whether or not addicts can find NA."

The July 2022 Public Relations Subcommittee meeting was held on Monday, July 25. This was a virtual meeting. The meeting opened and closed with the "We" version of the Serenity Prayer. Regular Subcommittee meetings are held on the 4th Monday of each month on Zoom at 6 pm. (I joined the FSRNA PR Subcommittee meeting on Monday, Aug. 1. FSRNA PR meets virtually on Zoom on the 1st Monday of each month.)

- 1. Area Meeting List Check up/ reclamation effort. We continued discussing the Area Meeting List Check up and reclamation effort. The focus is to reach out to groups that are not registered with Area, to find out what their needs are and how we can help: If you know of meeting in the schedule that is not actually meeting, let us know. All suggestions are welcome. One late entry in the ideas column is requesting "Help" from members attending the Area Convention in August, placing an enlarged copy of the old schedule on a table for members to review and update using the Service Center meeting update form.
- 2. <u>Home Group Assistance</u>. On Friday, July 22nd the Subcommittee held a special meeting at the request of the Cherry Hill Listen to Learn Group, and offered the group input and suggestions on drafting a letter seeking to resume its meeting space. We also provided a draft use of space agreement for the group to use, if they wished to have a written agreement regarding monthly donations and reciprocal expectations for the group and the facility.

- 3. Tuerk Conference (Thursday, Sep. 15, 2022) The FSRNA PR Subcommittee Chair is in process registering for five members to attend/participate. The event is scheduled from 9 am 5 pm, and we currently have one full-time attendee and two part-time attendees planning to participate.
- 4. <u>Learning Day/Workshop</u>. We're still planning Learning Days with H&I. The space needs to be handicap accessible locations, could be either in the West or East. This would be a 4-hour event on a second or third Saturday, so as not to conflict with Special Events on the 1st Saturday or H&I on the 4th Saturday. This is urgent, because members have raised questions about certain group activities (particularly regarding use of 7th tradition funds), that a workshop would help address. Some tradition and concept issues that were touched upon include:
 - a. Tradition 4,
 - b. Tradition 7, and
 - c. Concept 11.
- 5. <u>Block Party</u>. We received an email from Charvette regarding an activity scheduled for Aug. 13. We haven't yet discussed this as a Subcommittee, but would welcome any additional information Charvette may have to offer.
 - 6. Meetings Needing Support –\

Monday	
7:00 pm - 8:30 pm	
My Gratitude Speaks	
Patterson Asbury AME Zion Church	
2211 Division Street, Baltimore, MD, 21217	

- 7. Open Meeting Requests needing follow up:
 - i. Fayette Health Rehab, West Fayette Street
 - ii. 3802 W. Rogers Avenue (21215)

Gratefully-In Service,

s/ Miles M.

Miles M.

Chair, BASC Public Relations Subcommittee

BALTIMORE AREA SERVICE COMMITTEE Public Relations Subcommittee

HELP UPDATE THE MEETING SCHEDULE

If your meeting is <u>not</u> already listed in the Free State NA Meeting Schedule—or if you're unsure that it is—please fill out a form below so the web servant can add your group to the schedule. Provide the contact information: email and telephone number of your group service representative (GSR).

If the group doesn't have a GSR, provide date, time and location of the group's business meeting and the name of one or two member who regularly attend. The Baltimore Area Public Relations Subcommittee would like to attend the group's business meeting to discuss reconnecting the group with the Baltimore Area Service Committee.

H&I SUBCOMMITTEE REPORT 8-6-22

Narcotics Anonymous is a Fellowship of men and women, addicts meeting in a group and using a given set of spiritual principles to find freedom from addiction and a new way to live.

Basic Text p. 63

H&I Hotline Number:

Greetings to all,

Our subcommittee met on July 23, 2022 from 12:30-2:15 pm
We had a total of 14 people in attendance including 3 new members.
We opened the meeting with a moment of silence followed by the serenity prayer.
After the reading of the twelve traditions, approval of the previous month's minutes was given

Open Positions: Vice Chair, Secretary

Open Slots: 2 slots-Woodland Facility (Tuesday/7 pm) 2 Panel Leaders needed Male/Female 2 slots-CMDS Women's Treatment Facility (Sunday/3 pm) 2 Panel Leaders needed (Clinical Management & Development Services)

3 slots-Central Booking/Intake Male Facility (Thursday 5-7 pm) Approval Required

Literature Report: Our literature coordinator submitted her report of our surplus and what literature is needed. Coordinators were instructed to contact for literature needs. She will also purchase needed inventory from the service center so that we have an ample supply of IP's and readings available for facilities. Thank you, Nita for a great job!

New Nominations: Cynthia S. was voted in as Panel Coordinator for CMDS

Mark A. was voted in as a Panel Leader for Bayview

Carlos F. was voted in as a Panel Leader for Woodland

Dina T./Panel Leader for CMDS

New Business:

- 1. Contact with Northwest Hospital will be made before next meeting Suggestion made from Panel Coordinator to have a meeting every other week instead of every week until we have additional volunteers.
- 2. Panel Leader for Helping Up Mission will decide if they want to continue servicing this facility.
- 3. Service for CMDS will begin on Sunday, August 7th and every other week Contact will be made to see if, "Virtual Meetings" are an optional.
- 4. A vote was made to service Central Booking on Thursdays from 5-7 pm Every other week was also decided. 3 Panel Leaders are needed
- 5. A follow up will be made with the Tuerk House to get an update

PLEASE PRINT THE ATTACHED SIGN-UP VOLUNTEER SHEET TO TAKE TO YOUR HOMEGROUP!!

H&I Needs Volunteers to Help Continue Deliver This Life Saving Message!! Please Encourage Your Sponsor, sponsees, support group and friends

QUESTION: WHAT ARE SOME ADDITIONAL WAYS I COULD EXPRESS MY GRATITUDE?

(Guiding Principles, Step Seven, Page 124)

ANSWER: TAKE AN H&I COMMITMENT!!

Our Next H&I Meeting: August 27, 2022 12:30-2:00pm

Thank you for allowing me to serve, Dina T. H&I Chair

H&I VOLUNTEER SIGN UP SHEET

	NAME (Print Please)	CONTACT NUMBER
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BASC PHONELINE MONTHLY REPORT



August 6, 2022

Greeting Executive body members,

I would first like to thank all members for allowing me to be of service. We are moving forward, addressing all questions and concerns. Feel free to contact me via email baltimorephoneline@yahoo.com. The phone line is currently having monthly meetings via zoom:

every 4th Sat. @ 10am. ID: 865 0142 5264

Password: PHONELINE

<u>Desperately need a shift volunteer for Fri-Sat</u> <u>Overnight!!!!!!</u>

July: Open Shifts (shifts with less than 3 people)

	Open Shifts	
W 7:30AM - 1 PM (1)	Fri-Sat Overnight (3)	Fri 7:30AM - 1 PM (1)
Th-F Overnight (1)		

Incoming calls For the month:	93
Voicemails:	32
Missed calls:	32
	34.41%
	0% all voicemails
Percent of missed calls:	answered

Find a meeting: Text your ZIP CODE

to this number



LOCK IT IN & TELL A FRIEND

We are in need of twelve step callers
Phoneline Chair & Vice Chair
Please feel free to contact me

Thanks, in advance, baltimorephoneline@yahoo.com





Baltimore Area Service Committee of Narcotics Anonymous Free State Regional Service Center 217 N. Warwick Avenue

Baltimore, MD. 21223

Phone: 410-566-4022 Hotline: 1-800-317-3222

Chair | Mario A. VICE CHAIR | Leonard W. SECRETARY | Vacant

Saturday, August 6, 2022

BASC Policy Chair Report

Greetings Executive Body, GSR'S & Alt GSR's...It's a good day to be clean!

Our 8th Concept states: "Our service structure depends on the integrity and effectiveness of our communications."

(Living Clean, The Journey Continues, Pg. 245)

"Our experience gives us knowledge of what has and has not worked. We can share that without trying to control the outcome. When we start taking it all very personally, we might want to consider whether it's time to step back. Knowing when to let go---of a point, a decision, or a position—takes prayer and practice".

I gratefully and respectfully attended and participated in the 3rd Thursday Executive Body meeting on Thursday, July 21st, the Policy subcommittee meeting Saturday, July 9th, and July 16th. I open the Zoom room for Public Relations subcommittee meetings, Friday July 22nd and Monday, July 25th.

Policy subcommittee met Saturday, July 9th, and 16th

Attendees:

Katrina W.—Policy Chair Alphonso S. David B. Rosalind H. (7/16)

Jenine H.--Excused

Motions for Amendment, Revision, or Clarity 8/6/2022

2022 Draft/Revision (work in progress)

ARTICLE XV: Current Procedural Motions

- 1. Resubmit original motion as written—no documented amendment found
- 9. Resubmit original motion as written on 1/5/2013.
- 15. Resubmit original motion as written--no documented amendment found

• Open Discussion/conclusion

The Policy subcommittee Articles & Guidelines revision process--to reference back to original written motions for clarity and any written amendments for updates.

➤ It was discovered that our 2013, 2014, and a large majority of 2015 written motions were not documented on the excel spreadsheet external hard drive. The committee plan to meet at the service center and pull all handwritten hard copies for comparison and updating, (in progress)

upcoming meeting(s):

Saturday 8/20 (11am—virtual)

The policy sub-committee meets every 3rd Saturday at 11am.

Zoom ID: 892 9038 4963 PW: 295451

Grateful Servant

BASC Policy Chair

Katrina W.

BASCPolicyChair@yahoo.com



BALTIMORE AREA SERVICE COMMITTEE OF N.A. WEB-SERVANT 217 N. WARWICK AVENUE BALTIMORE, MD. 21223



August 6, 2022

Greeting BASC Area,

Thank you for allowing me to serve. I will do what is needed to be of service in this position. I would also like to thank all our members for being of service. Thank you for your time and commitment to service. We encourage all members to come aboard and take on a commitment "...because we can only keep what we have by giving it away".

Starting August 5, 2022, the price for our subscription will increase to include sales taxes and this will be applied to our subscription renewals. The price will change from \$179.00 yearly to \$189.74.

The website is currently up and running. We are currently at <u>0109179</u> views. My intention is to keep the Baltimore Area well informed with information concerning our fellowship. For monthly updates (committee meetings, events, etc.) I encourage all members to review the calendar and the section labeled Upcoming Events <u>@ https://www.baltoareana.org/.</u> If you have any questions or concerns, feel free to contact me via email <u>bascwebservant@yahoo.com</u>. Thank you in advance for your time and cooperation.

Best Regards,

Kia B.

Web-servant Chair bascwebservant@yahoo.com



BALTIMORE CHAIR REPORT

August 6, 2022

"Narcotics Anonymous should remain forever nonprofessional, but our service centers may employ special workers".

Tradition Eight

Good morning, everyone,

My best wishes to all.

- A. I attended the Executive body meeting on July 21, 2022.
- B. I also attended the Off-month Region meeting on August 6th, 2022. The minutes from that meeting are presented in a separate report.
- C. As usual at the Executive Body we are grateful for your continued support. "We can all do together what we can not do alone". Pretty soon it will be the end of the summer and with it, it will be election times at the area. For those interested to be on service, this will be a good time to engage further into the activities at the area level. You can also pass the word around to your homegroup and/or network.

Thank you for allowing me to serve and try to stay cool,

In loving services

Mario A