

DISTRICT 26 UNITY COUNCIL MINUTES 01-16-16
Luzerne fire hall 2258 Deeter Rd. Luzerne, MI 48636

The purpose of District 26 Unity Council is to educate A.A. groups and the public on A.A. Principles and to promote harmony among A.A. groups through the practice of A.A.'s 12 Traditions and 12 Concepts. We are a fellowship of alcoholics from different groups within the District that encourage participation and service.

ATTENDING: Paul R, LCM Clare County, GSR Clare 3rd Step Group, Pat K. LCM Gladwin County, GSR Gladwin Sunshine Group, Jason R. GSR Beaverton Caring and Sharing Group, Bill C. District 26 treasurer GSR Luzerne Learning to Grow Group, Mike H. visitor Harrison, James C. GSR Whittemore Crossroads Group, Jeff W. Atl. GSR Gladwin Cedar River Group, Eric L. Harrison Community Group Visitor, Al Mac Unity Council Chairperson, GSR Crazy but Sober Group St. Helen, Mike O. GSR Houghton Lake Getting it Together Group, Ted S. Alt. area 32 Delegate & District 26 Webmaster, Dale O. GSR Turn it over Group Gladwin, Dennis B. LCM Oscoda County GSR Step by Step Group Oscoda, Jerry P. Oscoda visitor, Ron L. Roscommon visitor, Doug D. GSR Serenity Seekers Group Mio, Stuart B. GSR HTBAWS Group Roscommon, John M. GSR Happy Hour Group East Tawas, Dan D. GSR Miracles Happen Group, Damon O. Sunshine Group Gladwin visitor, Jimmy G. Crazy But Sober Group St. Helen visitor.

CHAIRMAN: Al Mac opened meeting at 10:00 am with a moment of silence followed by the Serenity Prayer. Statement of purpose read by Ted S. 1st Tradition read by Jeff W. 1st Concept read by Jim C. November minutes read by Mike O. Motion to accept minutes as read by Bill C. 2nd by Pat K. passed unanimously.

TREASURY: Bill C. read December's Treasurer's report Total Assets: as of 11/01/2015 \$801.06. December's report total assets as of 01/16/16 \$923.83. Motion to accept report as read by Pat K. 2nd by Ted S. passed unanimously. Motion to pay rent to Luzerne Fire Hall by Bill C. 2nd by Pat K. passed unanimously. Donuts donated by Luzerne Learning to Grow Group,(Thanks)

OLD BUSINESS: Ted S. read exact wording of new by-laws, adopted at November meeting.

NEW BUSINESS: Need venues for future Unity Council meetings. Decided February 20th meeting to be held at St. Paul's Episcopal Church 211 E. Cedar (M-61) Gladwin, March 19th meeting to be held at New Praxis Church (M72 N. of Dam) Mio, April 16th meeting to be held at Houghton Lake Alano club 2410 N. Markey followed by a work shop, May meeting tentative in Tawas. Motion to host June CMIA meeting in Tawas at the knights of Columbus Hall made by Ted S. 2nd by Bill C. passed by all. Mike O Getting It Together Group Houghton Lake expressed need to form CPC committee, Motion to form committee by Daman O. 2nd Paul R. passed by all. Ron L. reported Roscommon Monday night Jail meeting has resumed 2 weeks ago after a 2-3 year hiatus.

WEBSITE: Ted S. reports site is receiving lots of hits. Jim C. expressed desire to remove all none AA information from website, Ted S. made motion to remove such Information 2nd Bill C. Vote taken 2 for 12 against motion defeated. Motion to continue letting district 28 use one page of district 26 website (if bandwidth is available) for another 3 months made by Paul R. 2nd by Bill C. passed by all.

INFO LINE: Rep. not in attendance. Ted S. reported info line is still getting lots of calls. Motion to give Ted S. \$100.00 to continue service by Bill C. 2nd by Pat K. passed unanimously

GROUP REPORTS: LCM's Pat.K. Gladwin County all meeting doing well, Dennis B. Oscoda County all meeting doing well, Paul R. Clare County all groups doing well some growing due to court orderings, Mike O. acting DCM for December CMIA meeting reports all donations are way down, GSR's Doug D. Serenity Seekers Mio steady 5-7, Dale O. Turn it Over Gladwin steady, Bill C. Learning to Grow Luzerne Monday and Friday well Wednesday and Saturday need help, Pat K. Sunshine Group Gladwin doing well, James C. Whittemore 4-5 will probably close soon, Standish good, Hale good, Oscoda good, Al M. Crazy but Sober St. Helen doing well picking up, Dennis B. Step by Step Oscoda doing well, Jason R. Caring and Sharing Beaverton Thursday slow Sunday good, Jeff W. Cedar River doing well, Dan D. Miracles Happen Tawas good, Stuart B. HABAWS Roscommon doing well, Mike O. Getting it Together Houghton Lake Saturday struggling Tuesday meeting time has changed from 8-9 pm to 7-8 pm. Paul R. 3rd Step Group Clare doing well

Motion to close meeting by Pat K. 2nd by Al M. Meeting closed at 11:00 am with Lord's Prayer.

Next CMIA meeting February 7, 2016 10:00 am V.F.W. Hall 416 S.Shiawassee St. Corunna MI 48817

Next Unity Council Meeting February 20, 2016 10:00 am St, Paul's Episcopal Church 211 E. Cedar (M-61) Gladwin MI 48624