

RCM Report
August 9th 2014
Reporting October 4th 2014

I attend the Regional Committee that was held at Sabathani Community Center on August 9th 2014.. Here is the motion that were voted on.

1. To develop a speaker bureau through out NA Web Site, this would be for meetings to use and for professional when they would like to have someone come and talk about NA.

We talked about the coming Zonal that was held in at the end of September will bring more information back in December. What I can tell you is that Minnesota NA is being looked to as a model from other state as how we are doing projects instead of separate committees, and our help line, Bridging the Gap and Sponsorship behind the walls. Which is very exciting for all us. Again I offer the suggested that we get rid of quorum and let any addict that comes have the right to vote. Meetings are struggling to hold GSR, and we as an AREA are having trouble getting people to come and be on time. Just something to chew on. At the regional level we have no quorum. Each addict has a right to vote, yes we still do roll call. I think as an AREA we need to start thinking out of the box.

People reported on the help line and Bridging the Gap, we can use volunteer's for this two programs. Help line is answering the phone and letting the person know where there is a meeting that they can get to. That is the basic of the help line, granted you will get phone calls from family members about there loved ones and all we can do is encourage them to have the addict call us. Bridging the Gap is when we have someone coming out of Treatment or jail or prison and getting them to there first meeting in Na. So they submit the request, the project manager goes to the map and finds people in there zip code. As I have been doing the project on thing I found is that Duluth some of the zip codes there are no people who have signed up on the NA web site. GSR please encourage people to sign up on the NA web site. You may get a call 3 to 4 months apart. I have been a volunteer for Bridging the Gap and I have received one phone call. And I just recently had another call for a person reaching out. If you would like a hand out please let me know and I will email you a flyer about Bridging the Gap.

The next meeting is schedule for November the 2nd Saturday in November.

In Loving Service
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