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Area Service Committee  
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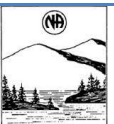
GSR Checklist for November 2017 ASC

- Encourage group members to get involved in service at the Area level! Remind them of these open positions:
  - Vice Treasurer
  - RCM
  - RCM Alt.
  - Policy Chair
  - Public Relations Chair
  
- Vote on the following ASC Officer/Subcommittee Chair nominations
  - Chris J for Area Chair



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Chairperson opens ASC meeting at 1:15 with a Moment of Silence & Serenity Prayer  
12 Traditions, 12 Concepts, and Basic Text version of 2nd Tradition were read.

## Attendance

### ASC Officers & Subcommittee Chairs

Chairperson	<a href="mailto:chair@gmana.org">chair@gmana.org</a>	Erika S	X
Vice Chairperson		Chris J	X
Secretary	<a href="mailto:secretary@gmana.org">secretary@gmana.org</a>	Jacklyn M	X
Treasurer	<a href="mailto:Treasury@gmana.org">Treasury@gmana.org</a>	Brittany L	X
Vice Treasurer			
RCM	<a href="mailto:rcm@gmana.org">rcm@gmana.org</a>		
RCM Alternate			
Policy Chair	<a href="mailto:policy@gmana.org">policy@gmana.org</a>	Jacklyn M	X
Public Relations Chair	<a href="mailto:info@gmana.org">info@gmana.org</a>	Will S	X
H&I Chair	<a href="mailto:Hospitals_institutions@gmana.org">Hospitals_institutions@gmana.org</a>	Greg H	
Literature Chair	<a href="mailto:literature@gmana.org">literature@gmana.org</a>	Bill T	X
Activities Chair	<a href="mailto:activities@gmana.org">activities@gmana.org</a>	James F	
Campout Chair	<a href="mailto:campout@gmana.org">campout@gmana.org</a>	Mary B	

### Groups

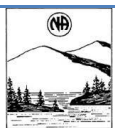
A Gift Called Life		A New Start		All Will Be Well	
Back to Basics		Break the Chains		Clean not Sober	
Green Mountain Step Meeting	x	In From the Storm	x	Just in Time	x
Last Connection		Living Clean		Living Free	
Living isn't Flippin Easy (LIFE)		Monday Night NA		Out of the Fog	x
Share the Light	x	Shot in the Dark	x	Step It Up	
Step Right In		Mixed Nuts	x	TGIF	
Steps to Serenity	x	That's Life		The Last Straw	
The Ones Who Survive		Together We Can	x	We Can	
Keep Calm & Carry the Message		You are here	x		

New GSRs: Kate, Green Mountain Steps; Rob, Mixed Nuts; Cheryl, You are Here

Quorum was met with 10 GSRs present, 6 were required for quorum.  $\frac{13+7}{2} = 10$        $\frac{10}{2} + 1 = 6$

Jackie read September 2017 ASC minutes. (motion to approve by Cecil M, second by Russ S, passed 7-0-0)

Public Relations collected updated Meeting List Information and Mailing List Signups. Groups can submit updates via the website at any time.



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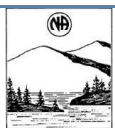


## Nominations

Chair	Chris J		I've chaired ASC before, I know how the meeting runs and how to move things along. I have my sponsorship family here at area to guide me. I work an NA program and have been ASC chair before.  Are there any stipulations? I will not talk about someone without that person being present.
Vice Treasurer	Lacey		Nomination withdrawn
RCM	Ken S		Nomination withdrawn

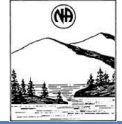
## Elections

Vice Chair	Will S	7-0-3	My clean date is June 1 2003, I've participated in ASC since early in recovery, have been Chair, Vice Chair, and chaired various subcommittees. I have a sponsor, work steps, attend meetings, and have the ability to facilitate meetings. Will you still be PR Chair? No, I've served two terms in the position already. An addict mentioned they'd like to nominate Will S for Activities Chair, Will says he'd rather do that
Literature	Bill T	10-0-0	I've been doing service for GMA NA since ~1988. I have a sponsor and work an honest program. I've served on H&I & PI subcommittees, have been Campout Chair, been Area Chair 2 or 3 times, RCM. The only position I haven't held is Treasurer (no thanks!). I've had a taste of everything. I'm just getting a grip on literature and tracking everything, and I'm excited to present a report at end of year with total sales. I'm a little behind on budget currently, but will sort it out. I have willingness to serve.
H&I	Greg H	Not present	I'm obviously trustworthy with money. I have a sponsor who has a sponsor, I work steps & attend meetings. The NA message was carried to me through H&I and I'm passionate about this form of service. I've been H&I chair for the past year, and would like to continue in this role.
Activities	Will S	7-2-1	I'm really excited about activities and want to have activities as often as possible, perhaps even once a month. I'd love to be involved in this. The current Activities Chair mentions that Will has already been involved helping with spreading the word about activities through the website and putting up flyers.
Campout	Erika S	10-0-0	I have 10 years clean, a sponsor, and have served on the Campout Subcommittee. I have served on Campout for 7 years in various ways. I'm currently working a first step (again) and the Traditions, and I have a willingness to serve. I was involved in the last campout and think some things were great but also see areas for improvement. I'd love to see others step up and help out and support this important event
Secretary	Jackie M	10-0-0	Hi Family. I'm an addict in recovery. My clean date is Aug 3, 2010. I





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			have a sponsor and attend my home group regularly. I've served in many positions at Area – Web Servant, Policy Chair, GSR. I'm currently my home group's Treasurer. I've been Area Secretary for the past year, have good note-taking abilities and organizational skills, and would be honored to continue in this form of service.
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## Sub-Committee Reports

- Treasury**            *Report attached.*
- RCM**                *no RCM*
- Literature**        *Report attached.*
- PR**                  *Report attached.*
- H&I**                *H&I chair absent*
- Policy**  
    Guidelines updated on website
- Activities**        *Report provided via Will S - attached.*  
    Costume Dance Party on Nov 4 from 6-11pm at Springfield Rec Center
- Campout**         *Report provided via Erika S - attached.*
- Secretary**
- Technology AdHoc Working Group**  
    No report

## Group Reports

*Reports for the following groups are included in [GMASC September 2017 Group Reports](#)*

Together We Can  
Steps to Serenity

Out of the Fog  
A Gift Called Life  
In From the Storm

We Can  
Share the Light

## Unfinished Business from August 2017 ASC

H&I motion to increase budget by \$200 to provide literature to addicts who cannot afford it.  
Passed 8-1-1

Campout motion to increase seed money from \$1500 to \$2000, to avoid charges by the bank  
Passed 9-0-1

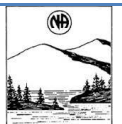
## New Business

*No new business*



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## Regional Motions

*RCM not present*

## Cares and Concerns

South Florida Region FIPT Inspection Request. We discussed several courses of action that GMASC could potentially take to support the inspection request, including sending a letter of support and adjustments to our fund flow to avoid contributions flowing to NAWs. We discussed whether to ask ABCD Region to take these same actions.

Where is our 50 cup coffee maker? Unsure, Last time it was seen was at Memorial Day picnic - check with James? James says he doesn't have it. We had it after the campout, but it's misplaced since then. Storage unit has notepad with pen used for signing stuff out. It seems the notepad hasn't been used. We didn't provide coffee at the picnic... did we? Maybe we need to buy a new coffee pot?

Who is on the Activities committee? Is it just Will? Will was the only person here today. Last month was just James and Will. Will intends to build a subcommittee – NOT to run it alone. Luke would like to join! Could Activities make a flyer with the time and location of subcommittee meeting? Suggestion well accepted.

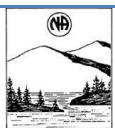
Literature is supposed to hold 3 GSR packets – that will cost money personally to print. What's the right way to cover those costs? Bring a receipt to be reimbursed or request a budget? Treasury prints reports, Secretary prints report forms, Literature prints order forms. Discussion continues around the topic of how to handle incidental expenses (paper, printer ink, stamps, etc)

Suggest ASC develop a pool of speakers for groups to refer to when searching for speakers.

Serenity Center in Keene needs IPs. It's not in the budget. We gave literature to Phoenix House last month. PR discussed this, and decided that presenting a rack of IPs to the public is a more significant effort than the subcommittee felt comfortable taking on. Serenity Center hasn't hosted an NA meeting – but one starts in a few weeks.

## Celebration Announcements

Paul V	3 years	Steps to Serenity (maybe)?
Bob C	30 years	Nov 18 <sup>th</sup> @ You are Here
Rachel H	20 years	Dec 2 <sup>nd</sup> @ You are Here





## 2017 ASC Schedule

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### MARCH

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