

H&I Subcommittee
Mile High Area
Meeting Minutes
February 14, 2010

Opening:

The regular meeting of The Mile High Area Subcommittee was called to order at 4pm on Sunday, February 14, 2010 at 1212 Mariposa in Denver, CO by Lou S. This was also an H&I training. The meeting was opened with the “we” version of the serenity prayer and the reading of the 2nd concept of service. Roll call commenced.

Present:

13 subcommittee members

Coy P, Lonnie P, Tracy T, Allen F, Josh A, Paul U, Lynn L
Valery M, Lou S, Brandi J, Keith W, Michael G, Kent C

Approval of Minutes:

The minutes of the previous meeting were unanimously approved as distributed.

Chair report read/ NA related announcements

Literature Coordinator Report:

Literature available

Last chance email will be sent

Format for budget (literature expenditure) to be proposed

Orientation Coordinator Report:

Huge training turnout

20 in attendance for training, 18 new

Volunteer Coordinator Report:

Volunteer roster in place, last minute format changes being implemented

Old Business:

Tech-Online Position Still Available

Jeffco Drug Court-waiting for response from facility

West Pines- in touch with facility; H&I or Outreach matter?

Reminder to announce collection of old key tags at home groups

- **Facilities Updates/PC Reports**

Arapahoe House (Rosalinda F) 8 volunteers per mo. /1 new, 25 patients per mtg

Parker Valley Hope (Tim H) no report

ICCS (Jeff S) Meetings now on both Fri and Sat nights. Meeting well

Haven and Mom's House (Coy P) Meetings going well, 2 volunteers for every night

Cottonwood (Marilou L) no report

Stout Street (Dennis C) meeting going well, great attendance

Salvation Army (Michael G) Michael G questioned and qualified. **Michael G voted in as PC.** Need panel members.

Denver Health (Valerie R) everything progressing well, picked up 2 new volunteers

Excelsior Youth (Shannon D) no report

Peer I Outpatient (Rob M) no report

Peer I Fort Logan (Dennis C) meeting going well

Denver Cares (Michael Y) no report

V.A. Hospital (Dennis C) meeting going well

Synergy (Josh A) re-writing meeting format, building panel. Speaker meetings 1x per month as well as 1 open meeting and 2 topic/literature meetings

FCI (Allen F) at request of facility and inmates, trying to increase meetings/discussion of subcommittee as to whether individuals can go into facilities, was decided that discretion is placed on PC and to implement voicing our urgent need for volunteers who can pass clearance.

Jeffco Jail Women (Rosalinda F) Meetings going well, 2-5 inmates per meeting

Jeffco Jail Men (George D) no report

Marvin Foote (Randy P) no report

Ridgeview (Lou S) no report

DWCF (Tracy T) Marie A and Lee H in process of getting prison clearance back, a few new volunteers to train. Meeting is well

Denver County Jail Men (Lonnie P) Kirk S stepped down and Lonnie P qualified and questioned. **Lonnie P voted in as PC** / Meeting going well

Denver County Jail Women (Valery M) Valery M qualified and questioned. **Valery M voted in as PC**

Douglas County Jail Men (Jim G) meeting going well, nothing new to report

Denver County Drug Court (Marcus N) Drug court held on Feb 2, panel members were Ron S, Brent and Al G...a clear message of recovery was conveyed to 17 members of drug court and 1 volunteer

New Business

- Read Admin Meeting Pre-Minutes
- Decision to include name of all volunteers who went into facility in monthly PC reports
- Request from Hudson Correctional Facility will be relayed to Regional H&I for that area
- Edit guidelines to read quarterly budgets
- H&I handbook available for checkout
- Start "key tag gimmick"

Adjournment: Meeting was adjourned at 5:30pm by Lou S. The next subcommittee meeting will be held on March 14, 2010 at 4pm at 1212 Mariposa in Denver.

Minutes submitted by Brandi J

