Utah Area 69 Committee Meeting "Pass The Gavel" December 6, 2008 American Legion Hurricane Utah

Welcome Andy B., Chair – with a moment of silence, followed by the Serenity Prayer, Preamble and Anonymity Statement.
Welcomed newcomers to their first General Service Meeting.
Introduced Area Officers and Pas Delegates.

12 Concepts – Denny

Minutes of Fall Workshop Nov 1,2 2008 – Sheri P., Recording Secretary – Approved as read.

Financial Report – Nadine N. Approved as read.

Bid for 2009 Area Inventory Committee Meeting (Dec 5th) – Jim N., Assembly Agenda Chair - Wade District 2 stood and won the bid.

District Reports

District 1 – Teddie H., DCM – First I'd like to express my gratitude to the outgoing Area 69 officers. I know that you have each enhanced the three legacies in my own personal recovery. Greetings from District One. We are gearing up for our new commitments. More people are expressing interest in filling some of our vacant positions. We've encouraged them to join us at our next district meeting and to stand for the open position of interest to them. At the Dec 11th meeting we hope to pass our 2009 budget. In Nov a committee met to work on our guidelines. The suggested changes will be handed out in the Dec meeting so that our GSR's can take them back to their groups. There is enthusiasm for the 2 events District One is hosting in 2009. The Area 69 Bridging the Gap Workshop will be held in Ogden June 20th. The Pre Assembly Workshop will be held in Logan August 15th & 16th. In Love and Service

District 2 – Wade J., DCMC – Dist 2 has been doing very well. Financially the Dist has brought in more than we spent. We have filled all but 2 DCM & 3 Alt DCM positions. I am with mixed emotions to be leaving the Dist, but I am excited to be joining the Area as A Standing Chair. Thanks Love in Service

District 3 – Denny GSR – Greetings from District 3. All is well. We had our monthly meeting and the keys to the Building were

passed to the new DCM> We have an eager new committee coming in for the next 2 years. Only 1 position remains open, The DCMC, which as part of our guidelines is an optional position. One of the concerns some of us have is excess funds in our District Operating Funds. We're confident we'll do the right thing. Thanks for Letting me Serve.

District 5 – Janet K., GSR – More individuals or potential alcoholics continue to attend our Price Alano Club. We currently have three GSR's who represent our groups. Harry S and Jan K attended pass the gavel on Dec 6 2008. Monte would like the opportunity to have our area Delegate bring a message of recovery and unity to our district.

District 6 – LeRoy B., DCM – District 6 is doing well. We just moved over one seat for service. We have ½ of our standing Chairs filled. Budget has been approved. Committee has been formed for the Committee Meeting in Feb. The building has been reserved. Thanks for letting me serve.

District 7 – Lauana H., DCMC – Since attending last Area Workshop I have attended 2 committee meetings. Out district is still struggling with finding people that are willing to step up and serve at the district level. We in District 7 are having our District Christmas party followed at 4PM with our District Meeting. You are all welcome to come.

District 8 – Bart B., GSR – Roosevelt meetings doing well. We have new people moving into area joining us and people new to AA. Most jobs filled for District 8 for 2009.

District 11 – Bruce I DCMC – Once again we've had only one district meeting between area meetings. However, we continue to enjoy renewed interest in District Service. The meeting was well attended and the groups, especially in the South are making an effort to be represented. We want to thank the DCM's Adrian and Coop for all their efforts. Coop maintains close relationships with groups in the north that choose not to participate at this time. In the south possibly for the first time all of the groups have a GSR. We still need some district officers for the next panel. The DCMC, Secretary and Literature chair positions are still open. We passed next years budget. The district has received just about the right amount of contributions needed this year to remain healthy. 2009 should open with the desired prudent reserve and operating fund amounts recently established and approved by the District Committee. On Nov 8 we held a workshop centered around Step

Twelve. Those in attendance were favorably impressed and anxious for us to do future workshops. We want to thank our round table discussion leaders Ralph H., Adrian L. and Gary J. They each covered one of the three elements of Step 12. Spiritual Awakening, Practicing these principles, and carrying the message. This month we hold our annual Christmas Pot-Luck get together. Normally we try to keep business to a minimum. This year we will be discussing the 3rd revision to our district guidelines. Hopefully we will be a non-combative affair. All weapons will be checked at the door. Seriously though we're not aware of any strong resistance and hope that we can gain approval.

District 12 - Cornelio A., DCM – Thanks for all the help & support to District 12. Also thanks for coming to District meeting in Nov. Sept 15, 2008 we had elections and we have New people for service for the next 2 years. DCM Carlos G, Alt DCM Luis L, Treasurer Andres S, Secretary Open, PI Miguel A, CPC Cornelio A, Alt CPC Ricardo O, Corrections Francisco C, Literature J B. We want to work with Area 69 and do better service Thanks

Roll Call – Charlie G., Area Regristra - Area Officers 7- Area Standing Chairs 7 – Past Delegate 2 – District 1 1 DCM, 1 GSR – District 2 1 DCMC, 1 STDG CHR – District 3 2 GSR, 1 ALT GSR-District 4 None in attendance – District 5 2 GSR – District 6 1 DCM – District 7 1 DCMC, 1 DCM 2 GSR-District 8 1 ALT DCM – District 9 None in Attendance – District 10 1 DCM – District 11 1 DCMC, 1 DCM – District 12 1 DCM, 1 ALT DCM, 3 GSR – CO Reps 1 – Interested AA 2

Delegates Report – Julie S

Past Events

Fall Workshop Walter C. District 2 – Fall Workshop was great. Attendance was 60-80 people. All costs are not in at this time. The committee anticipate giving the area \$300 back above seed money. (\$1000.00) The committee would like to thank everyone who came to Dist 2 in Tooele for a wonderful workshop. Thank you for allowing me to serve.

Self Support Discussion – Julie S. –

Adjourn 4:30