

**Area 31 Website Committee
Meeting of February 24, 2016**

Attending:

Chair

Co-Chair

2 group representatives

Area Chair

The meeting began with a moment of silence followed by the Serenity Prayer.

1. The committee welcomed a new representative from the Conway Group.
2. The committee reviewed highlights from the January meeting and discussion items for this meeting.
3. Group reps shared what they are hearing in their groups about the Area 31 website. Some of the confusion about the Area 31 website vs. the Intergroup website seems to be lessening, and there has been a small increase in committees and districts sending material for posting.
4. There was no report from the Webmaster, who was unable to attend.
5. The Chair reported on an invitation to visit District 5 in April. If feedback from that visit is good, the committee could seek out other opportunities to talk with districts and committees.
6. The Area Chair updated the committee on NERAASA. She also mentioned service commitments, the monthly calendar on the website, and the monthly Concepts and Traditions meetings.
7. The committee presented the Area Chair with a set of website passwords, to be held in case of emergency and to be passed on from one Area Chair to the next. There are now two positions besides the Webmaster with access to passwords: the Area Chair and the Website Committee Chair.
8. The committee discussed the program for NERASSA, especially the three presentation topics about AA on LinkedIn, AA on Twitter and Google for Nonprofits, and developing guidelines for social media. Suggestions including doing an inventory before moving to an AA presence on social media, and asking whether this might be a solution in search of a problem.

The meeting ended with the Responsibility Declaration.