January 20, 2020 Area 31 District Meeting Meeting opened at 7:00pm at Western Mass Hospital by Co-DCM Corbin.

Also in attendance: Co-DCM- Corbin LCM- John D Secretary- Megan T Area delegate- Paul

## **Group reports:**

Gsr Nick- Westfield Whip City nooner-meeting is good, new years dance went well, about 140 people, new comers due to a sober house that opened in Westfield for women. There was an issue with a man bothering the ladies. But they are addressing it.

Gsr Corbin- (filling in) Enfield build a foundation meeting Saturday 7-8pm, doing well, need intergroup rep.

Gsr Tom (temp)- Saturday morning Enfield Hand of Hope meeting from 10-11 am- All is well

Gsr Tim-Thursday night Enfield men's big book meeting from 7-8pm-meeting is strong, with new people.

Gsr Paula- Tues Women's speaker meeting 7-8pm-Doing well Wed Women's step meeting 7-8pm- Still needs support.

Gsr Bob- East of the river Enfield Mon, Wed, Fri 12:00pm meeting-attendance is good, all is well.

Gsr Mike- Enfield Young Peoples Friday nights 7-8pm speaker meeting-meeting is good, need to get more chairs, new years eve dance went very well, made \$300 more than last year, and filled the intergroup rep position.

Gsr Megan (Tyler taking gsr position)- All is well, and attendance is still good.

Area Delegate Paul-

Described the delegates role

International Conference, already 33, 000 registered.

Read NERASSA purpose (gave packet)

General service has a CD available for the deaf, ASL.

Conference agenda topics will be out most likely early Feb and they will be sent out, ex: take out the wives chapter.

Genders in the big book

\*will make sure agendas will be out right away\*

Co-DCK- Corbin

Feb 9<sup>th</sup> 1-4pm Providence, voting on committee for NECYPAA Bringing back to the groups about the price going up from 32 cents a mile to 50 cents for the delegates, area chair etc.

**Old business- None** 

New business- Our workshop, when, where, topics. Will discuss again.

Take aways:

**Fliers** 

32-50 cents increase

Nick read Chapter2

Next month Megan will read concept 1.

Meeting closed at 8:30pm with the "I am responsible"

Next meeting February 17, 2020