

## Monthly Archives Committee Meeting

May 8, 2024, at 7:30 PM  
30 Carew Street, South Hadley, MA

Chairperson: Chris K, Hand in Hand Group  
Area 31 Archivist: Carl G.  
Invited Guest: Bob M, Area 31 Chairperson

Representatives: Anthony D, Do or Die  
Rick W, Scrambled Eggs  
Carla C, After Work Group  
James G, Sunday Night Light  
Anthony D, Do or Die  
Cody G, Tuesday Suffield Men's  
Peg C, Daily Reflections (via Zoom)  
Larry G, Ludlow Eye Opener (via Zoom)

### Meeting Notes:

#### *Chris K*

Met with Justin (Area Treasurer) and Laura (DCM) to look at different storage space options at Home Depot and Costco.

Left a message for Anne, the church representative, regarding meeting space availability for a 'Listening Party' in the future. Chris K will be working with Bob M to try and make contact.

#### *Carl G (Archivist)*

Continuing to sort through materials as time allows. Informed the committee of a possible donation of an area committee founding member's Big Book, that also happened to be signed by Bill W.

#### *Bob M (Area Chair)*

Informed the committee that a storage shed had been approved and will be placed in the church for those committees that require additional storage space. Provided the committee with a list of upcoming events which is also available on [www.area31aa.org](http://www.area31aa.org)

### Committee Discussion

James G will be working with Carl to formulate a plan to find and transfer an audio file that requires "cleaning" digitally. Once we test out the software to see how well it can

“clean” digital audio, we will decide about repeating this process for other stored audio media.

Old Business – None

New Business – Chris K challenged the committee to make an effort to get group histories, interviews, or anything else that could potentially be stored in the Area 31 Archives. More to follow on this.

In Service

Chris K  
Hand in Hand Group  
Archives Chairperson, Area 31