

# First Coast Area of Narcotics Anonymous

## August 2011 MINUTES

The First Coast Area Service Committee (ASC) met Saturday, August 13<sup>th</sup> 2011 at St Luke's Hospital Roger Main Room 370; 4201 Belfort Road Jacksonville, Florida.

The meeting was called to order at 11:00 a.m. by the Vice-Chair and opened with a moment of silence followed by the Service Prayer. The 12 Traditions and 12 Concepts were read. The floor was opened to anyone wanting to address the First Coast Area.

Willie Mae addressed the area with a letter from her home group requesting that the convention committee dissolve the contract with Sawgrass in Ponte Vedra.

After open forum the ASC vice chair asked for a motion to suspend the order of the day to elect pro temp policy chair and secretary.

<b>FIRST COAST ASC ATTENDANCE &amp; VOTING ELIGIBILITY MAY, 2011</b>						
	<b>Position</b>	<b>Trusted Servant</b>	<b>May</b>	<b>June</b>	<b>July</b>	<b>August</b>
	ASC CHAIR		O	O	O	O
	ASC VICE-CHAIR	DAVE G	O	O	P	P
	SECRETARY	<b>OPEN</b>	Pro tem	Pro tem	Pro tem	Pro tem
	TREASURER	HERMAN B.	P	P	P	PPP
	ALT-TREASURER	DAVE V	A	O	O	O
	FRC BOARD REP.	<b>OPEN</b>	O	O	O	O
	RCM	GIL R.	P	P	P	P
	ALT-RCM	<b>OPEN</b>	O	O	O	O
	POLICY CHAIR	<b>OPEN</b>	Pro tem	Pro tem	Pro tem	Pro tem
	ACTIVITIES CHAIR	WILLIE MAE	P	P	P	P
	CONV.COM.CHAIR FCACNA XI	BOBBY T	P	P	P	P
	HELPLINE CHAIR	<b>OPEN</b>	A	O	O	O

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	H&I CHAIR	RONALD C.	P	P	PPA	A
	LIT. DISTRIBUTOR CHAIR	OPEN	A	O	O	O
	<b>Position</b>	<b>Trusted Servant</b>	<b>May</b>	<b>June</b>	<b>July</b>	<b>August</b>
	ALT-LIT DISTRIBUTOR	OPEN	ProTie m	ProTiem	O	O
	LIT. REVIEW CHAIR	OPEN	O	O	O	O
	P.R. CHAIR	CHELSEA P.	P	P	P	O
	<b>HOMEGROUPS</b>					
1	A NEW BEGINNING	<b>Felicia W.</b>	PPA	A	P	PP
2	A NEW LIFE	No vote Sept	A	AAA	A	PP
4	A SECOND CHANCE		P	PPA	PPA	PP
5	A SHOT OF HOPE	No vote Sept	A	P	AAA	A
6	ALIVE-N-KICKIN!		P	P	PPA	PP
7	AMELIA ISLAND	No vote Sept	A	A	AAA	A
8	ANOTHER DAY CLEAN		A	AAA	PPP	PAA
9	AVONDALE GROUP		P	AP	AAA	PPP
10	BYOM		AP	AAA	APP	PP
11	COURAGE TO CHANGE	No vote Sept	A	AAA	A	AA
12	DEEPNA		AP	AAA	A	AA
13	FERNANDINA BEACH GROUP	No vote Sept	A	AAA	A	AA
14	FRANTIC SERENITY		P	PPP	PPA	AP
15	FREEDOM OF CHOICE	No vote Sept	P	PPA	PPA	AA
16	GIFT OF LIFE	No vote Sept	P	PPA	PPA	AA
17	HOPE IS HERE	No vote Sept	A	A	A	AA
18	IN THE WIND	No vote Sept	A	AAA	A	AA
19	IT WORKS: WE DO RECOVER	No vote Sept	A	AAA	A	AA
20	IT'S ABOUT CHANGE		A	PPP	PPP	PP

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21	JUST FOR TODAY		P	PPP	PPP	PP
22	LIVING WITH HOPE	No vote Aug	P	AAA	AAA	AA
	<b>Position</b>	<b>Trusted Servant</b>	<b>May</b>	<b>June</b>	<b>July</b>	<b>August</b>
23	MORE WILL BE REVEALED		A	AAA	PPA	PP
24	MUSTARD SEED GROUP		A	PPA	PPP	PP
25	NEW HOPE GROUP	No vote Sept	P	PPP	A	AA
26	NO MORE EXCUSES		P	PPP	A	PA
27	NOON GROUP		P	PPP	PPP	PA
28	ON PATHWAY TO RECOVERY		AP	PPA	A	PP
29	PENNY ARCADE	No vote Aug	A	AAA	A	AA
30	R.O.B.W.		P	PPP	PPP	PP
31	RECOVERY		P	PPP	PPP	PP
32	RECOVERY AT RAIFORD	No Vote Sept	AP	AAA	A	PA
33	RECOVERY AT WORK		P	PPP	PPA	PA
34	RIVERSIDE NOON GROUP	No Vote Aug	A	AAA	A	AA
35	SICKER THAN MOST		P	PPP	PPP	PA
36	SPIRITUAL AWAKENING		P	PAA	PPP	PA
37	TIMUQUANA GROUP		P	PPP	PPP	PP
38	WAY OUT GROUP		P	AAA	PPP	PP
39	WOMEN STEP TOGETHER		P	PPA	PPA	PP
40	YOUTH & RECOVERY		P	PPA	PPA	PP
	Minimum Required for Quorum = (40-13=27/2=)19					

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	Highlighted not eligible to vote Reinstate = after 2 consecutive months					
	GROUPS PRESENT FOR OPENING ROLL TODAY = 19	Quorum: 10	2/3'S=1 3			

**Secretary's Report**

The current contact list has been created. Contact forms will be available at ASC to make sure we have the current contact info for each home group, GSR, alternate GSR, etc. It is your responsibility to make sure your contact information is current.

Secretary requested reimbursement of 29.95 and received (See Treasurer Report)

Curtis T. GSR Noon Group pointed asked that last month's report on ad hoc be stricken from the minutes.

Motion made to form ad hoc committee however, was never formed neither had any official meetings.

**AD HOC COMMITTEE on FCACNA CONTRACT**

An Ad Hoc committee was established during the April 2011 meeting to review the details of the contract for the current convention and to make recommendations about future contracts. No formal report was given and no meetings took place since the last ASC. The contract has a deadline for phase one penalty of September 16. Choices are: 1. Break the contract by September 16 and pay \$1,674. 2. Accept the contract as a 2 year contract with consecutive years. 2. Accept the contract as a 2 year contract but use the second year in 2 years. More to follow.

Minutes are being emailed and posted on line.  
<http://www.firstcoastna.org/area.htm>.

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## **FRC BOARD REP. REPORT - Position is open.**

## **RCM REPORT:**

**Florida Regional Service Conference- Held July 17, 2011 in Uncoast Area Gainesville, FL.**  
Submitted by: Chelsie P (compiled from personal notes and RSC minutes)

14 out of 18 Areas present, and all filled positions for Admin, Boards, Leaders and Coordinators present

Regional Treasurer Report (Summary) attached at end of this report- full RSC minutes and Treasurer's report to be submitted to FCA Secretary as separate attachment to FCA minutes and to go back to the groups (42 page pdf)

### **Order of day changed to start with Nominations and Elections as follows:**

- FRC Board- Jason S (elected)
- FRC Board- Amanda (elected)
- FRC Board- Jenni H (elected)
- FRC Board- Brook L (elected)
- HRP- Carlos (re-elected)
- HRP- Stephanie W (elected)
- HRP- Neil D (elected) former RSC Treasurer
- RSO Board- Barbara N (elected) former RSC Secretary
- RSO Board- Dick B (elected)
- RSO Board- Walter M. (elected)
- RSC ALT SEC- Belinda (elected)
- ALT Treasurer- Laura G (elected) former Keeper of the RSC Guidelines
- HRP recommends Bob G to be World Board member (vote of confidence) current RD
- Fellowship Leader- Joel (vote of acclimation to move into leader position up from co-leader)

### **OPEN POSITIONS:**

- **RSO-1 RSC ELECT 1- BOARD ELECT**
- **FRC – 1 RSC ELECT**
- **FRC – 1 BOARD ELECT**
- **1 CO-LEADER FELLOWSHIP DEVELOPMENT**
- **1 ARCHIVIST POSITION**

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- **1 HRP POSITION**

### **Full Area reports available in RSC minutes, following are points of interest:**

- Bay Area to hold their 30<sup>th</sup> Anniversary in September
- Big Bend Area- Convention 8/12-14/11 (Ira B is Saturday Night main speaker. Also on August 20<sup>th</sup> RSC RD AD Team to host Service System Workshop in Big Bend Area
- Chain-O-Lakes Area already implementing GSU (Group Service Unit) system- will be holding their 2<sup>nd</sup> mtg Aug 19<sup>th</sup> subject to be "Sponsorship"
- Daytona Area also going through area split: 6 maybe 7 out of 26 groups moved to newly unnamed area- Geographical split "East/ West". Same split happened back on 1991-92 but recombined after two months.
- Greater Orlando Area- August 20<sup>th</sup> Wet N Wild Event, holding a November Spanish Convention, adopted Consensus Decision Making at ASC, working towards tax exempt status
- Hartland Area- Sept 4<sup>th</sup> Annual Celebration, Oct 14<sup>th</sup>-16<sup>th</sup> Convention "Recovery far beyond clean"
- Recovery Coast holding a September Karaoke event
- River Coast Area- "We do recover Group/ Behind the walls" has requested to become part of their area
- River Coast Area (cont.)- Holding Sept 5<sup>th</sup> campout #24 in conjunction with Forest Area
- Sun Coast Area- Looking into putting NA Literature racks in Publix Pharmacies
- Tampa Fun Coast Area- Local group hosting Deep Fishing trip Oct 29<sup>th</sup>
- Treasure Coast Area- Sept 18<sup>th</sup> "Birds on the River" event, TCNA 5 "Ride the wave" Convention (date unknown)

### **RD/ AD Team:**

- Service System Workshop -A new service system will come out in the 2012 Conference Agenda Report (CAR) for review and vote by all areas. To find out what is going on at World with changes and updates with the structure proposals is available at NA.ORG as well as through NAWS NEWS. Also- Current RD/AD team will be hosting workshops in different areas- they are booked out

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with their schedules and have requested all areas interested in putting on a Service System workshop request time by next region in September.

- Living Clean Book “draft” for approval available for free download on RSC website or for purchase through RSO
- New “Planning Basics” workshops available through RD/AD

### **FLORIDA REGIONAL CONVENTION:**

- 1,518 paid registrations, 356 financial hardships, 244 no pay/newcomer, 2118 total attendance
- FRC board misunderstood “verbal” merchandise agreement with long standing merchant for t-shirts- only able to return a limited amount of unsold items
- FRC 31 already 79 pre-registered
- Funds absconded from FRC by FRC Board member- certified letter sent to collect returned along with the responsibility to collect to the RSC (\$875.50-\$13/1400). A full forensic audit and bank review from date of inception in 2009 of member to be done.
- FRC 31 “THE RIDE OF YOUR LIFE” Convention logo art work submissions due Oct1 (Pre Con), and Feb 1 2012 (Con Logo)
- To get involved in FRC 31 planning email [FRCNA21@yahoo.com](mailto:FRCNA21@yahoo.com), committees to meet 3<sup>rd</sup> Sundays of even months 10am Tampa Marriott

### **RSO:**

- Sold 12k merchandise at FRC 30 convention
- Personalized cards available
- 2 copies of “Southern Exposure” to be sent to every area with their next lit orders as a donation and to be used as seen fit
- Some lit items prices have increased along with World Lit price increase (prices mirror each other)

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## • NEW PROPOSALS

- Proposal: RSO-BOD/Heartland 07/17/11 #11-001
- **Proposal: To change the R.S.O. Guidelines back to 2 BOD members from each area. It was raised to 3 from each area when the BOD was raised 11 members by motion #52 11-19-06.**
- **Intent: Housekeeping- To bring the Bylaws back to 2 from 3. This should have been changed in the motion to reduce the board to 7.**
- Proposal: Uncoast/Tampa Funcoast 07/17/11 #11-002
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- **Proposal: The Uncoast Area would like a consensus based decision on whether or not the Florida Region wishes to continue to have a "Facebook/ with a read only announcement fan page".**
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- **Intent: Follow our traditions by getting a group conscience from all Areas.**
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- **GOES BACK TO ALL AREAS**

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

Sept 16-18, 2011

Hyatt Regency Sarasota on Sarasota Bay 1000 Blvd. of the Arts Sarasota, Fl.

941.953.1234(waiting on amt of room)

Cut off August 20, 2011

Cost is \$109.00/night +tax

Nov 18-20, 2011

Best Western Clearwater Grand 20967 US. Highway 19 North Clearwater, Fl. 33765

727.799.1181 x 308

"Florida Regional Service Committee"

Cut of date is Oct. 18, 2011

Cost is \$60.00/night +tax

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## **.July 16<sup>th</sup>, Saturday Fellowship Development:**

### **WORKGROUPS (10) Active:**

1. Latino Outreach
2. FRC/ RSO Merger
3. Lit Racks in Public Libraries
4. Lit Racks in Pharmacies
5. Predatory Behavior
6. Clean Park / Clean Image
7. Bridge Project
8. Youth Outreach
9. FRC Board Policy Review
10. Role and Responsibilities

### **H&I-**

- NA books can not just be given to addicts in lock down individually as this could be seen as favoritism- if you bring a book for one you have to bring one for all- of course all books still have to go through Chaplin of facility.
- Pen Pal Program running smoothly in Tampa Fun Coast area with 4males and 2 females currently corresponding. Inmates can write the RSO and letters will be disbursed at RSC to bring it back to nearest surrounding area. \*Bridge Program "workgroup" started at last regional weekend which will look into sponsorship behind the walls.

### **Helpline:**

- Chain-o-lakes Area is having problems porting over their pager phone number to a Ring Central phone line system. Company that owns the pager number states it can only be used as a pager number and not for phone line use.
- Discussion on the floor about proposing a REGIONAL Helpline number came up again as it did at last regional weekend. There are both pros and cons as it would be an ideal service however its huge project with great costs.

### **Internet Technology:**

- BMLT (Basic Meeting List Tool) encouragement to all areas. Link available on Regional website. The BMLT system allows addicts to search for meetings

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geographically. FCA pro-tem Web-servant will be attending next region in September to learn more about BMLT.

### **Public Relations:**

- On behalf of the First Coast Area I requested guidance regarding area split overlapping geographically and how our services are affected/duplicated i.e. meeting schedule. Many area RCMs responded with suggestions of passing out both schedules folded one inside the other, holding workshops between the areas to make sure the still sick and suffering addicts are not being lost in the mix/split.

### **SUBCOMMITTEE REPORTS**

#### **PUBLIC RELATIONS SUBCOMMITTEE**

Met last 7/25/2011, 7pm @ 3920 Spring Park Rd (Recovery Jax)

5 NA members in attendance – 2 with a vote

#### **COMMENTS, PROBLEMS, QUESTIONS:**

Currently all positions within the PR Subcommittee are OPEN: Chair, Vice-Chair, Secretary, and Web-servant. Please take this information back to your groups to solicit participation.

PR Subcommittee requests guidance for FCA regarding “Hope is here” meeting – as on multiple accounts the meeting has not been held and yet meeting is still listed on both the FCA website and meeting schedule. What action if any does the FCA want to make?

**ACCOMPLISHMENTS, GOALS, ACTIVITIES:** 1300 meeting schedules printed for August 2011 with 3 changes as follows-

1. Amelia Island Group (Serenity Coast Area) No longer meets as confirmed by group members and SCA
2. New Meeting: WHY ARE WE HERE meets Sunday 10am @151 Kingsley Ave Orange Park FL behind IWS bldg Public Relations Subcommittee has voted to change meeting time and date starting September 2011 to last Thursdays of month/ 630pm @3920 Spring Park Rd (Recovery Jax)

#### **ITEMIZED MONTHLY EXPENSES:**

- \$84.74 Receipt turned into FCA treasurer for 1300 August meeting schedules and flyers (\$74.00 + \$1.20 plus tax). July rent receipt (\$10) to be returned at Sept ASC as Recovery Jax Representative was not on sight to receive rent payment at last mtg.
- Request for funds as follows: \$83.46 for Sept mtg schedules (#1300), and \$10.00 for August rent to Recovery Jax.

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- Re-imbusement request for \$1.20 expense out of pocket for flyer printing to Chelsie P.

**MOTIONS FOR ASC:** None

**CHAIRPERSON:** Open

**VICE-CHAIR:** Open

**SECRETART:** Open

**SUMMITTED BY:** Chelsie P.

### ACTIVITIES

**MEETING PLACE:** 13<sup>TH</sup> and Davis

**DAY/TIME:** 1<sup>st</sup> Sat 1:00 a.m.

**ATTENDANCE:** 5

**COMMENTS, PROBLEMS, QUESTIONS:** All went well

Bowling: we have stopped bowling.

We would like to know if we are to have this area anniversary.

I apologize for not having receipts for last month. I had 24.00 dollars left from bowling and I used that for food - donuts

### CONVENTION COMMITTEE FCACNA XI

**TODAY'S DATE {MONTH/DATE/YEAR}:** August 13, 2011

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**SUB-COMMITTEE NAME:** ASC Convention

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**MEETING PLACE:** 1509 Highway Ave

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**ATTENDANCE:** 11

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**DAY/TIME:** Wednesday at 6:30pm-8:30pm.

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**COMMENTS, PROBLEMS, QUESTIONS:** As of August 3, 2011 the treasurer reported we have \$7,674.12 and \$251.16 in petty cash. Fundraising and Entertainment reported that at the Spiritual Breakfast they made \$78.00 at the door and \$232.00 on pre-sale tickets. After the total profit was \$167.74. They have received 3 bids for the DJ for our convention, decided to go with Michael Spivey as the DJ for the convention and they will be turning over the bid. They also have \$363.70 in their seed money as of right now. They're getting ready for their last big function of the year which was NO MATTER WHAT SPEAKER JAM which was Sat. 8/6/2011. They might be doing some more Fun Friday, but nothing was decided as of yet. Registration reported there are getting 15% discount for pre-ordering bags to save money; everything is on hold until they receive the logo. They're getting 500 bags for \$550.25. Cost of each bag to be \$1.66 with everything in the bags for a total of \$825.00 for 500 bags. They also reported we have 105 registrations as of the date and will check the mailbox every week. They have heard from Salvation Army and Salsbaucher are already asking for information about the convention because they want to

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**MOTIONS FOR ASC:**

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**CHAIRPERSON: Bobby T**

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**VICE-CHAIR: Chester**

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**SECRETARY: Phyllis C.**

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**SUBMITTED BY: Phyllis C.**

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### **POLICY**

**MEETING PLACE:** St. Luke Hospital Auditorium

**DAY/TIME:** 2<sup>nd</sup> Saturday of the Month, 9:45am. Before ASC meeting.

**ATTENDANCE:** 5

**COMMENTS, PROBLEMS, QUESTIONS:** Dave G opened meeting with serenity prayer, 12 traditions and concepts were read. Suspended order of the day to elect pro-temp Chair (Ishmael M elected pro-temp Chair)

**Motion:1 Maker:** It's About Change      **Second:** Recovery

**Motion # 110601                      Date:** 06-05-11

**Motion:** To have a convention every other year when World is not having theirs and other areas are not having theirs.

**Intent:** To allow more time to generate funds for convention to have balance with other activities.

**Status:** Sent to groups for vote

**ACCOMPLISHMENTS, GOALS, ACTIVITIES:** Provided clarity to area on motion #110601. Clarity was as follows: **A.** Motion does not violate steps, traditions or concepts. **B.** Motion does change or establish policy. **C.** Motion does impact area in the following way; it will affect NA's exposure which impacts the attraction of new members. It also affects issues of cash flow within the area. With the lack of willingness to serve within the area it provides an ability to more effectively use of the resources. **D.** Made recommendation on motion #110601; that motion maker change motion to read: To have a convention every other year when world is not having theirs.

**Motion: 2**

**ITEMIZED MONTHLY EXPENSES:**

**MOTIONS TO ASC:** None

**CHAIR:** Pro Temp: Ishmael M

**VICE-CHAIR:** Open

**SECRETARY:** Open

**SUBMITTED BY:** Ishmael M

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## GSR REPORTS

GROUP	ATT. / NEW.	COMMENTS	DON. / LIT.	GSR
<b><i>A New Beginning</i></b> 511 West 11 <sup>th</sup> Street Inside the HELP Center Mon., Wed. & Sat. 7pm	253/6	All is well. We could use some support from anyone who wishes to sponsor newcomers	34.00/ 63.67	Felicia W
<b><i>A New Life</i></b> 1 <sup>st</sup> Timothy Baptist 12103 Biscayne Blvd. Sunday 7pm	10-15/ 2	All is well	0/0	Bruce
<b><i>A Principled Life</i></b> 2360 St. Johns Bluff Rd. South @ New Covenant Ministries Main Building Upstairs Wednesday 6pm				
<b><i>A Second Chance</i></b> 613 West Ashley Street Clara White Mission Mon. 6:30pm-7:30pm	30-35/ 6	All is well	0/0	Rudy M.
<b><i>A Shot of Hope</i></b> 1 <sup>st</sup> Christian Church 11924 San Jose Blvd. Friday 7:30pm - 9:00pm				
<b><i>Alive-N-Kickin!</i></b> Calvary United Methodist 112 Blanding Blvd. Orange Park, In back	200/10	All is Well	100.00	Steven P/ Steven B
<b><i>Amelia Island</i></b> 302 South 14 <sup>th</sup> Street First Assembly of God				
<b><i>Another Day Clean</i></b> 12791 Old St. Augustine Rd. Mandarin Church of Christ Mon. & Thu. 7pm				
<b><i>Avondale Group</i></b> 4172 Shirley Ave. Tue. & Thu. 8pm	156/15	All is well	37.96/ 122.04	Sam K/ Kev B

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GROUP	ATT. / NEW.	COMMENTS	DON. / LIT.	GSR
<b><i>BYOM</i></b> 7944 Smyrna Street Tuesday 8pm Friday 10pm	4/0	Have a low attendance rate other than that all is good	0/0	Frederick H.
<b><i>Courage to Change</i></b> Thu. 6:30 – 7:30pm 2002 San Pablo Rd. S. Sat. 7:00 – 8:00pm 150 Sherry Drive				
<b><i>DeepNA</i></b> Kennedy Center 1 <sup>st</sup> and Ionia Street Tue. & Thu. 7:30pm Wed. 12 – 1pm	457/15	All is Well	72.59/ 96.25	Arthur S/ Kimberly A.
<b><i>Fernandina Beach</i></b> 1200 Elm Street MLK Center Tue. & Thu. 8:00 pm				
<b><i>Frantic Serenity</i></b> 1100 Stockton St Fri. & Sun. 8pm Sat 11am-12:30pm				
<b><i>Freedom of Choice</i></b> Mon. & Fri. 10am Kennedy Center 1 <sup>st</sup> & Ionia Street Thu. 10am Grace Baptist Church 1608 East 21 <sup>st</sup> Street				
<b><i>Gift of Life</i></b> 230 Kingsley Ave. Orange Park, FL Mon. & Wed. 6:30p.m. Sat. 9:30a.m.	100/4	Attendance down Donations down	100	Ken H.
<b><i>God, Self, and Others</i></b> 1710 North Kernan Rd. Hope Community Church				

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Tue. 7:30pm – 8:30pm				
<b>GROUP</b>	<b>ATT. / NEW.</b>	<b>COMMENTS</b>	<b>DON. / LIT.</b>	<b>GSR</b>
<i>Hope is Here Dove Ministries 25<sup>th</sup> &amp; Pearl Friday 5:30-6:30pm</i>				
<i>In The Wind 3920 Spring Park Road Recovery Jax Saturday 10am</i>				
<i>It Works: We Do Recover Corner of 7<sup>th</sup> and Main St. /Palatka, Emmanuel United Methodist Church</i>				
<i>It's About Change 1787 Mayfair Village Rd Community Center Sun. 3:00pm - 4:30pm</i>	0/0		0/0	Kevin W
<i>Jump Start Today 2636 New Berlin Road M, W, F 6:30am-7:30am</i>		Meeting Closed		
<i>Just for Today 3920 Spring Park Rd. Recovery Jax Su 12pm W, F, Sa 6:30pm , Sat. Midnight , Tues/ Men @6:30</i>	40	All is well	0/0	Mike B   Nate
<i>Living with Hope Shepard of the Woods 6595 Columbia Park Ct. Wed. 8:00pm</i>				
<i>More Will Be Revealed 613 West Ashley Street Clara White Mission Thurs. 8:00 – 9:30pm</i>	0/0	Group anniversary has been postponed until further notice. It was to be held Sept 17. All is well	37.78/ 49.22	Richard D/ Steve B.

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<i><b>New Hope Group</b></i> Kennedy Center 1 <sup>st</sup> & Ionia Street Mon & Wed 7pm - 8pm				
<b>GROUP</b>	<b>ATT. / NEW.</b>	<b>COMMENTS</b>	<b>DON. / LIT.</b>	<b>GSR</b>
<i><b>No More Excuses</b></i> Calvin Pres. Church 4050 Barnes Rd. Tues. 7pm – 8pm				
<i><b>Noon Group</b></i> 3920 Spring Park Rd Recovery Jax Mon–Fri 12 - 1:00p.m.				
<i><b>On The Pathway To Recovery</b></i> 613 West Ashley Street Clara White Mission Wed. 6:30pm – 7:30pm	40/20	We need support at both meetings otherwise. All is well	00/ 30.28	Stephanie S
<i><b>Rebuilding Our Broken World</b></i> Glynlea Grace United Methodist Church 6429 Atlantic Boulevard Fridays @ 8pm-9:30pm	80/4	All is well. We have Darryl B sitting in as Alt GSR today. Our potluck dinner was aweome	45.00/0	Johnny H.
<i><b>Recovery</b></i> 3920 Spring Park Road Recovery Jax Mon. & Wed. @ 8pm				Charlie V.
<i><b>Recovery @Raiford Florida State Prison</b></i> Saturday 1:30 -3:30 pm				Blaine P/Kelly M
<i><b>Recovery At Work</b></i> 211 E. MacClenny Ave. Tue. & Sat. 8-9pm	103/ 10	All is good	50.00/ 00	Chester H.
<i><b>Riverside Noon Group</b></i> Good Shepherd Church Forbes @ Stockton Tuesday 12:00pm	125/ 5	All is well	18.90/ 14.77	Rufus B/ Herman B

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<i><b>Sicker Than Most</b></i> Calvin Presbyterian-Barnes & Kennerly Sun. & Thu. 8:00 pm	316/2	No Comments	88.51/ 34.45	Jerome W
<b>GROUP</b>	<b>ATT. / NEW.</b>	<b>COMMENTS</b>	<b>DON. / LIT.</b>	<b>GSR</b>
<i><b>Spiritual Awakening</b></i> 1350 13 <sup>th</sup> Ave. South <i>Jax. Beach 9:30am Baptist Medical Center</i>	60/0	All is well	10.00/0	Mike S.
<i><b>The Mustard Seed Group</b></i> 900 Bridier Street (Alumni House) Saturday 8pm/Speaker meeting	548/26	Our meetings are in need of experienced members support. All is well.	0/0	Andrea A./ Anthony W.
<i><b>Timuquana</b></i> 5402 Timuquana Road M, W, F 8pm-9pm	395/8	All is well	50.00/ 133.00	Curtis H. Jimmy F.
<i><b>Turning Point</b></i> Shepherd of the Woods Lutheran Church 7860 Southside Blvd. Sun 6pm, M 8p.m., Tue 9:30pm, Sat 10pm				Amanda R. / Tommie R.
<i><b>Way Out Group</b></i> St. Mary's Episcopal Middleburg Presbyterian Thursday 8pm	62/0	No treasurer attendance at business meeting. No donation for area. Rent was paid.	0/0	Dennis S.
<i><b>Women Step Together</b></i> Grace Episcopal Church(Admin Office) 230 Kingsley Avenue Tues 6:30-7:30pm				Joann C/ Sherri H
<i><b>Youth &amp; Recovery</b></i> 1041 Edgewood Ave. S. Saturday 8pm	15	Pot Luck for 14 <sup>th</sup> Anniversary 8/27/2011 Food 5pm. Suggested donation: Covered Dish dinner @ 5 pm Speaker at 8pm. Speaker from St Pete, BJ—Absentee Ballot of	0/0	74.70/ 99.35

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		VOTE-Pro on Motion to change convention policy to hold vote prior to each convention	

### LETTERS OF WILLINGNESS

I, Chelsie P., have the willingness to accept the nomination as First Coast Area RCM. My clean date is 1-1-04. I have an NA sponsor who has an NA sponsor. I have a working knowledge of our NA 12 Steps, 12 Traditions, and 12 Concepts. In years past I have served as my home groups GSR, been a member of PR subcommittee for 4 years and its chair for the past 2 years. I have been attending region for the past year and would humbly appreciate the opportunity to carry the conscience of the First Coast Area to Region and in return bring back as much information from Region and World so that our area can be well informed and involved in our service system.

In loving service,  
Chelsie P.

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### LETTER OF WILLINGNESS

I Willie Mae s., have the willingness to serve as Activities Chair. I have worked the steps, traditions, and concepts. I will say I have the understanding of these. I have 17 years clean.  
In love  
Willie Mae S.

### ELECTIONS & NOMINATIONS

**Secretary ~ Nashida M. Elected**

**Convention Chair ~ Mirta M. Elected**

**Convention Vice—Chair ~ Mark C. Elected**

**Convention Treasurer Sharon T. Elected**

**Convention Secretary ~ Curtis H. Elected**

**Policy Chair ~ Ishmael M. Elected**

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## **OLD BUSINESS (FORMAT: YEAR/MONTH/#)**

**Maker:** It's About Change    **Second:** Recovery

**Motion # 110601**                      **Date:** 06-05-11

**Motion:** To have a convention every other year when World is not having theirs and other areas are not having theirs.

**Intent:** To allow more time to generate funds for convention to have balance with other activities.

**Status:** Tabled to Policy (**still in Policy**)

## **NEW BUSINESS (FORMAT: YEAR/MONTH/#)**

**Maker:** It's About Change    **Second:** Recovery

**Motion # 110601**                      **Date:** 06-05-11

**Motion:** To have a convention every other year when World is not having theirs.

**Intent:** To allow more time to generate funds for convention to have balance with other activities.

**Status:** **Open to vote**

**Maker:** Rebuilding our Broken Worlds                      **Second:** Frantic Serenity

**Motion # 110605**                      **Date:** 08/13/2011

**Motion:** To accept the convention committee contract for two year agreement.

**Intent:** To promote unity in the area. Tradition—1/2/5. Concepts—1/2/3/5/6/7/8/9/11/12

**Status:** **Open to vote**

**Maker:** On the Pathway to Recovery                      **Second:** DeepNa

**Motion # 110606**                      **Date:** 08/13/2011

**Motion:** That this convention pays out the contract to dissolve the commitment for 2012 prior to Sept 16, 2011 for the convention scheduled for 2012 in Ponte Vedra.

Friendly amendment: Based on convention treasurer to submit numbers for all penalties to break contract

**Intent:** To dissolve the contract for 2012                      **Status:** **Open to vote**

**Note:** *It was asked that groups be informed that a vote "pro" be for one or the other. (110605 or 110606)*

**Policy Chair advised the Area that motions #110605 & #110606 were out of order.**

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