

## Southern Zonal Forum- Hot Springs, Arkansas

### Minutes-October 24-25 2015

1. Silence and Serenity Prayer
2. Announcements re: Registration, tapes, t-shirts
3. Introductions
4. Fellowship Concerns:

**Heidi-Tejas-Bluebonnet**-Houston Area: Have a “book store” making separate from area. Area is reminding them that they accountable to them, they feel they are because the person running the “book store” is on the board. E-mails between the two have become nasty and unspiritual. NAWS is being asked to mediate.

**Dan-Red River**-Still the same as last and making progress, has sense of unity-leadership qualities are being shown-apaty is not happening-few positions need to be filled-Summer campout was a huge success-Phone lines/websites-progress continues DRT-Learning experience.

**Scott-Bluegrass**-Building Strong Homegroups workshop going to all areas (5)-Going to homegroups next-Filed for seating again on November 25<sup>th</sup> 2014-Would like a vote of confidence from the forum- Donation to forum- Wants address to send. (See financial report)

**Staci-Lone Star**-Area forming inside Region-Wants no part of Service Structure.

**Ricardo-Volunteer**-Positions becoming filled- One set of guidelines- Region began rotating RSC, now stopping/not cost effective-VRC 33 November 26-29, 2015 -Service System-Group Service Forum’s-Trying to get started-Greater Nashville Area-No one is showing up.

**Rob-Show me**-Most positions filled-PR-Outreach-PR Concept Workshop January RSC 2016-Memo Area is assisting-Region will fund both RD and AD to WSC-Two motions from Region will be in Conference Agenda Report.

**Kory-Louisiana**-Report Attached

**Tom-St. Charles Area-Show Me**-Very passionate about the Southern Zonal Forum- Likes consensus-based decision making and shared how it is becoming more seen, i.e. less policy.

**Robin-Quincy Area-Show Me-RCM**-Here to learn and grow.

**Tom-Newly elected AD-Show Me**- 😊

**Tim-AD Volunteer**-

**Break**

**Reconvene 10:30 A.M.**

5. Presentation “Building Strong Homegroups” Kristin and Scott- Presentation attached  
GSR Orientation folder/St. Louis Area attached, Can call Kristin for questions  
PowerPoint Presentation from Bluegrass App. attached

**Lunch**

**Reconvene 1:30 P.M.**

6. Open back up with a moment of silence followed by the Serenity Prayer.
7. Presentation “Roll of the Zones” Mike C. and Dickie-Presentation attached

## **8. Break**

9. Presentation "Tradition One" (The importance of Unity) Delores and Henry

## **Closed day with the Third Step Prayer**

### **Sunday morning meeting**

10. Moment of silence Serenity Prayer and 12 Traditions and Concepts were read.
11. Minutes from last forum were accepted, including financial report.
12. Financial report given, see attached, included \$12.00 one time charge plus \$24.50 a month (3) added as an expense to the Forum.  
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13. Kory/Gotomeeting, report attached
14. Dickie discussed time line, talked about taping and only having it for CAR Workshops. Is it cost effective?
15. Next Forum will be in Mesquite, Texas, hosted by Lone Star. Call Staci for a ride ahead of time, 972-922-9961. Flyer attached. \*CAR Workshop, to WB members coming.
16. Summer 2015 will be in Louisville, Kentucky/Kentuckiana Region.
17. October SZF will meet at the MZSS (Multi-Zonal Service Symposium) flyer attached.

