

District 6

Current Practices Book

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1 DISTRICT COMMITTEE**1.1 Composition**

- 155 11/1988 To elect a Chairman and Co-Chairman for District 6 for a two year term.
- 156 11/1988 To separate the Secretary/Treasurer position into the three service offices as was already suggested.
- 161 12/1988 To have the Co-Chairperson title renamed to Alternate Chairman.
- 318 11/2003 The Alternate Chairperson shall serve as the DCM Coordinator of the District.
- 322 04/2004 For the purpose of consistency with the South Florida Area and GSO, District 6 changes the name of Corresponding Secretary to Registrar.
- 330 10/2004 DCMs from each county shall select one of the newly elected DCMs as the county DCM Coordinator. The county DCM Coordinator should have no less than two (2) years sobriety and served no less than one (1) year of service past or present in the South Florida Area.
- 395 07/2010 An Alternate Chair be appointed as a member of the District 6 Archives, Corrections, CPC, Current Practice, Grapevine, Literature, Public Information, Special Needs, Treatment and Website Committees. The Alternate Chairperson to be elected as per requirements set by resolution for Standing District Committee Chairpersons and be defrayed at the rate set by resolution for attending Area 15 Quarterly Assemblies in the absence of the Committee Chairperson, unless otherwise defrayed.
- 476 02/2013 DCMs and ACMs are to be elected at the Monthly Business Meeting by the eligible voting members in attendance.

1.2 Qualifications

- 321 02/2004 The qualifications for District Officers be revised to having a minimum of 2 years of continuous sobriety, and served as a past or present DCM in the South Florida Area.
- 330 10/2004 DCMs from each county shall select one of the newly elected DCMs as the county DCM Coordinator. The county DCM Coordinator should have no less than two (2) years sobriety and served no less than one (1) year of service past or present in the South Florida Area.
- 358 03/2007 To decide on an individual basis to waive requirements for DCM.
- 509 11/2013 Qualifications for District Committee Member (DCM) in District 6 shall be two (2) years of continuous sobriety and one (1) year, past or present as a General Service Representative (GSR) in any of our ninety-three (93) Areas within the United States and Canada. Nominees must be full time Florida residents, living within District 6, and must attend meetings in the county in which they stand for DCM.
- 517 02/2014 Qualifications for Standing Committee Chairs in District 6 shall be two (2) years of continuous sobriety and one (1) year as a past or present General Service Representative (GSR) in any of our ninety three (93) Areas within the United States and Canada. Nominees must be full time Florida residents, living within District 6.

1.3 Policy

- 125 06/1985 To have full names written on the minutes for identification purposes.
- 169 03/1989 In the event of a DCM or Committee Chairman (or their Alternates) missing two meetings in a row the [Registrar] ~~Corresponding Secretary~~ will contact such person(s) to inquire their intent and report the findings back to the district, and any action will be taken by the District at that time.
- 209 12/1991 To make all of District 6 self-supporting events non-smoking.
- 232 10/1993 To leave the format of the minutes up to the recording secretary. The minutes are not automatically mailed and only those who signed up will receive minutes prior to the meeting.

- 294 06/2001 For the New GSR Orientation and Guideline Packet reviewed by an Ad Hoc Committee be accepted as a service tool for District 6 General Service Representatives.
- 295 08/2001 For the revised District 6 general guidelines pamphlet, reviewed by an ad-hoc committee, be accepted as a service tool for all those involved with service at the District level.
- 312 08/2003 District 6 adopt the sub-district system of reporting and recording groups and the DCMs assigned to them, so we will be in alignment with the South Florida Area and the General Service Office.
- 330 10/2004 DCMs from each county shall select one of the newly elected DCMs as the county DCM Coordinator. The county DCM Coordinator should have no less than two (2) years sobriety and served no less than one (1) year of service past or present in the South Florida Area.
- 360 05/2007 That we utilize separate area at the District 6 meeting for the display of NON-AA sobriety-related flyers. This area will be separate from the AA announcements and clearly marked.
- 372 05/2008 That each DCM bring DCM introduction forms with his or her name and sub district represented to every District meeting. The purpose of this is to give said form and introduce him/herself as the DCM to any and all newly elected GSRs. This will automatically begin a dialog between the DCM and GSR so there will be no question as to who the representatives are.
- 392 05/2010 District 6 incorporate as a not for profit in the state of Florida under the name GSR District 6. Total cost not to exceed \$200 dollars.
- 433 05/2011 To accept District 6 bylaws as written.
- 450 10/2011 To provide email addresses for the District 6 Officers, Committee Chairs and Alternate Committee Chairs.
- 462 07/2012 That we update our Bylaws to include the following: Our election Procedures/Qualifications and the Third Legacy Procedure.
- 476 02/2013 DCMs and ACMs are to be elected at the Monthly Business Meeting by the eligible voting members in attendance.
- 477 02/2013 All motions that affect the way District 6 conducts its business require a substantial unanimity of 2/3 in order to pass. Only motions that do not become Current Practice can be decided with a simple majority of 50% plus one.
- 484 05/2013 That District 6 adds Indian River State College as a named insured on our Liability Insurance coverage for our monthly business meetings. Proof of insurance has been provided to IRSC and the standard monthly room rent fee in lieu of coverage has been waived since January 2011.
- 492 05/2013 To require a "General Speaker Waiver" to be signed by all District 6 Event speakers who are audiotaped. A copy of the form, completed and signed, should be given to the Speaker; a copy should be given to the audiotaping company; and a copy is to be given to the District 6 Archives Chair for the Archives file.
- 519 03/2014 That the Current Practice Committee furnish an updated copy of the Book of Current Practice to the Website Committee for online publication every six months. Those Officers, Standing Committee Chairpersons & DCMs who prefer a paper copy of the most current version, may request one in January of each year, to be distributed at the February District Meeting.
- 527 08/2014 That District 6 purchase and maintain general liability insurance to cover all annual events and our monthly business meeting.
- 535 12/2014 All motions involving unbudgeted funds must appear on the Agenda prior to a vote by the body.
- 566 10/2016 That when committee chairs give their reports, a time-limited change from 3 minutes to 4 minutes be allowed.
- 569 01/2017 This motion will be to have District 6 defray one nights lodging for any district 6 member "hosting quarterly committee chairs" that are not otherwise defrayed. The cost will not exceed the quarterly room rate for those not otherwise defrayed at each quarterly.

582 05/2018 Remove from Current Practice, (Procedure 3.4, item 176) which states: All District GSR's be assigned a Service Committee by draw of the hat, except those GSR's who are already on a committee of their choice. This does not preclude the GSR's from volunteering for a specific committee.

2 FINANCES

2.1 District Policy

113 04/1983 To underwrite the Delegates expense to our meeting.

164 01/1989 Not to give cash for any raffles conducted in the future at any of the District functions-against AA guidelines, that all monies collected are considered donation for a non-profit organization and self-support.

185 07/1989 To pass the basket to support the District be done beginning with this meeting and at every meeting hereafter.

A03 07/1990 To change our social activities from Fund Raisers to Self-Support Functions. (Affirmed by #538 12/2014)

229 04/1993 District 6 adopt a policy to allow the treasurer to open an account using three signatures but that only one be required to sign any checks.

230 10/1993 To give \$25.00 four times a year at each quarterly to District 16 for books and literature for the Bahamas.

233 11/1993 To have the Treasurer's report separate the Special Events so that the body will be more informed as to how these events have done.

234 11/1993 DCMs who miss two consecutive District Meetings without legitimate excuse and then attend the Area Quarterly will not be reimbursed for their expenses. Amended to include Chairpersons and Officers.

417 01/2011 That all Agenda motions and all motions from the floor, out of committee or by an officer, include the monetary figures when an expense item is involved.

511 12/2013 District 6 purchase a Sam's Club membership in the name of District 6 Events Committee to be renewed every year in January, with the event chair as the signer.

534 11/2014 To maintain a storage unit for the District Archives separate from Grapevine and Events Committees, to ensure the safety of our irreplaceable history. Cost for both units not to exceed \$1400 per year total.

548 10/2015 That District 6 is to take advantage of Tax Exempt status whenever it can as long as it complies with the governing laws. This is to include Area 15 quarterly hotels.

551 12/2015 Invoices and/or itemized receipts for all District 6 expenditures at to be provided to both treasurers (District 6 and Events) in a prompt and timely manner. This includes everything from cash purchases for food and supplies hotel rooms, etc. A credit card receipt is not sufficient. It must be presented with an invoice and/or itemized receipt to show what the expenditure was for.

554 01/2016 To have District 6 purchase a computer, not to exceed \$400, for the registrar to use during the term. This computer would be owned by the district and return to the district at the end of each term.

565 10/2016 To rescind motion #555 which was passed at the April 12, 2016 district business meeting. The motion reads "district 6, area 15, South Florida, provide some financial support for, two (2) females, and to (2) males as a general service representative or potential general service representative, for two (2) nights at each area 15 quarterly. The amount per quarterly not to exceed \$600.00.

2.2 District & Committee Officers

202 08/1991 Receipts will not be required from participants who attend quarterlies. They will need to sign a form

only and they will not be reimbursed for food.

- 234 11/1993 DCMs who miss two consecutive District Meetings without legitimate excuse and then attend the Area Quarterly will not be reimbursed for their expenses. Amended to include Chairpersons and Officers.
- 395 07/2010 An Alternate Chair be appointed as a member of the District 6 Archives, Corrections, CPC, Current Practice, Grapevine, Literature, Public Information, Special Needs, Treatment and Website Committees. The Alternate Chairperson to be elected as per requirements set by resolution for Standing District Committee Chairpersons and be defrayed at the rate set by resolution for attending Area 15 Quarterly Assemblies in the absence of the Committee Chairperson, unless otherwise defrayed.
- 493 05/2013 The District reimburse all DCMs, or their Alternate DCMs in their stead, District Officers, and District Committee Chairpersons attending the Quarterly the IRS reimbursement rate on mileage (to and from once), to a maximum of the equivalent of one (1) night's lodging plus tax at the agreed Quarterly room rate. Limited only to those who did not stay overnight and did not receive one night's lodging reimbursement.
- 529 09/2014 To affirm that motions from 11/2005 [#342] and 5/2013 [#493] related to reimbursement for attendance at the Area Quarterly apply to all District Standing Committee Chairpersons, including the Finance Committee Chair.
- 561 05/2016 District 6 will not accept any waived requirements/qualifications for any of the district 6 officers, DCM's, ACM's, committee chairperson and alternate committee chairperson positions.
- 571 03/2017 This motion will be to have District 6 defray one nights lodging for any district 6 member "hosting quarterly committee chairs" that are not otherwise defrayed. The cost will not exceed the quarterly room rate for those not otherwise defrayed at each quarterly.
- 575 09/2017 District 6 Bridging the Gap Coordinator to be defrayed by the district for 1 night's lodging at all Area 15 quarterlies at the agreed Quarterly room rate.
- 587 09/2018 To increase the budget for the District 6 Treasurer by \$100.00 for 2018.
- 591 10/2018 To fund Alternate Chair to attend the 2018 National Corrections Conference and not to exceed \$581.00.
- 593 12/2018 The District reimburse all attending DCMs or their Alternate DCMs in their stead, District Officers and District Committee Chairpersons, or their Alternates in their stead, one (1) night's lodging plus tax at the agreed Quarterly room rate unless otherwise defrayed. Replaces motion 342 (11/2005).

2.3 Operating Account

- 383 12/2008 The District 6 Operating Account be set at 25% of annual budget and the prudent reserve be capped at \$3000. Any excess funds in the operating account above these caps be distributed at the treasure's recommendation of 50% to Area 15 and 50% to GSO.

2.4 Prudent Reserve

- 383 12/2008 The District 6 Operating Account be set at 25% of annual budget and the prudent reserve be capped at \$3000. Any excess funds in the Operating Account above these caps be distributed at the treasure's recommendation of 50% to Area 15 and 50% to GSO.

2.5 Budget

- 230 10/1993 To give \$25.00 four times a year at each quarterly to District 16 for books and literature for the Bahamas.
- 500 09/2013 That all officers and committee chairpersons present their budget request to the treasurer at the October business meeting. The Treasurer, would present a proposed budget at the November business meeting, based on the requests. The proposed budget would be taken back to the groups. The district

body would vote to approve or disapprove the budget at the December business meeting. Therefore, the District 6 budget would go into effect January 1st of the upcoming year.

- 587 09/2018 To increase the budget for the District 6 Treasurer by \$100.00 for 2018.
- 589 09/2018 The literature committee is requesting a one time increase in the budget for 2018 of \$200.00.
- 590 09/2018 The Grapevine committee is requesting a one time increase in the budget for 2018 of \$100.00.
- 591 10/2018 To fund Alternate Chair to attend the 2018 National Corrections Conference and not to exceed \$581.00.

3 DISTRICT COMMITTEE BUSINESS MEETINGS

3.1 Where Indian River State College, 3209 Virginia Ave., Ft. Pierce
(Building/Room Assignment Varies)

3.2 When 2nd Tuesday of the month

- 99 06/1982 To hold the monthly meetings on the second Tuesday of every month due to conflict with the church on Wednesdays.
- 179 06/1989 To hold the district meeting at Indian River Community College on the second Tuesday of every month (2013 now Indian River State College)

3.3 Time 6:30 p.m. See Motion # 547 5/2015

3.4 Procedure

- 169 03/1989 In the event of a DCM or Committee Chairman (or their Alternates) missing two meetings in a row the [Registrar] ~~Corresponding Secretary~~ will contact such person(s) to inquire their intent and report the findings back to the district, and any action will be taken by the District at that time.
- 206 10/1991 That all GSRs and Alternate GSRs be taken out of the meeting during roll call for an orientation session and to fill out forms. [Chairperson] will appoint a DCM or Committee Chairperson each month to do this orientation.
- 228 03/1993 That all three established Intergroups, Indian River and Martin and St. Lucie County elect a liaison to give a report at the monthly district meeting.
- 241 04/1994 In the event of a District Officer missing two consecutive District meetings, the [Registrar] ~~Corresponding Secretary~~ or Alternate Chairperson will inquire as to their intent with respect to continuing service and to report back to District 6 for action. This was done to maintain a standard of attendance for District 6 Officers.
- 372 05/2008 That each DCM bring DCM introduction forms with his or her name and sub district represented to every District meeting. The purpose of this is to give said form and introduce him/herself as the DCM to any and all newly elected GSRs. This will automatically begin a dialog between the DCM and GSR so there will be no question as to who the representatives are.
- 473 01/2013 That all motions be handed to the Recording Secretary during the Business Meeting immediately after the final vote on the motion.
- 512 01/2014 The GSR orientation shall be presented by any DCM or District 6 committee chairperson, while still utilizing the present county rotating schedule.
- 528 09/2014 All motions must be received in writing by the district chair (1) week after the last business meeting. This does not preclude time sensitive motions coming out of committee. The author of any motion submitted must be present at the business meeting to officially present the motion to the body. If the author is not present the motion is to be considered withdrawn. All motions except those coming out of committee must be seconded.

581 05/2018 In between roll call and the Chairpersons remarks, we introduce only the new GSR's, new Alternate GSR's and new guest.

586 07/2018 Our District business meeting will start promptly at 6:30pm with the serenity prayer from the current Chairperson. The GSR/DCM sharing will be conducted by the current Alternate Chairperson from 6:35pm to 7:00pm. The GSR/DCM sharing will start with the traditions checklist. The Alternate Chairperson will then ask for topics or plan appropriate discussions. Roll Call and New GSR Orientation will immediately follow GSR/DCM sharing. This will replace motion #317 (11/2003).

3.5 Voting

475 02/2013 Clarify "Who Votes" on motions and elections within District 6 as follows: All Officers on the dais with the exception of the Chairperson, all Standing Committee Chairpersons and Standing Committee Alternate Chairperson, if chairperson absent, all DCMs (District Committee Members) or ACMs (Alternate Committee Members) in their stead if DCM is absent and all GSRs (General Service Representatives) or AGSRs (Alternate General Service Representatives) in their stead if GSR is absent may vote at District 6 Business Meetings.

477 02/2013 All motions that affect the way District 6 conducts its business require a substantial unanimity of 2/3 in order to pass. Only motions that do not affect Current Practice can be decided with a simple majority of 50% plus one.

577 12/2017 Replacement motion for #475-2/2013.
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3.6 Agenda

127 02/1986 Establish a GSR Sharing session prior to the committee reports and add to the agenda.

206 10/1991 That all GSRs and Alternate GSRs be taken out of the meeting during roll call for an orientation session and to fill out forms. [Chairperson] will appoint a DCM or Committee Chairperson each month to do this orientation.

528 09/2014 All motions must be received in writing by the district chair (1) week after the last business meeting. This does not preclude time sensitive motions coming out of committee. The author of any motion submitted must be present at the business meeting to officially present the motion to the body. If the author is not present the motion is to be considered withdrawn. All motions except those coming out of committee must be seconded.

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586 07/2018 Our District business meeting will start promptly at 6:30pm with the serenity prayer from the Current Chairperson. The GSR/DCM sharing will be conducted by the current Alternate Chairperson from 6:35pm to 7:00pm. The GSR/DCM sharing will start with the traditions Checklist. The Alternate Chairperson will then ask for topics or plan appropriate discussions. Roll Call and New GSR Orientation will immediately follow GSR/DCM sharing. This will replace motion #317 (11/2003).

3.7 Policy

- 141 01/1988 To read "A Declaration of Unity" at each meeting.
- 180 06/1989 Anything presented from the floor will be limited to 3 minutes. Each person be limited to (on any subject) 1 minute presentation and 1 minute rebuttal.
- 185 07/1989 To pass the basket to support the District be done beginning with this meeting and at every meeting hereafter.
- 216 06/1992 All DCM's to notify their appropriate GSRs by phone one week prior to the monthly district meeting.
- 359 05/2007 We utilize a separate area at the District 6 meeting for the display of non-AA sobriety related flyers. This area will be separate from the AA announcements and clearly marked.
- 399 08/2010 Only the District officers be allowed to excuse officers, DCMs, ACMs and Committee Chairs not attending the District Business Meeting.
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- 566 10/2016 That when committee chairs give their reports, a time-limited change from 3 minutes to 4 minutes be allowed.

4 DISTRICT COMMITTEE – OFFICERS**4.1 Chairperson**

- 155 11/1988 To elect a Chairman and Co-Chairman for District 6 for a two year term.
- 305 08/2002 To have two notebooks containing the information for a successful quarterly, one copy to remain in the possession of the District Chairperson and one copy to be kept in the Archives locker.
- 321 02/2004 Qualifications for District Officers be revised to having a minimum of two (2) years of continuous sobriety and served at least one (1) year as a past or present DCM in the South Florida Area.
- 399 08/2010 Only the District officers be allowed to excuse officers, DCMs, ACMs and Committee Chairs not attending the District Business Meeting.
- 474 01/2013 That all South Florida Area 15 voting members of District 6 are to be present in the meeting room at the Sunday morning Area Assemblies/Quarterly Business Meetings by 8:45AM in order to be included in the formal head count. It is the responsibility of all voting members to make their presence known to the District 6 Alternate Chair.
- 528 09/2014 All motions must be received in writing by the district chair (1) week after the last business meeting. This does not preclude time sensitive motions coming out of committee. The author of any motion submitted must be present at the business meeting to officially present the motion to the body. If the author is not present the motion is to be considered withdrawn. All motions except those coming out of committee must be seconded.
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- 566 10/2016 That when committee chairs give their reports, a time-limited change from 3 minutes to 4 minutes be allowed.
- 571 03/2017 To form a new standing District 6 Committee to be called the "Room and Ride Committee". The chairperson of this committee to be appointed by the current District Chairperson. Three additional members to be selected by this committee Chairperson, one from each of the three remaining counties (the selected chairperson represents the fourth county). The chairperson of this committee will be

defrayed in the same manner as all our officers and committee chairpersons, in District 6 for area quarterlies.

- 581 05/2018 In between roll call and the Chairpersons remarks, we introduce only the new GSR's, new Alternate GSR's and new guest.
- 585 07/2018 The District 6 Treasurer will be responsible for maintaining three signatures on all of our current financial accounts. The three signatures needed will be the current Treasurer, the current Chairperson, and the current Alternate Chairperson. Only one of the three individuals will need to sign any checks written. This will replace motion #229.
- 586 07/2018 Our District business meeting will start promptly at 6:30pm with the serenity prayer from the current Chairperson. The GSR/DCM sharing will be conducted by the current Alternate Chairperson from 6:35pm to 7:00pm. The GSR/DCM sharing will start with the traditions checklist. The Alternate Chairperson will then ask for topics or plan appropriate discussions. Roll Call and New GSR Orientation will immediately follow GSR/DCM sharing. This will replace motion #317 (11/2003).
- 594 12/2018 That all District 6 trusted servants refrain from standing on election day for the same position unless they are fulfilling an unexpired term. However, after the election day is over, they may stand for the same position if they so desire at any time when requests are done to fulfill empty positions.

4.2 Alternate Chairperson

- 155 11/1988 To elect a Chairman and Co-Chairman for District 6 for a two year term.
- 161 12/1988 To have the Co-Chairperson title renamed to Alternate Chairman.
- 241 04/1994 In the event of a District Officer missing two consecutive District meetings, the [Registrar] ~~Corresponding Secretary~~ or Alternate Chairperson will inquire as to their intent with respect to continuing service and to report back to District 6 for action. This was done to maintain a standard of attendance for District 6 Officers.
- 293 06/2001 To have the Alternate District Chairperson make an announcement to suggest new GSRs use a Service Sponsor.
- 318 11/2003 The Alternate Chairperson shall serve as the DCM Coordinator of the District.
- 321 02/2004 Qualifications for District Officers be revised to having a minimum of two (2) years of continuous sobriety and served at least one (1) year as a past or present DCM in the South Florida Area.
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- 566 10/2016 That when committee chairs give their reports, a time-limited change from 3 minutes to 4 minutes be allowed.
- 567 11/2016 When there is a vacant position for chairperson of any committee and there is no committee report, the district alternate chairperson will read the "scope" of the committee found in the district 6 "legacy of service" in place of the report and also included in the minutes of the meeting.
- 585 07/2018 The District 6 Treasurer will be responsible for maintaining three signatures on all of our current financial accounts. The three signatures needed will be the current Treasurer, the current Chairperson, and the current Alternate Chairperson. Only one of the three individuals will need to sign any checks written. This will replace motion #229.

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4.3 Treasurer

- 156 11/1988 To separate the Secretary/Treasurer position into the three service offices as was already suggested.
- 185 07/1989 To pass the basket to support the District be done beginning with this meeting and at every meeting hereafter.
- 229 04/1993 District 6 adopt a policy to allow the treasurer to open an account using three signatures but that only one be required to sign any checks.
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- 399 08/2010 Only the District officers be allowed to excuse officers, DCMs, ACMs and Committee Chairs not attending the District Business Meeting.
- 489 05/2013 In addition to checking account balances and transactions, the monthly Treasurer's Report must include (1) all group contributions by county for participating groups both monthly and year to date; (2) a quarterly comparison report by line item showing actual vs. budgeted income and expense figures and their corresponding percentages; and (3) a list of all checks written during the month sorted by ascending check number order.
- 490 05/2013 To have 7 years of Treasurer's Reports and reconciled checking account statements for GSR District 6, Inc., GSR District 6, Inc. – Events and GSR District 6, Inc. – Savings (Prudent Reserves) separately filed and safely stored in care of the Archives committee, beginning with Panel 63, January 2013. When 7 years is reached in 2020, the oldest year can be eliminated.
- 495 07/2013 To establish a Finance Committee composed of the following persons, A. Finance Chairperson, appointed by the District 6 Chairperson, B. Two (2) additional members with some financial background, appointed by the Finance Committee Chairperson, C. District Treasurer, as a non-voting member, D. Events Treasurer, as a non-voting member. Appointed members of the committee will provide their qualifications for approval of the body. This non-funded committee will be responsible to conduct a quarterly review of all District checking accounts and finances, and for providing required record-keeping documents.
- 500 09/2013 That all officers and committee chairpersons present their budget request to the treasurer at the October business meeting. The Treasurer would present a proposed budget at the November business meeting, based on the requests. The proposed budget would be taken back to the groups. The district body would vote to approve or disapprove the budget at the December business meeting. Therefore, the District 6 budget would go into effect January 1st of the upcoming year.

- 548 10/2015 That District 6 is to take advantage of Tax Exempt status whenever it can as long as it complies with the governing laws. This is to include Area 15 quarterly hotels.
- 551 12/2015 Invoices and/or itemized receipts for all District 6 expenditures at to be provided to both treasurers (District 6 and Events) in a prompt and timely manner. This includes everything from cash purchases for food and supplies hotel rooms, etc. A credit card receipt is not sufficient. It must be presented with an invoice and/or itemized receipt to show what the expenditure was for.
- 554 1/2016 To have District 6 purchase a computer, not to exceed \$400, for the registrar to use during the term. This computer would be owned by the district and return to the district at the end of each term.
- 556 04/2016 That the stipend for the events committee bank account (GSR District 6 Inc., events committee) be increased from its current \$2000.00-\$3500.00.
- 561 05/2016 District 6 will not accept any waived requirements/qualifications for any of the district 6 officers, DCM's, ACM's, committee chairperson and alternate committee chairperson positions.
- 565 10/2016 To rescind motion #555 which was passed at the April 12, 2016 district business meeting. The motion reads "district 6, area 15, South Florida, provide some financial support for, two (2) females, and to (2) males as a general service representative or potential general service representative, for two (2) nights at each area 15 quarterly. The amount per quarterly not to exceed \$600.00.
- 566 10/2016 That when committee chairs give their reports, a time-limited change from 3 minutes to 4 minutes be allowed.
- 569 01/2017 This motion will be to have District 6 defray one nights lodging for any district 6 member "hosting quarterly committee chairs" that are not otherwise defrayed. The cost will not exceed the quarterly room rate for those not otherwise defrayed at each quarterly.
- 571 03/2017 To form a new standing District 6 Committee to be called the "Room and Ride Committee". The chairperson of this committee to be appointed by the current District Chairperson. Three additional members to be selected by this committee Chairperson, one from each of the three remaining counties (the selected chairperson represents the fourth county). The chairperson of this committee will be defrayed in the same manner as all our officers and committee chairpersons, in District 6 for area quarterlies.
- 575 09/2017 District 6 Bridging the Gap Coordinator to be defrayed by the district for 1 night's lodging at all Area 15 quarterlies at the agreed Quarterly room rate.
- 585 07/2018 The District 6 Treasurer will be responsible for maintaining three signatures on all of our current financial accounts. The three signatures needed will be the current Treasurer, the current Chairperson, and the current Alternate Chairperson. Only one of the three individuals will need to sign any checks written. This will replace motion #229.
- 587 09/2018 To increase the budget for the District 6 Treasurer by \$100.00 for 2018.
- 591 10/2018 To fund Alternate Chair to attend the 2018 National Corrections Conference and not to exceed \$581.00.
- 594 12/2018 That all District 6 trusted servants refrain from standing on election day for the same position unless they are fulfilling an unexpired term. However, after the election day is over, they may stand for the same position if they so desire at any time when requests are done to fulfill empty positions.

4.4 Registrar

- 156 11/1988 To separate the Secretary/Treasurer position into the three service offices as was already suggested.
- 169 03/1989 In the event of a DCM or Committee Chairman (or their Alternates) missing two meetings in a row the [Registrar] ~~Corresponding Secretary~~ will contact such person(s) to inquire their intent and report the findings back to the district, and any action will be taken by the District at that time.
- 241 04/1994 In the event of a District Officer missing two consecutive District meetings, the [Registrar] ~~Corresponding Secretary~~ or Alternate Chairperson will inquire as to their intent with respect to

continuing service and to report back to District 6 for action. This was done to maintain a standard of attendance for District 6 Officers.

- 321 02/2004 Qualifications for District Officers be revised to having a minimum of two (2) years of continuous sobriety and served at least one (1) year as a past or present DCM in the South Florida Area.
- 322 04/2004 For the purpose of consistency with the South Florida Area and GSO, District 6 changes the name of Corresponding Secretary to Registrar.
- 367 03/2008 That the District Registrar provide a Contact List of all officers, Standing Committee Chairpersons, DCMs and ACMs with email addresses and telephone numbers to the Recording Secretary for inclusion in our monthly minutes.
- 399 08/2010 Only the District officers be allowed to excuse officers, DCMs, ACMs and Committee Chairs not attending the District Business Meeting.
- 554 01/2016 To have District 6 purchase a computer, not to exceed \$400, for the registrar to use during the term. This computer would be owned by the district and return to the district at the end of each term.
- 561 05/2016 District 6 will not accept any waived requirements/qualifications for any of the district 6 officers, DCM's, ACM's, committee chairperson and alternate committee chairperson positions.
- 566 10/2016 That when committee chairs give their reports, a time-limited change from 3 minutes to 4 minutes be allowed.
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4.5 Recording Secretary

- 125 06/1985 To have full names written on the minutes for identification purposes.
- 156 11/1988 To separate the Secretary/Treasurer position into the three service offices as was already suggested.
- 232 10/1993 To leave the format of the minutes up to the recording secretary. The minutes are not automatically mailed and only those who signed up will receive minutes prior to the meeting.
- 241 04/1994 In the event of a District Officer missing two consecutive District meetings, the [Registrar] ~~Corresponding Secretary~~ or Alternate Chairperson will inquire as to their intent with respect to continuing service and to report back to District 6 for action. This was done to maintain a standard of attendance for District 6 Officers.
- 321 02/2004 Qualifications for District Officers be revised to having a minimum of two (2) years of continuous sobriety and served at least one (1) year as a past or present DCM in the South Florida Area.
- 367 03/2008 That the District Registrar provide a Contact List of all Officers, Standing Committee Chairpersons, DCMs and ACMs with email addresses and telephone numbers to the Recording Secretary for inclusion in our monthly minutes.
- 399 08/2010 Only the District officers be allowed to excuse officers, DCMs, ACMs and Committee Chairs not attending the District Business Meeting.
- 473 01/2013 That all motions be handed to the Recording Secretary during the Business Meeting immediately after the final vote on the motion.
- 506 10/2013 In the spirit of cooperation, I move that in addition to District 6 business, the District Secretary include event flyers from all 3 Central Offices and Inter Groups.
- 545 02/2015 The recording secretary to prepare the district minutes in a standard format that will include full names (motion #25 – 6/85), flyers from all district events in Central Office/Inter Groups (motion #506 – 10/2013). Standard format will follow the current agenda except for the following changes.
1. The old and new business will follow the liaisons reports.

2. The district financials with a contribution list and a contact list (motion # 367 – 3/2008) will follow new business.
3. District events flyers and Central Office/Inter group flyers will follow the financials.
4. District 6 agenda and motions for the upcoming business meeting will be the final item and will follow flyers.

- 549 10/2015 To "scrub" (by using the first name with the first letter only of the last name) in the emailed minutes. The printed, mailed minutes would continue to have full names (first and last).
- 561 05/2016 District 6 will not accept any waived requirements/qualifications for any of the district 6 officers, DCM's, ACM's, committee chairperson and alternate committee chairperson positions.
- 566 10/2016 That when committee chairs give their reports, a time-limited change from 3 minutes to 4 minutes be allowed.
- 567 11/2016 When there is a vacant position for chairperson of any committee and there is no committee report, the district alternate chairperson will read the "scope" of the committee found in the district 6 "legacy of service" in place of the report and also included in the minutes of the meeting.
- 594 12/2018 That all District 6 trusted servants refrain from standing on election day for the same position unless they are fulfilling an unexpired term. However, after the election day is over, they may stand for the same position if they so desire at any time when requests are done to fulfill empty positions.

5 DISTRICT STANDING COMMITTEES

5.1 Archives

- 169 03/1989 In the event of a DCM or Committee Chairman (or their Alternates) missing two meetings in a row the [Registrar] ~~Corresponding Secretary~~ will contact such person(s) to inquire their intent and report the findings back to the district, and any action will be taken by the District at that time.
- 242 04/1994 The Archives committee organize and put on Ice Cream Social including the collection and dispersal of funds. This will be an annual event organized by the Archives Committee.
- 299 12/2001 To close the District 6 Archives Checking Account on December 31, 2001. The Archives Committee be funded by the District 6 General budget. The Committee Chairperson has discretion as to the use of the funds, provided they are for approved committee purposes and accounted for at the monthly District meeting. That the committee be funded \$600.00 for the year 2002-citing the general guidelines of the General Service Office that the funding for the Archives Committee be part and parcel of the District's General fund.
- 305 08/2002 To have two notebooks containing the information for a successful quarterly, one copy to remain in the possession of the District Chairperson and one copy to be kept in the Archives locker.
- 306 08/2002 That the Current Archives Chairperson obtains a clean copy of the Minutes ~~for the purpose of keeping the Resolution Book current with all motions and suggestions.~~ [5/2008 #371] The archives Committee will be responsible for putting such material in plastic Sleeves and in a notebook.
- 336 06/2005 To discontinue moving archival materials between the various Intergroup Offices.
- 395 07/2010 An Alternate Chair be appointed as a member of the District 6 Archives, Corrections, CPC, Current Practice, Grapevine, Literature, Public Information, Special Needs, Treatment and Website Committees. The Alternate Chairperson to be elected as per requirements set by resolution for Standing District Committee Chairpersons and be defrayed at the rate set by resolution for attending Area 15 Quarterly Assemblies in the absence of the Committee Chairperson, unless otherwise defrayed.
- 399 08/2010 Only the District officers be allowed to excuse officers, DCMs, ACMs and Committee Chairs not attending the District Business Meeting.
- 490 05/2013 To have 7 years of Treasurer's Reports and reconciled checking account statements for GSR District 6, Inc., GSR District 6, Inc. – Events and GSR District 6, Inc. – Savings (Prudent Reserves) separately

- filed and safely stored in care of the Archives committee, beginning with Panel 63, January 2013. When 7 years is reached in 2020, the oldest year can be eliminated.
- 492 05/2013 To require a "General Speaker Waiver" to be signed by all District 6 Event speakers who are audiotaped. A copy of the form, completed and signed, should be given to the Speaker; a copy should be given to the audiotaping company; and a copy is to be given to the District 6 Archives Chair for the Archives file.
- 512 01/2014 The GSR orientation shall be presented by any DCM or District 6 committee chairperson, while still utilizing the present county rotating schedule.
- 516 02/2014 To change the Ice Cream Social to Founders Day Lunch and Ice Cream Social to be held as early in June as possible.
- 517 02/2014 Qualifications for Standing Committee Chairs in District 6 shall be two (2) years of continuous sobriety and one (1) year as a past or present General Service Representative (GSR) in any of our ninety three (93) Areas within the United States and Canada. Nominees must be full time Florida residents, living within District 6.
- 534 11/2014 To maintain a storage unit for the District Archives separate from Grapevine and Events Committees, to ensure the safety of our irreplaceable history. Cost for both units not to exceed \$1400 per year total.
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- 566 10/2016 That when committee chairs give their reports, a time-limited change from 3 minutes to 4 minutes be allowed.
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5.2 Corrections

- 169 03/1989 In the event of a DCM or Committee Chairman (or their Alternates) missing two meetings in a row the [Registrar] ~~Corresponding Secretary~~ will contact such person(s) to inquire their intent and report the findings back to the district, and any action will be taken by the District at that time.
- 395 07/2010 An Alternate Chair be appointed as a member of the District 6 Archives, Corrections, CPC, Current Practice, Grapevine, Literature, Public Information, Special Needs, Treatment and Website Committees. The Alternate Chairperson to be elected as per requirements set by resolution for Standing District Committee Chairpersons and be defrayed at the rate set by resolution for attending Area 15 Quarterly Assemblies in the absence of the Committee Chairperson, unless otherwise defrayed.
- 399 08/2010 Only the District officers be allowed to excuse officers, DCMs, ACMs and Committee Chairs not attending the District Business Meeting.
- 435 08/2011 The District 6 Events Committee add as an additional event the Bowling for Big Books event to be chaired by the District 6 Corrections Committee Chair in the month of February or March. Event to have volunteer committee chairs necessary as determined by the Corrections Committee Chair (treasurer, food, decorations, tickets, etc). All proceeds after expenses to be used to purchase AA Conference approved literature requested and distributed by the Corrections Committee. Any funds remaining after purchase of literature to be transferred to the District 6 General Fund by the Events Committee Treasurer.
- 512 01/2014 The GSR orientation shall be presented by any DCM or District 6 committee chairperson, while still

utilizing the present county rotating schedule.

- 517 02/2014 Qualifications for Standing Committee Chairs in District 6 shall be two (2) years of continuous sobriety and one (1) year as a past or present General Service Representative (GSR) in any of our ninety three (93) Areas within the United States and Canada. Nominees must be full time Florida residents, living within District 6.
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- 591 10/2018 To fund Alternate Chair to attend the 2018 National Corrections Conference and not to exceed \$581.00.
- 594 12/2018 That all District 6 trusted servants refrain from standing on election day for the same position unless they are fulfilling an unexpired term. However, after the election day is over, they may stand for the same position if they so desire at any time when requests are done to fulfill empty positions.

5.3 Current Practice

- 169 03/1989 In the event of a DCM or Committee Chairman (or their Alternates) missing two meetings in a row the [Registrar] ~~Corresponding Secretary~~ will contact such person(s) to inquire their intent and report the findings back to the district, and any action will be taken by the District at that time.
- 371 05/2008 That District 6 creates a Current Practice Standing Committee. The function of this Committee is to establish and maintain a Book of Motions, a Book of Resolutions and keep the book of Legacy of Service and Current Practices correct and up to date. The Committee Chairperson to be ~~elected as per requirements set by Resolution for Standing District Committee Chairpersons [10/2010 #402]~~ and be defrayed for attending Area 15 Quarterly Assemblies at the defrayment rate set by resolution. The Committee will submit an annual budget for printing costs.
- 390 01/2010 Content for the District 6 website shall include and be limited to: ...
f) The Book of Current Practice and the Book of Motions for District 6
- 395 07/2010 An Alternate Chair be appointed as a member of the District 6 Archives, Corrections, CPC, Current Practice, Grapevine, Literature, Public Information, Special Needs, Treatment and Website Committees. The Alternate Chairperson to be elected as per requirements set by resolution for Standing District Committee Chairpersons and be defrayed at the rate set by resolution for attending Area 15 Quarterly Assemblies in the absence of the Committee Chairperson, unless otherwise defrayed.
- 399 08/2010 Only the District officers be allowed to excuse officers, DCMs, ACMs and Committee Chairs not attending the District Business Meeting.
- 402 10/2010 The Current Practice Chair position be filled with the immediate Past District 6 Chair, when willing and able; should the past District Chair not be available, then the position may be filled by anyone meeting the qualifications according to Current Practice, preferably when available and willing a past District 6 Chairperson.
- 512 01/2014 The GSR orientation shall be presented by any DCM or District 6 committee chairperson, while still utilizing the present county rotating schedule.
- 517 02/2014 Qualifications for Standing Committee Chairs in District 6 shall be two (2) years of continuous sobriety and one (1) year as a past or present General Service Representative (GSR) in any of our ninety three (93) Areas within the United States and Canada. Nominees must be full time Florida residents, living within District 6.

- 519 03/2014 That the Current Practice Committee furnish an updated copy of the Book of Current Practice to the Website Committee for online publication every six months. Those Officers, Standing Committee Chairpersons & DCMs who prefer a paper copy of the most current version, may request one in January of each year, to be distributed at the February District Meeting.
- 531 09/2014 To use the Legacy of Service document to update each committee web page on the district6aa.org website with the Composition, Scope and Procedure. Also post the full Legacy of Service document on the Current Practices web page.
- 561 05/2016 District 6 will not accept any waived requirements/qualifications for any of the district 6 officers, DCM's, ACM's, committee chairperson and alternate committee chairperson positions.
- 566 10/2016 That when committee chairs give their reports, a time-limited change from 3 minutes to 4 minutes be allowed.
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- 594 12/2018 That all District 6 trusted servants refrain from standing on election day for the same position unless they are fulfilling an unexpired term. However, after the election day is over, they may stand for the same position if they so desire at any time when requests are done to fulfill empty positions.

5.4 Events

- 27 12/1976 To ask the speakers at the Dinner Meetings to hold their story to an hour.
- 164 01/1989 To not give cash for any raffles conducted in the future at any of the District functions- against AA Guidelines, that all monies collected are considered donations for a non-profit organization and self-support.
- 165 01/1989 That only AA World Service (AAWS) material be used as raffle prizes at District functions.
- 169 03/1989 In the event of a DCM or Committee Chairman (or their Alternates) missing two meetings in a row the [Registrar] ~~Corresponding Secretary~~ will contact such person(s) to inquire their intent and report the findings back to the district, and any action will be taken by the District at that time.
- 209 12/1991 To make all of District 6 self-supporting events non-smoking.
- 233 11/1993 To have the Treasurer's report separate the Special Events so that the body will be more informed as to how these events have done.
- 242 04/1994 The Archives committee organize and put on Ice Cream Social including the collection and dispersal of funds. This will be an annual event organized by the Archives Committee.
- 399 08/2010 Only the District officers be allowed to excuse officers, DCMs, ACMs and Committee Chairs not attending the District Business Meeting.
- 435 08/2011 The District 6 Events Committee add as an additional event the Bowling for Big Books event to be chaired by the District 6 Corrections Committee Chair in the month of February or March. Event to have volunteer committee chairs necessary as determined by the Corrections Committee Chair (treasurer, food, decorations, tickets, etc). All proceeds after expenses to be used to purchase AA Conference approved literature requested and distributed by the Corrections Committee. Any funds remaining after purchase of literature to be transferred to the District 6 General Fund by the Events Committee Treasurer.
- 436 08/2011 The District 6 Events Committee add as additional events the Breakfast for Big Books events to be chaired by the District 6 Treatment Committee Chair in the months of March and November. Event to have volunteer committee chairs necessary as determined by the Treatment Committee Chair (Treasurer, Food, Decorations, Tickets, etc.) All proceeds after expenses to be used to purchase AA

Conference Approved literature requested and distributed by the Treatment Committee. Any funds remaining after purchase of literature to be transferred to the District 6 General Fund by the Events Committee Treasurer.

- 480 03/2013 To transfer all moneys over our [Events Committee] budget of 2,000.00 to the district account.
- 490 05/2013 To have 7 years of Treasurer's Reports and reconciled checking account statements for GSR District 6, Inc., GSR District 6, Inc. – Events and GSR District 6, Inc. – Savings (Prudent Reserves) separately filed and safely stored in care of the Archives committee, beginning with Panel 63, January 2013. When 7 years is reached in 2020, the oldest year can be eliminated.
- 492 05/2013 To require a “General Speaker Waiver” to be signed by all District 6 Event speakers who are audiotaped. A copy of the form, completed and signed, should be given to the Speaker; a copy should be given to the audiotaping company; and a copy is to be given to the District 6 Archives Chair for the Archives file.
- 511 12/2013 District 6 purchase a Sam’s Club membership in the name of District 6 Events Committee to be renewed every year in January, with the event chair as the signer.
- 512 01/2014 The GSR orientation shall be presented by any DCM or District 6 committee chairperson, while still utilizing the present county rotating schedule.
- 516 02/2014 To change the Ice Cream Social to Founders Day Lunch and Ice Cream Social to be held as early in June as possible.
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- 524 07/2014 District six sponsors six (6) self supporting events each year. Four District events, one per quarter per county. The Annual spaghetti Dinner in St. Lucie county between the January and April quarterly Area Assemblies; the Annual Founders Day Lunch and Ice Cream Social in Martin county between the April and July quarterly Area Assemblies as close to Founders Day as possible; the Annual Okeechobee Fish Fry in Okeechobee county between the July and October quarterly Area Assemblies; the Annual Gratitude Dinner in Indian River county between the October and January quarterly Area Assemblies, in November if at all possible. Self supporting events held by committees (Corrections, Treatment) will be run by said committees at their discretion taking care not to interfere with district events. All monies for these events will go through the events committee. Any money left after purchase of AA approved books and literature goes to the District general fund.
- 534 11/2014 To maintain a storage unit for the District Archives separate from Grapevine and Events Committees, to ensure the safety of our irreplaceable history. Cost for both units not to exceed \$1400 per year total.
- 551 12/2015 Invoices and/or itemized receipts for all District 6 expenditures at to be provided to both treasurers (District 6 and Events) in a prompt and timely manner. This includes everything from cash purchases for food and supplies hotel rooms, etc. A credit card receipt is not sufficient. It must be presented with an invoice and/or itemized receipt to show what the expenditure was for.
- 552 12/2015 That the events committee host an annual event to be called "Carry The Message Day". This will be a free event for anyone attending. The purpose is to promote and inform attendees about the services available to assist in "Carrying The Message" to the alcoholic who still suffers. Each standing committee or service entity will have the opportunity to participate in creating the program.
- 572 04/2017 That district 6 events committee purchase an additional Bunn Commercial 12 cup our-over coffee brewer not to exceed \$250.00. Respectfully submitted by Events Committee.
- 556 04/2016 That the stipend for the events committee bank account (GSR District 6 Inc., events committee) be increased from its current \$2000.00-\$3500.00.

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5.5 Finance

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- 399 08/2010 Only the District officers be allowed to excuse officers, DCMs, ACMs and Committee Chairs not attending the District Business Meeting.
- 495 07/2013 To establish a Finance Committee composed of the following persons, A. Finance Chairperson, appointed by the District 6 Chairperson, B. Two (2) additional members with some financial background, appointed by the Finance Committee Chairperson, C. District Treasurer, as a non-voting member, D. Events Treasurer, as a non-voting member. Appointed members of the committee will provide their qualifications for approval of the body. This non-funded committee will be responsible to conduct a quarterly review of all District checking accounts and finances, and for providing required record-keeping documents.
- 512 01/2014 The GSR orientation shall be presented by any DCM or District 6 committee chairperson, while still utilizing the present county rotating schedule.
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5.6 Grapevine

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- 567 11/2016 When there is a vacant position for chairperson of any committee and there is no committee report,

the district alternate chairperson will read the "scope" of the committee found in the district 6 "legacy of service" in place of the report and also included in the minutes of the meeting.

590 09/2018 The Grapevine committee is requesting a one time increase in the budget for 2018 of \$100.00.

594 12/2018 That all District 6 trusted servants refrain from standing on election day for the same position unless they are fulfilling an unexpired term. However, after the election day is over, they may stand for the same position if they so desire at any time when requests are done to fulfill empty positions.

5.7 Literature

169 03/1989 In the event of a DCM or Committee Chairman (or their Alternates) missing two meetings in a row the [Registrar] ~~Corresponding Secretary~~ will contact such person(s) to inquire their intent and report the findings back to the district, and any action will be taken by the District at that time.

395 07/2010 An Alternate Chair be appointed as a member of the District 6 Archives, Corrections, CPC, Current Practice, Grapevine, Literature, Public Information, Special Needs, Treatment and Website Committees. The Alternate Chairperson to be elected as per requirements set by resolution for Standing District Committee Chairpersons and be defrayed at the rate set by resolution for attending Area 15 Quarterly Assemblies in the absence of the Committee Chairperson, unless otherwise defrayed.

399 08/2010 Only the District officers be allowed to excuse officers, DCMs, ACMs and Committee Chairs not attending the District Business Meeting.

512 01/2014 The GSR orientation shall be presented by any DCM or District 6 committee chairperson, while still utilizing the present county rotating schedule.

517 02/2014 Qualifications for Standing Committee Chairs in District 6 shall be two (2) years of continuous sobriety and one (1) year as a past or present General Service Representative (GSR) in any of our ninety three (93) Areas within the United States and Canada. Nominees must be full time Florida residents, living within District 6.

561 05/2016 District 6 will not accept any waived requirements/qualifications for any of the district 6 officers, DCM's, ACM's, committee chairperson and alternate committee chairperson positions.

566 10/2016 That when committee chairs give their reports, a time-limited change from 3 minutes to 4 minutes be allowed.

567 11/2016 When there is a vacant position for chairperson of any committee and there is no committee report, the district alternate chairperson will read the "scope" of the committee found in the district 6 "legacy of service" in place of the report and also included in the minutes of the meeting.

589 09/2018 The literature committee is requesting a one time increase in the budget for 2018 of \$200.00.

594 12/2018 That all District 6 trusted servants refrain from standing on election day for the same position unless they are fulfilling an unexpired term. However, after the election day is over, they may stand for the same position if they so desire at any time when requests are done to fulfill empty positions.

5.8 Public Information/Cooperation with the Professional Community (PI/CPC)

169 03/1989 In the event of a DCM or Committee Chairman (or their Alternates) missing two meetings in a row the [Registrar] ~~Corresponding Secretary~~ will contact such person(s) to inquire their intent and report the findings back to the district, and any action will be taken by the District at that time.

395 07/2010 An Alternate Chair be appointed as a member of the District 6 Archives, Corrections, CPC, Current Practice, Grapevine, Literature, Public Information, Special Needs, Treatment and Website Committees. The Alternate Chairperson to be elected as per requirements set by resolution for Standing District Committee Chairpersons and be defrayed at the rate set by resolution for attending Area 15 Quarterly Assemblies in the absence of the Committee Chairperson, unless otherwise defrayed.

399 08/2010 Only the District officers be allowed to excuse officers, DCMs, ACMs and Committee Chairs not

- attending the District Business Meeting.
- 425 03/2011 That the Public Information and Cooperation with the Professional Community (CPC) committees be merged into a single PI/CPC committee.
- 512 01/2014 The GSR orientation shall be presented by any DCM or District 6 committee chairperson, while still utilizing the present county rotating schedule.
- 517 02/2014 Qualifications for Standing Committee Chairs in District 6 shall be two (2) years of continuous sobriety and one (1) year as a past or present General Service Representative (GSR) in any of our ninety three (93) Areas within the United States and Canada. Nominees must be full time Florida residents, living within District 6.
- 561 05/2016 District 6 will not accept any waived requirements/qualifications for any of the district 6 officers, DCM's, ACM's, committee chairperson and alternate committee chairperson positions.
- 566 10/2016 That when committee chairs give their reports, a time-limited change from 3 minutes to 4 minutes be allowed.
- 567 11/2016 When there is a vacant position for chairperson of any committee and there is no committee report, the district alternate chairperson will read the "scope" of the committee found in the district 6 "legacy of service" in place of the report and also included in the minutes of the meeting.
- 594 12/2018 That all District 6 trusted servants refrain from standing on election day for the same position unless they are fulfilling an unexpired term. However, after the election day is over, they may stand for the same position if they so desire at any time when requests are done to fulfill empty positions.

5.9 Remote Communities

- 169 03/1989 In the event of a DCM or Committee Chairman (or their Alternates) missing two meetings in a row the [Registrar] ~~Corresponding Secretary~~ will contact such person(s) to inquire their intent and report the findings back to the district, and any action will be taken by the District at that time.
- 399 08/2010 Only the District officers be allowed to excuse officers, DCMs, ACMs and Committee Chairs not attending the District Business Meeting.
- 467 11/2012 That District 6 establish a Remote Communities Standing Committee with a commitment to assist all of our members in carrying the message to remote communities within District 6. The Chairperson would be elected every two years and would assume all responsibilities of District 6 committee chairs, reporting at District 6 Business Meetings, and attending the Area 15 Quarterlies.
- 512 01/2014 The GSR orientation shall be presented by any DCM or District 6 committee chairperson, while still utilizing the present county rotating schedule.
- 517 02/2014 Qualifications for Standing Committee Chairs in District 6 shall be two (2) years of continuous sobriety and one (1) year as a past or present General Service Representative (GSR) in any of our ninety three (93) Areas within the United States and Canada. Nominees must be full time Florida residents, living within District 6.
- 561 05/2016 District 6 will not accept any waived requirements/qualifications for any of the district 6 officers, DCM's, ACM's, committee chairperson and alternate committee chairperson positions.
- 566 10/2016 That when committee chairs give their reports, a time-limited change from 3 minutes to 4 minutes be allowed.
- 567 11/2016 When there is a vacant position for chairperson of any committee and there is no committee report, the district alternate chairperson will read the "scope" of the committee found in the district 6 "legacy of service" in place of the report and also included in the minutes of the meeting.
- 594 12/2018 That all District 6 trusted servants refrain from standing on election day for the same position unless they are fulfilling an unexpired term. However, after the election day is over, they may stand for the same position if they so desire at any time when requests are done to fulfill empty positions.

5.10 Room and Ride

- 512 01/2014 The GSR orientation shall be presented by any DCM or District 6 committee chairperson, while still utilizing the present county rotating schedule.
- 517 02/2014 Qualifications for Standing Committee Chairs in District 6 shall be two (2) years of continuous sobriety and one (1) year as a past or present General Service Representative (GSR) in any of our ninety three (93) Areas within the United States and Canada. Nominees must be full time Florida residents, living within District 6.
- 561 05/2016 District 6 will not accept any waived requirements/qualifications for any of the district 6 officers, DCM's, ACM's, committee chairperson and alternate committee chairperson positions.
- 565 10/2016 To rescind motion #555 which was passed at the April 12, 2016 district business meeting. The motion reads "district 6, area 15, South Florida, provide some financial support for, two (2) females, and to (2) males as a general service representative or potential general service representative, for two (2) nights at each area 15 quarterly. The amount per quarterly not to exceed \$600.00.
- 566 10/2016 That when committee chairs give their reports, a time-limited change from 3 minutes to 4 minutes be allowed.
- 567 11/2016 When there is a vacant position for chairperson of any committee and there is no committee report, the district alternate chairperson will read the "scope" of the committee found in the district 6 "legacy of service" in place of the report and also included in the minutes of the meeting.
- 571 03/2017 To form a new standing District 6 Committee to be called the "Room and Ride Committee". The chairperson of this committee to be appointed by the current District Chairperson. Three additional members to be selected by this committee Chairperson, one from each of the three remaining counties (the selected chairperson represents the fourth county). The chairperson of this committee will be defrayed in the same manner as all our officers and committee chairpersons, in District 6 for area quarterlies.
- 594 12/2018 That all District 6 trusted servants refrain from standing on election day for the same position unless they are fulfilling an unexpired term. However, after the election day is over, they may stand for the same position if they so desire at any time when requests are done to fulfill empty positions.

5.11 Special Needs

- 169 03/1989 In the event of a DCM or Committee Chairman (or their Alternates) missing two meetings in a row the [Registrar] ~~Corresponding Secretary~~ will contact such person(s) to inquire their intent and report the findings back to the district, and any action will be taken by the District at that time.
- 395 07/2010 An Alternate Chair be appointed as a member of the District 6 Archives, Corrections, CPC, Current Practice, Grapevine, Literature, Public Information, Special Needs, Treatment and Website Committees. The Alternate Chairperson to be elected as per requirements set by resolution for Standing District Committee Chairpersons and be defrayed at the rate set by resolution for attending Area 15 Quarterly Assemblies in the absence of the Committee Chairperson, unless otherwise defrayed.
- 399 08/2010 Only the District officers be allowed to excuse officers, DCMs, ACMs and Committee Chairs not attending the District Business Meeting.
- 512 01/2014 The GSR orientation shall be presented by any DCM or District 6 committee chairperson, while still utilizing the present county rotating schedule.
- 517 02/2014 Qualifications for Standing Committee Chairs in District 6 shall be two (2) years of continuous sobriety and one (1) year as a past or present General Service Representative (GSR) in any of our ninety three (93) Areas within the United States and Canada. Nominees must be full time Florida residents, living within District 6.

- 561 05/2016 District 6 will not accept any waived requirements/qualifications for any of the district 6 officers, DCM's, ACM's, committee chairperson and alternate committee chairperson positions.
- 566 10/2016 That when committee chairs give their reports, a time-limited change from 3 minutes to 4 minutes be allowed.
- 567 11/2016 When there is a vacant position for chairperson of any committee and there is no committee report, the district alternate chairperson will read the "scope" of the committee found in the district 6 "legacy of service" in place of the report and also included in the minutes of the meeting.
- 594 12/2018 That all District 6 trusted servants refrain from standing on election day for the same position unless they are fulfilling an unexpired term. However, after the election day is over, they may stand for the same position if they so desire at any time when requests are done to fulfill empty positions.

5.12 Treatment

- 126 11/1985 To establish a separate institution committee to cover treatment centers and hospitals.
- 169 03/1989 In the event of a DCM or Committee Chairman (or their Alternates) missing two meetings in a row the [Registrar] ~~Corresponding Secretary~~ will contact such person(s) to inquire their intent and report the findings back to the district, and any action will be taken by the District at that time.
- 395 07/2010 An Alternate Chair be appointed as a member of the District 6 Archives, Corrections, CPC, Current Practice, Grapevine, Literature, Public Information, Special Needs, Treatment and Website Committees. The Alternate Chairperson to be elected as per requirements set by resolution for Standing District Committee Chairpersons and be defrayed at the rate set by resolution for attending Area 15 Quarterly Assemblies in the absence of the Committee Chairperson, unless otherwise defrayed.
- 399 08/2010 Only the District officers be allowed to excuse officers, DCMs, ACMs and Committee Chairs not attending the District Business Meeting.
- 436 08/2011 The District 6 Events Committee add as additional events, the Breakfast for Big Books events to be chaired by the District 6 Treatment Committee Chair in the months of February or March. Event to have volunteer committee chairs necessary as determined by the Treatment Committee chair (treasurer, food, decorations, tickets, etc). All proceeds after expenses to be used to purchase AA Conference approved literature requested and distributed by the Treatment Committee. Any funds remaining after purchase of literature to be transferred to the District 6 General Fund by the Events Committee Treasurer.
- 512 01/2014 The GSR orientation shall be presented by any DCM or District 6 committee chairperson, while still utilizing the present county rotating schedule.
- 517 02/2014 Qualifications for Standing Committee Chairs in District 6 shall be two (2) years of continuous sobriety and one (1) year as a past or present General Service Representative (GSR) in any of our ninety three (93) Areas within the United States and Canada. Nominees must be full time Florida residents, living within District 6.
- 561 05/2016 District 6 will not accept any waived requirements/qualifications for any of the district 6 officers, DCM's, ACM's, committee chairperson and alternate committee chairperson positions.
- 566 10/2016 That when committee chairs give their reports, a time-limited change from 3 minutes to 4 minutes be allowed.
- 567 11/2016 When there is a vacant position for chairperson of any committee and there is no committee report, the district alternate chairperson will read the "scope" of the committee found in the district 6 "legacy of service" in place of the report and also included in the minutes of the meeting.
- 575 09/2017 District 6 Bridging the Gap Coordinator to be defrayed by the district for 1 night's lodging at all Area 15 quarterlies at the agreed Quarterly room rate.

584 07/2018 Allow the District 6 Treatment Committee to post in the treatment section of the district 6 website its suggested AA meeting format and readings.

594 12/2018 That all District 6 trusted servants refrain from standing on election day for the same position unless they are fulfilling an unexpired term. However, after the election day is over, they may stand for the same position if they so desire at any time when requests are done to fulfill empty positions.

5.13 Website

169 03/1989 In the event of a DCM or Committee Chairman (or their Alternates) missing two meetings in a row the [Registrar] ~~Corresponding Secretary~~ will contact such person(s) to inquire their intent and report the findings back to the district, and any action will be taken by the District at that time.

389 09/2009 That District 6 create a Standing Committee to create and maintain a website for District 6, create a District Website committee with a Chairperson, treasurer, and Web Servants and be allocated an annual budget of \$250. The Chairperson is to attend Area 15 Quarterlies, when possible, and be defrayed as per current practice for Standing Committee Chairs. Chairperson must meet the requirements set forth in our Book of Current Practice for chairpersons of Standing Committees. The pages of the website would follow the Internet guidelines of GSO. All website content would be approved by the District 6 body prior to placement on the website. The committee will liaison between District 6 Intergroup/Central Offices and Area 15 and GSO website committees, as well as sharing District information to our members.

390 01/2010 Content for the District 6 website shall include and be limited to:

- a) The following AA literature:
 - i) 12 Steps, 12 Traditions and 12 Concepts;
 - ii) A.A. Preamble, excerpts from the “Big Book” of Alcoholics Anonymous, or any other Conference approved literature;
 - iii) “I Am Responsible” and “Declaration of Unity” statements;
- b) Hyperlinks to the following websites:
 - i) General Service Office located at www.aa.org;
 - ii) The Grapevine located at www.aagrapevine.org ;
 - iii) Indian River Central Office located at www.indianriveraa.org ;
 - iv) St. Lucie County Intergroup located at www.stlucieintergroup.com;
 - v) Martin County Intergroup located at www.martincountyyaa.org;
 - vi) Area 15 located at www.aa15aa.org
 - vii) Area 15 Quarterly flyer and information located at www.aa15aa.org/M/Member_Services/member_services.html
- c) A disclaimer that the District 6 web site is in no way affiliated with AA World Services or Alcoholics Anonymous as a whole;
- d) A map, address and directions to the District 6 monthly meetings;
- e) Individual links to the District 6 officers and committee chairs generic email addresses; pages for all district 6 committees; and
- f) The Book of Current Practice and the Book of Motions for District 6

395 07/2010 An Alternate Chair be appointed as a member of the District 6 Archives, Corrections, CPC, Current Practice, Grapevine, Literature, Public Information, Special Needs, Treatment and Website Committees. The Alternate Chairperson to be elected as per requirements set by resolution for Standing District Committee Chairpersons and be defrayed at the rate set by resolution for attending Area 15 Quarterly Assemblies in the absence of the Committee Chairperson, unless otherwise defrayed.

399 08/2010 Only the District officers be allowed to excuse officers, DCMs, ACMs and Committee Chairs not attending the District Business Meeting.

450 10/2011 To provide email addresses for the District 6 Officers, Committee Chairs and Alternate Committee Chairs.

460 02/2012 That the District 6 website list the web-based email addresses on the appropriate pages (ie. events@district6aa.org on the Events page).

- 481 03/2013 To add a link on the front page of the District 6 website as the last entry under Quick Links to a sub-page for "Community Calendar." From there, users will be able to access links to all upcoming AA EVENTS held by District 6, Martin County Intergroup, St. Lucie Intergroup, Indian River Central Office.
- 502 10/2013 Include Area 15 events in the Community Calendar on the District 6 website.
- 503 10/2013 The Community Calendar on the District 6 website will include, upon request of the sponsoring group, special group events, such as anniversary events or group picnics, that are held by listed A.A. groups within District 6. These events will not include meetings that occur on a monthly basis (such as business meetings) or more often.
- 504 10/2013 Include Federal Holidays and Florida State Holidays in the Community Calendar on the District 6 website.
- 512 01/2014 The GSR orientation shall be presented by any DCM or District 6 committee chairperson, while still utilizing the present county rotating schedule.
- 515 01/2014 Correction Committee to have the District 6 website Corrections page updated to include corrected purpose, hosted events and links to 2 AA Correction's pamphlet on <http://www.aa.org/> as instructed by GSO.
- 517 02/2014 Qualifications for Standing Committee Chairs in District 6 shall be two (2) years of continuous sobriety and one (1) year as a past or present General Service Representative (GSR) in any of our ninety three (93) Areas within the United States and Canada. Nominees must be full time Florida residents, living within District 6.
- 519 03/2014 That the Current Practice Committee furnish an updated copy of the Book of Current Practice to the Website Committee for online publication every six months. Those Officers, Standing Committee Chairpersons & DCMs who prefer a paper copy of the most current version, may request one in January of each year, to be distributed at the February District Meeting.
- 525 08/2014 Content for the District 6 website shall include a password protected area where District 6 business documents can be downloaded. Business documents will include the Monthly Agenda, Monthly Minutes, and the Treasurer's Report. To facilitate accessing this password protected area, a link will be added to District 6 website pages. The link will be titled "Business Documents." and will be the last entry under District 6 links.
- 531 09/2014 To use the Legacy of Service document to update each committee web page on the district6aa.org website with the Composition, Scope and Procedure. Also post the full Legacy of Service document on the Current Practices web page.
- 533 10/2014 Content for the District 6 website shall include listings of hotlines or "night owl" phone numbers as well as links to meeting lists that are answered by the Indian River Central Office, the Martin County Intergroup, and the St. Lucie County Intergroup office (which also serves Okeechobee County). These links will specify who maintains the phone line or internet site that is being linked.
- 561 05/2016 District 6 will not accept any waived requirements/qualifications for any of the district 6 officers, DCM's, ACM's, committee chairperson and alternate committee chairperson positions.
- 566 10/2016 That when committee chairs give their reports, a time-limited change from 3 minutes to 4 minutes be allowed.
- 567 11/2016 When there is a vacant position for chairperson of any committee and there is no committee report, the district alternate chairperson will read the "scope" of the committee found in the district 6 "legacy of service" in place of the report and also included in the minutes of the meeting.
- 578 03/2018 International Conference of Young People in Alcoholics Anonymous (ICYPAA) and Florida Conference of Young People in Alcoholics Anonymous (FCYPAA) events that are held within Area 15 in the Community Calendar on the District 6 website. Respectfully submitted by Website Committee.

- 584 07/2018 Allow the District 6 Treatment Committee to post in the treatment section of the district 6 website its suggested AA meeting format and readings.
- 594 12/2018 That all District 6 trusted servants refrain from standing on election day for the same position unless they are fulfilling an unexpired term. However, after the election day is over, they may stand for the same position if they so desire at any time when requests are done to fulfill empty positions.

6 DISTRICT COMMITTEE MEMBER (DCM) & ALTERNATE COMMITTEE MEMBER (ACM)

- 153 10/1988 That the ACM would only vote at the election if their particular DCM was not going to be at the Quarterly; therefore representing the same 8 groups.
- 202 08/1991 Receipts will not be required from participants who attend quarterlies. They will need to sign a form only and they will not be reimbursed for food.
- 216 06/1992 All DCM's to notify their appropriate GSRs by phone one week prior to the monthly district meeting.
- 295 08/2001 For the revised District 6 general guidelines pamphlet, reviewed by an ad-hoc committee, be accepted as a service tool for all those involved with service at the District level.
- 318 11/2003 The Alternate Chairperson shall serve as the DCM Coordinator of the District.
- 330 10/2004 DCMs from each county shall select one of the newly-elected DCMs as the County DCM Coordinator. The County DCM Coordinator should have no less than two years sobriety and served no less than one year of service, past or present, in the South Florida Area.
- 358 03/2007 To decide on an individual basis to waive requirements for DCM.
- 372 05/2008 That each DCM bring DCM introduction forms with his or her name and sub district represented to every District meeting. The purpose of this is to give said form and introduce him/herself as the DCM to any and all newly elected GSRs. This will automatically begin a dialog between the DCM and GSR so there will be no question as to who the representatives are.
- 474 01/2013 That all South Florida Area 15 voting members of District 6 are to be present in the meeting room at the Sunday morning Area Assemblies/Quarterly Business Meetings by 8:45AM in order to be included in the formal head count. It is the responsibility of all voting members to make their presence known to the District 6 Alternate Chair.
- 476 02/2013 DCMs and ACMs are to be elected at the Monthly Business Meeting by the eligible voting members in attendance.
- 508 11/2013 Qualifications for District Committee Member (DCM) in District 6 shall be two (2) years of continuous sobriety and one (1) year, past or present as a General Service Representative (GSR) in any of our ninety-three (93) Areas within the United States and Canada. Nominees must be full time Florida residents, living within District 6, and must attend meetings in the county in which they stand for DCM.
- 512 01/2014 The GSR orientation shall be presented by any DCM or District 6 committee chairperson, while still utilizing the present county rotating schedule.
- 561 05/2016 District 6 will not accept any waived requirements/qualifications for any of the district 6 officers, DCM's, ACM's, committee chairperson and alternate committee chairperson positions.
- 566 10/2016 That when committee chairs give their reports, a time-limited change from 3 minutes to 4 minutes be allowed.
- 586 07/2018 Our District business meeting will start promptly at 6:30pm with the serenity prayer from the current Chairperson. The GSR/DCM sharing will be conducted by the current Alternate Chairperson from 6:35pm to 7:00pm. The GSR/DCM sharing will start with the traditions checklist. The Alternate Chairperson will then ask for topics or plan appropriate discussions. Roll Call and New GSR Orientation will immediately follow GSR/DCM sharing. This will replace motion #317 (11/2003).

594 12/2018 That all District 6 trusted servants refrain from standing on election day for the same position unless they are fulfilling an unexpired term. However, after the election day is over, they may stand for the same position if they so desire at any time when requests are done to fulfill empty positions.

7 GENERAL SERVICE REPRESENTATIVE (GSR) & ALTERNATE GENERAL SERVICE REPRESENTATIVE (AGSR)

- 206 10/1991 That all GSRs and Alternate GSRs be taken out of the meeting during roll call for an orientation session and to fill out forms. [Chairperson] will appoint a DCM or Committee Chairperson each month to do this orientation.
- 294 06/2001 For the New GSR Orientation and Guideline Packet reviewed by an Ad Hoc Committee be accepted as a service tool for District 6 General Service Representatives.
- 295 08/2001 For the revised District 6 general guidelines pamphlet, reviewed by an ad-hoc committee, be accepted as a service tool for all those involved with service at the District level.
- 474 01/2013 That all South Florida Area 15 voting members of District 6 are to be present in the meeting room at the Sunday morning Area Assemblies/Quarterly Business Meetings by 8:45AM in order to be included in the formal head count. It is the responsibility of all voting members to make their presence known to the District 6 Alternate Chair.
- 582 05/2018 Remove from Current Practice, (Procedure 3.4, item 176) which states: All District GSR's be assigned a Service Committee by draw of the hat, except those GSR's who are already on a committee of their choice. This does not preclude the GSR's from volunteering for a specific committee.
- 586 07/2018 Our District business meeting will start promptly at 6:30pm with the serenity prayer from the current Chairperson. The GSR/DCM sharing will be conducted by the current Alternate Chairperson from 6:35pm to 7:00pm. The GSR/DCM sharing will start with the traditions checklist. The Alternate Chairperson will then ask for topics or plan appropriate discussions. Roll Call and New GSR Orientation will immediately follow GSR/DCM sharing. This will replace motion #317 (11/2003).

8 AREA QUARTERLIES & ASSEMBLIES (Procedure)

- 153 10/1988 That the ACM would only vote at the election if their particular DCM was not going to be at the Quarterly; therefore representing the same 8 groups.
- 202 08/1991 Receipts will not be required from participants who attend quarterlies. They will need to sign a form only and they will not be reimbursed for food.
- 474 01/2013 That all South Florida Area 15 voting members of District 6 are to be present in the meeting room at the Sunday morning Area Assemblies/Quarterly Business Meetings by 8:45AM in order to be included in the formal head count. It is the responsibility of all voting members to make their presence known to the District 6 Alternate Chair.
- 569 01/2017 This motion will be to have District 6 defray one nights lodging for any district 6 member "hosting quarterly committee chairs" that are not otherwise defrayed. The cost will not exceed the quarterly room rate for those not otherwise defrayed at each quarterly.
- 575 09/2017 District 6 Bridging the Gap Coordinator to be defrayed by the district for 1 night's lodging at all Area 15 quarterlies at the agreed Quarterly room rate. Respectfully submitted by District 6 Treatment Committee Chairperson.