District 9 Business Meeting October 5, 2008

District Officers present:

Gene A. DCM

Bill L, Member at Large

Laurie H. Secretary

Sam W, Member at Large

The meeting was called to order with a moment of silence followed by The Serenity Prayer.

The Minutes of the September 7, 2008 were reviewed and approved as published.

Treasurer's Report:

Phil W. Treasurer was absent but the DCM reported on balances of savings and checking accounts. Bills were submitted for payment.

GSR Reports:

Laurie H., **Water Tower Group.** The group hasn't elected a new GSR but attendance is good and we are financially sound.

Nevell H., GSR, **Sunday Morning Eye Opener Group.** Attendance is good and the meetings are excellent.

Dawn, GSR, **Early Bird Group.** The meetings continue to grow. Birthdays: Charlie 20 years, Steve 16 years.

Kate GSR Sunday Big Book Groups. Friday, Saturday and Sunday meetings are going well.

The new Thursday Women's meeting had no one attending last week and could use support.

Child care is available for Monday Night Women's Meeting.

Wanda, GSR. **Tuesday Promises.** This is a small group but a great group.

Larry, GSR Friends of Bill W. The meetings are going well.

Sally H. Language of the Heart. Attendance is always steady and always good.

LeRoy, GSR **Touch on Feelings.** Attendance averages 12 to 15 and the group celebrated several birthdays.

Committee Reports:

Activities - Flyers were distributed announcing a meeting to form committees to plan the Gratitude Banquet Committee. A motion was made, seconded and passed to approve purchase of decorations for the gratitude banquet the bill for which will be presented at the next meeting.

Answering Service – Dyan reported that calls are down, and that there was only one repeat call last month. Volunteers are now being rotated every 2 months.

Archives – Kate has received the materials and many of the scrapbooks need repair.

Corrections – Bill reported that the new Superintendent of the Penitentiary is supportive of AA. Bill will be renewing his paperwork and attending meetings at the Prison. We are also trying to set up meetings at the county jail.

CPCI – no chairperson – but Sally read a very interesting article in the 459 about what groups are doing in Colorado to get information to the public.

Literature & Grapevine - Alice was absent but sent inventory information

Pink Can - Sally H. turned in \$66.30

Schedules – Larry will make some revisions and corrections to the schedule and have additional schedules printed.

DCM Report:

Gene announced that all GSR"s should be receiving Box 459 and if not we need to fill out the forms to have them sent to us. Area Assembly will be October $17^{th} - 19^{th}$.

Grapevine is publishing a Beginner's book which might be helpful to newcomers.

7th Tradition Basket was passed

The meeting adjourned with The Lord's Prayer at approximately 8:00 pm.