

**District 9 Business Meeting  
November 1, 2009**

**District Officers present:** Gene A., DCM; Phil W., Treasurer; Laurie H., Secretary

Minutes of the October Meeting were approved as published.

**Treasurer's Report:** After a brief question and answer period, **a motion was made, seconded and passed to accept the Treasurer's Report as submitted.** Bills were submitted for payment.

**GSR Reports:**

Laurie, representing **Water Tower Group:** Group was able to send our GSR George to the Area Assembly. The group has slightly lower attendance but is doing well.

Jim, GSR **Touch on Feelings Group:** 10 to 18 people attending. Birthdays: 2 (1) year Jim and Peter Peter, Alternate **GSR Touch on Feelings Group**, was in attendance.

Sheri, Alternate GSR, **Sunday Big Book groups:** All the meetings are well attended and doing fine.

Sally H., representing **Language of the Heart:** Larry G has accepted the position of GSR for the group but was absent. Birthdays: (1) 35 years Sally H.

Dawn, GSR **Early Bird Group:** The meeting has moved to the First Congregational Church upstairs in the Fireside Room. The move went well.

Bruce, GSR **As Bill Sees It:** There have been 14/20 people attending with good participation from the treatment center. There have been a few glitches with the VA but hopefully it will work out. Birthdays: (1) 2 month (1) 3 month.

Dave, GSR **Milton Freewater Primary Purpose Group:** The group is marching along doing well.

Mark, **GSR Thursday Night Meeting:** Attendance is good.

Gene, representing **Sunday Morning:** The home group is growing. Attendance 20/24 people, as many as the room will hold.

**Committee Reports:**

**Gratitude Banquet:** La Von Chair, reports plans are progressing well. Sunday Big Book group paid \$125 toward the hall rental for the event.

**Answering Service:** Dyan absent.

**Archives:** Larry chair, absent.

**Corrections:** Don, chair, absent. Gene reported two more men have been approved to attend the county jail meetings.

**Literature/Grapevine:** Gene chair, reports Grapevine is in trouble financially at the GSO level. He'll be encouraging groups to subscribe to grapevine.

**Pink Can:** Sally H., chair. Contributions totaled \$211.10

**Schedules:** Larry absent but there is a change to the schedules. The Early Bird meeting moved should be corrected by hand on remaining copies.

**DCM Report:**

Area Assembly was a wonderful experience. Gene reported on the election of officers and the result of voting on the motions. (See attachment).

**New Business:**

**A motion was made, seconded and passed to fund and sponsor the 2009 New Years Eve Party on December 31, 2009.**

The 7<sup>th</sup> Tradition Basket was passed. The meeting adjourned with recitation of The Responsibility Statement and The Lord's Prayer.