

## **November 2024 Meeting Minutes for Greater NY Metro Intergroup — 11/14/2024 — WSO # 09033**

Marlene called the meeting to order at 6:45PM and we opened with the Serenity Prayer.

Diana G shared on Tradition 11

“Our public relations policy is based on attraction rather than promotion; we need always maintain personal anonymity at the level of press, radio, films, television and other public media of communication.”

Rey H shared on Concept 11

“The trustees should always have the best possible committees, corporate service directors, executives, staffs and consultants. Composition, qualifications induction procedures, and rights and duties will always be matters of serious concern.”

### **Introductions**

There is a quorum. (The quorum requirement is at least seven (7) qualified voting members and at least two Officers of the Greater NY IG).

Treasurer's Report — Andy P

Andy reviewed the treasurers report for October. He pointed out some of the money in the account would be going to Region 6 and World Service as we had not passed on the money from individual donations since June 2023.

Retreat Report — Millie

We are planning the next Retreat for the end of May, 2025. A venue is being visited in Long Island. We are currently working on obtaining the Liability Insurance as requested by this location.

12 Step Within; Special Events & Outreach— Diane T & Phil D

A discussion about ads which will appear in the NY Times next year.

There will be an in person Thanksgiving Day marathon and November's special event on Zoom will be on Sunday November 24.

Revitalizing In-Person Meetings — Andy P

The survey has been created and has gone through one level of review. Changes were made but not reviewed yet.

### **Pending Business**

Marlene said that an invitation to the Region 6 Chair and the Trustee Liaison has been issued and they are planning to attend the December IG mtg.

There are still vacancies on the Exec Board (Vice Chair & Treasurer; Perhaps Corresponding Secretary. There are Chair Vacancies as well (By-Laws, Publications/Web and Welcoming).

## **New Business**

Marlene informed about the Region 6 Meeting to be held on Sunday, 11/17/2024 at 4PM. She will issue invitations to all who have signed the attendance sheet.

The October Minutes were approved.

Diana G spoke about the WSO (World Service Organization) and explained how it functions and what is our part.

There will be a World Service Questionnaire that will be sent out to each and every one of the IG Reps before the meeting in February 2025.

Readers for Tradition 12 will be Lynda S and Concept 12 will be Andy P.

The next IG Meeting will be on **Thursday, December 12 2024 at 6:45PM**. Orientation will begin at 6:30PM.

We closed the meeting with the OA Promise:

“I put my hand in yours and together we can do what we could never do alone. No longer is there a sense of hopelessness, no longer must we each depend upon our own unsteady willpower. We are all together now reaching out our hands for power and strength greater than ours and and we join hands, we find love and understanding beyond our wildest dreams.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:01PM.

Respectfully Submitted,

Marlene Arvan,  
Chair