St. Paul Area Intergroup Representatives' Meeting Minutes, May 15, 2012

I. Opened with the Serenity Prayer, Introductions, and the reading of the Primary Purpose of Intergroup.

II. Last month's Minutes were approved (motion by Berta, seconded by Paul).

III. Treasurer's Report – Jeff M. discussed his written report which reflects sales slightly below and contributions well above budget. Expenses were high for the month due to payment to the Recovery Church for 2011 and 2012 Intergoup events, resulting in a net loss for the month. Questions/concerns can be sent to Jeff M. at treasurer@aastpaul.org.

IV. The Office Report – Frank N. reminds us that the Office continues to seek submissions of writing, cartoon, and/or jokes from individuals for inclusion in the *Lifeline*. Improvements to the Office are underway in advance of the June 16 Open House, including the display of Grapevines from the 1960s and 70s, other mementos, and a copy of the original working draft of the 1st Edition of the Big Book. The volunteer database update project continues.

V. The Website Report – Visitors can now search within a specified time period (i.e., I want a meeting between 4 and 7 p.m. on Mondays). The full usage report is available on the website. Groups are encouraged to contact Jonathan (webservant@aastpaul.org) or the Office for AA-related events which can be added. Guidelines are available on the site. Remember to submit your flyers (with AA-related content) for inclusion on the website.

VI. Outreach Program – Female volunteers needed to visit womens' meetings, and Spanish speakers are needed to visit Spanish-language meetings! Several MIA meetings have been resolved. Contact Chris (320-444-4780 or <u>outreach@aastpaul.org</u>) or the Office if you can help with this important service opportunity.

VII. Night Owl Report – Night Owl Orientation is held every third Saturday at 10 a.m. in the Office. There is one open recurring Night Owl shift on the first Saturday of the month between 7 p.m. and the next morning at 9 a.m. Visit the website or call the office.

VIII. Liaison Reports - No reports.

IX. Upcoming Intergroup Events:

- Gopher State (5/25-27). Cedar is coordinating groups to co-host Intergroup's suite. Contact her at <u>cedar.holmgren@gmail.com</u> if your group is interested in this opportunity.
- Open House (6/16, 11 a.m. 3 p.m.): Chris is chairing this event, during which visitors can enjoy burgers and dogs on the top of the parking garage and stop by the Office to check out everything it has to offer.
- X. Old Business:
 - TGIS: Eva reported a successful event and lots of great volunteer assistance. Thank you!!

XII. New Business:

- The Board would like to establish an *ad hoc* committee comprised of Reps and past Board members to evaluate the Intergroup events calendar. Suggestions or volunteers are welcome! Contact the Office.
- XIII. Group Announcements: None.
- XIV: No suggestions for next month's agenda.

- XV: Mona delivered Jason B.'s Grapevine Report. Paul volunteered for June.
- XVI. Paul presented the Concept Review (Concepts III & IV). Don volunteered for May (Concept V).
- XVII. Paulie presented the Mock Rep Report and Cedar volunteered for May.

XVIII. Closed with the Responsibility Statement.

NEXT MEETING: MAY 15, 2012 (7:30 PM), BETHLEHEM CHURCH

ATTENDANCE:					
Denise A.,	Jean O, Alt.	Jeff M,	Cedar H.,	Jim G., Alt.	Wanda B.,
Chairperson	Chair	Treasurer	Secretary	Treasurer	Member @
					Large
Chris S.,	Eva P., Member	Tim B., Member	Jonathan L.,	Frank ., Office	Terrie O., Back
Member At	at Large	at Large	Web Servant	Manager	To Basics
Large					
Brad R.,	Kate P., Basic	Mona B., Como	Paul, T., Cottage	Casey K., The	Craig O., Happy
Basic Text	Text Women's	Park BB	Grove Groups	Firing Line	Hour 12x12
	Group				
John F.,	Jenni S., New	Judy T., No	Sharon O.,	Eric J.,	Berta D.,
Highland	Brighton BB	Time Like The	Pocketing Our	Rosemount	Sunday Night
Sunday Night		Present	Pride	Groups	Speaker Mtg.
BB					
Katy C.,	Curtis P.,	Don D., Third	Berta D., St.		
Students Of Life	Summit Hill	Edition BB	Paul Speaker		
			Mtg.		

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