

District 21 General Service Business Meeting Minutes: September 23, 2025 - **DRAFT**

Call to Order: Christina A at 6:00pm

- Welcome Panel 74. In person 18, online 5 attendees
- Introductions by attendees in room.
- Members read Declaration of Unity, GSR Preamble, Tradition 9 and Concept 9
- Meeting minutes from 8.26.25 approved.
- Pass it On- 20262027 District positions:
 - Webmaster – LaShanta. Don't need web experience. Prior webmasters will help. He fields emails to make meeting schedule changes, posts events, works thru technical difficulties with others and answers questions. Hours per week fluctuates, generally 1-2 hours per month once experienced.
 - GSR – Michael talked about his experience as a GSR. The GSR preamble outlines the responsibilities well. Stressed having a service sponsor to guide the GSR through the Agenda items. Appreciates District 21 scholarships.
 - Recording Secretary -Laura Spend 1-2 hours a month documenting monthly meeting which includes discussion, motions and votes.
- District Reports:
 - Alt DCM (Tom), H&I (Marylyn), and Bridging the Gap (Sam) – not present
 - Zoom Coordinator (Vincent\Christy) no reports
 - Webmaster (LeShanta) –Excited to go to Technology conference in Nov.
 - Recording Secretary (Laura) – No report
 - Registrar (Theresa) – Will reprint 1000 Spring schedules. Then print again when schedule is converted from Word to Adobe. Will make editing easier. LaShante will coordinate with her.
 - PICPC (Tony): Low participation. Has been attending events. Needs help with schools, doctors, and psychiatrists' offices.
 - Treasurer's report (Sarah) –Not present. Provided a draft of 2026 spending plan. Note request to increase Technology workshop funding.
- DCM Report (Christina)
 - Area Committee report- Proposed spending plan for the area. Should be complete by 10/1/25. Plan focuses on ways to manage prudently with the current funds. Proposed changes include reduction to milage reimbursement from .70 to .50 cents per mile and reducing the number of people that attend PRAASA. Historically we have not spent all that is estimated in the plan.
 - Discussion on changing Assembly structure which includes a reduction to number of days assembly held and adding on-line options. If part or all approved, the changes would occur in 2027. An ad-hoc committee has been formed.
 - District Inventory – hope to complete prior to year end. Recommend Survey Monkey to tally comments from District members rather than lengthen October and November meetings.
 - Service Faire – refer to flyer for agenda. October 11,2025 9:30am-2pm. Will have service countdown and Service Bingo, Group made recommendation for available pamphlets and books for prizes.
- Adjourn 7:20 pm

Respectfully submitted, Laura Hamilton, District Secretary.