

DISTRICT 5 DCMC MONTHLY REPORT

MEETING DATE: MAY 8, 2025

Good evening, everyone. My name is Vicki R., and I am your alcoholic District 5 DCMC. As always, I am grateful to be surrounded both in-person and virtually by all of you sober 'being of service' alcoholics. I'll start my report by letting you all know that our treasurer, Greg A., let me know a few days ago that he is working out of town and will not be attending tonight's meeting. Also, Ty H., our D5 DCM-No. Tustin, let me know that he is no longer the GSR for his meeting group and, therefore, is stepping down from his DCM position. District 5 thanks him for his 2-year term of service!

STEERING COMMITTEE MEETING:

There were 4 of us who attended our Monday night Steering Committee. The attendees were Lien L-G, Matt D., Mitchell B., and me. Unfortunately, about a half-hour into the meeting, I had an internet outage, so we weren't able to finish the meeting.

Now here's a bit of other A.A. related news:

Area 09:

- This month's Area 09 meeting is an ASA (Area Service Assembly) / Delegate Shareback and is on the third Sunday (May 18th) versus the normal second Sunday due to the latter being Mother's Day. This meeting will be your first opportunity to hear our Delegate's report on the outcome of the 74th General Service Conference and the applicable agenda items. Hopefully, you all received her email that I forwarded. The meeting's new business is the Area's budget, and a "Financial State of MSCA09 / Motion for subcommittee". Due to this being an ASA, GSRs will have the opportunity to vote on the motion. I encourage all to attend either in-person or virtually. The meeting info is listed on Page 3 of tonight's agenda.
- As a reminder...on May 18th, our District 5 Archivist and DCM-Mens Group, Mitchell B., will be the guest speaker at MSCA09 and Districts 1 & 3's "General Service History in SoCal" event. Be sure to grab a flyer and there's also more information see Page 3 of tonight's agenda.
- As a heads-up, next month's ASC (Area Service Committee) meeting is on June 8th and will be held virtually only. More info on that will be given at a later date.

AA.org / GSO / AAWS:

- As of Tuesday night, there were still only 9 episodes of the General Service Office's podcast "**Our Primary Purpose**", which you can listen to via their website: www.aa.org/gso-podcast.
- A.A.'s 90th birthday / anniversary is the 10th of next month (June).
- AAWS (Alcoholics Anonymous World Services) has an opening for a "AAWS Nontrustee Director". More information can be found on A.A.'s website (www.aa.org) under "Inside A.A." / "What's New". In addition, to that info, this is a great place to learn of other new info.

Since our April 10th meeting I have attended and participated in the following events either virtually or in person:

- Apr. 13th (In-Person): MSCA09 "Pre-Conference Mock Conference"
- Apr. 17th (Virtually): MSCA09 "Monthly Service Study and Committee Sharing"
- Apr. 17th (Virtually): MSCA09 "Last Pre-Conference Sharing Session"
- Apr. 19th (Virtually): MSCA09 "Archives" Meeting
- Apr. 24th (Virtually): District 5 "PI Connection Call"
- May 5th (Virtually): District 5 "Steering Committee Meeting"

In addition to the above I updated our website, completed our 2nd quarter newsletter, and continued 'being of service' as Area 09's Communications Committee Chair.

That's my report for now. A full copy of my report will be emailed and, also, uploaded to our website at a later date. Are there any questions? If not, thank you for allowing me to be of service. As always...it's one of the reasons why I'm still sober today!

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