

Minutes in brown

Member Services Committee, Regions & Intergroups and Young Adults and Teens Sbcmts

Report

January 27th, 2025 at 12:30pm ET

Meeting length: 90 minutes

Join Zoom meeting <https://zoom.us/j/96414155183>

ID: [964 1415 5183](https://zoom.us/j/96414155183) Passcode: 308405 (Zoom 2)

Chairperson: William G-B

A. Opening Meeting (15 minutes)

1. Prayer/Affirmation (2 minute)
2. MSC Member Introductions (5 minutes)

**William G-B Chair, Alisa A Moscow, Laura L SO Cal, Jenny
Lonestar IG#600**

3. Ask for volunteers, ie section timer and someone to take notes (1 minute)
4. Review of MSC Meeting Purpose (1 minute)
1. Review of [The Suggested Commitment to Service](#) (4 minutes)

Read by Alisa

read by Jenny

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2. Order of Agenda - any changes?? (2 minutes)

none

B. **MSC Matters** (20 minutes)

1. **Global** meeting discussion **Discussed**
2. **May ABC Annual Report**

- i. What have we accomplished **Global Meetings initiated and ongoing developed a teen book**
- ii. What are our goals **Develop the Global outreach**

3. Vice Chair volunteer
none

C. **YAT/Young Adults ACA Teens** (20 minutes).

1. **Q&A Frequently Asked Questions** (4 minutes)- page/document to go on YAT Subcommittee page We want to make changes

We heard Alisa's proposed 5 most asked Questions and Answers (Q&A) Document to be posted on the YAT sbcmt page.

We decided to post in slack for one month for suggestions and edits, then bringing it back for a vote next month!

2. **Teen booklet** (5 minutes)- Progress of chapter 18 of the BRB (titled "ACA Teen") be made into a stand-alone booklet of about 13 pages.

It's in the queue to be typeset

Background: There is not much literature for ACA Teens that is easily accessible. The benefits of creating a booklet using the chapter on ACA Teen from the BRB are:

- Will provide more affordable literature for ACA teens as the BRB is US\$21 and the suggested cost of the booklet is \$2 or \$3.
- The booklet is more easily transportable than the whole BRB book which is quite large.
- The booklet, as a shorter book, may also be easier for members to translate.

3. Any other **further business**
none

D. **Regions & Intergroups** (20 minutes)

1. **Reports from IGs** what is going on with your IG?

Jenny Presented a report for the Lonestar IG reporting that they are rebuilding after Covid, theyn havev a service structure in place with a Chair, Secretary, Treasurer, and a Webmaster,

they are working at rebuilding community and going virtual\online has helped them as far as communications go

2. **Reports** from Regions, what is going on with your region?

none

3. **Regions** need to follow up on ACA WSO Regional re-certification form, (Courbet??)

4. **Annual updating of registrations.** Can you mention to your attendees to update their Group's/IG/Regions Group registrations once or twice a year
reminder

5. **Discussion topics**, possibly for working groups for both intergroups and regions:

a. Sponsorship event - can Intergroups host these?

b. We need a more inclusive/concrete document regarding the services that IGs/Regions provide and another document about how they operate as well as one explaining how to form an Intergroup/Region

c. Does your service body have written service roles?

d. How can an Intergroup/Region assist, support meetings with safety matters?

e. How have recovery meetings and business meetings been affected by the move to online/virtual meetings of your intergroup/region?
Helped with communication

f. What is a special purpose intergroup/region?

E. **New Business** (13min)

1. Start gathering ideas for the **50th Anniversary of ACA** in January 25th, 2028c celebration and the BRB in 2026

Giving it thought

2. Any **Further business**

none

F. **Closing/Adjourn** (2 minutes)

3. If time permits, close with this Affirmation:

read by Jenny