

# MONTHLY DISTRICT 12 ASSEMBLY MINUTES

*March 15th, 2026*

*Prepared by Laura S.*

*District 12 Secretary*

## LOCATION:

- Manchester - St Raphael's Church/Hybrid/ ID: 306 311 205 Passcode: district12

## DATE:

- March 15, 2026

## ATTENDANCE:

- 50 Total: 42 Voting / 8 Non-Voting

## IN PERSON VOTING:

- Jim M. (DCM), Laura S. (Secretary), Jay C. (Asst. Treasurer), Kevin P. (District Services/GSR 123&Beyond) Mike B. (Registrar), Susanna W. (PI/CPC), Dan O. (LCM Chair/GSR FLOD), Tim F. (LCM), Christine L. (LCM), Dave R. (LCM/GSR PMG), Amy S. (Literature), Susanne K. (Voice Within), Laura C. (Functions), Miranda Z. (YPL), Dawn S. (Search / Alt GSR MYP), Patty L. (GSR Goffs We Understand), Terry C. (GSR Drum Circle), Joe C. (GSR Heard It Thru Grapevine), Anton S. (GSR Manch Original), Shari C. (GSR Women's Back 2 Basic), Jay C. (GSR Doc's Opinion), Peter B. (GSR HHW), Don F. (GSR Sun Mens Step), Wayne L. (GSR In The Wind), Dan B. (GSR No Name),

Cheryl L. (GSR Bedford Beginners), Leslie J. (GSR Women's Willows), Ron F. (GSR PPG), Tevor W. (GSR Mon Night Beginner), Nicole J. (GSR Women's New Beginnings), Gary C. (GSR Primary Concept), Louie F. (GSR MYP), Jeff M. (GSR HHE), Mark O. (GSR Keep It Simple), David P. (GSR Hard Hat)

## **ONLINE VOTING:**

- Stacia B. (Corrections), Michelle F. (Alcathon), Dennis G. (Helpline), Alexis L. (GSR Ladies Reflections), Crystal C. (GSR Rise&Shine), Gayle (GSR Hooksett Women BBSS), Mary B. (GSR Manch Noon Zoom)

## **NON-VOTING:**

- Christine P. (Alt DCM), Taylor M. (Coffee), David W. (Tech Committee), Alex L. (Area 43 Delegate), Addie F. (Area 43 Alt Delegate), Mark G. (Alt GSR No Name), Haley C. (Alt GSR Women's Back 2 Basic), Mark C. (HHE)

## **MEETING OPENING:**

- Christine P. opened the meeting at 6:00pm with a moment of silence followed by the Serenity Prayer. Addie F. read the AA preamble. Louie F. read Step 3, Cheryl L. read Tradition 3, and Kevin P. read Concept 3. The meeting was called to order & the roll was verified. Motion to accept February Minutes by Miranda Z., seconded by Louie F. Motion to accept Agenda by Louie F., seconded by Peter B. Motion to accept the February Treasurer report by Tim F., seconded by Gary C.

## **SPECIAL ORDERS:**

- Forgo business as usual (as voted on at the February District meeting) to allow for Alex L., our Area 43 Delegate, to hold a presentation and Q&A session regarding the upcoming General Service Conference (April 26-May 2nd 2026).

### **DCM: Jim M. ([nhdistrict12dcm@gmail.com](mailto:nhdistrict12dcm@gmail.com)):**

- Jim attended NERAASA with our Alternate DCM, Christine, and had a wonderful time. His primary takeaway is that District 12 is very healthy compared to many other districts currently struggling with participation. Jim is grateful for all of you. A significant highlight from the event is that the 5th Edition of the Big Book will be voted on at the General Service Conference; if it passes, printing will begin soon. Jim also attended the DCM Roundtable and learned a great deal about safety in AA. Consequently, at the Workshops and Forums meeting the following night, they decided to host a workshop on safety in AA this June. Regarding local activities: Tuesday, March 3rd: Jim attended the ACT program at Valley St. Jail with six people in attendance. Thursday: Jim attended the LCM meeting and is pleased to report they are doing fantastic work. Saturday, March 14th: Jim attended the Area 43 Tech Workshop at St. Ray's Church. Thank you to Kyle for his work on this. Jim would like to thank you for allowing him to serve as DCM.

### **AltDCM: Christine P. ([district12altdcm@gmail.com](mailto:district12altdcm@gmail.com)):**

- Christine attended NERAASA in Portland Maine with our DCM, Jim. She was blessed to have the powerful experience of celebrating 8 years of sobriety at the Assembly! Christine also attended the GSR School, DCM Roundtable, Workshops and Forums committee meeting and the LCM meeting. She was able to attend one of the virtual Delegate's Day of Sharing sessions as well. Christine thanks you all for allowing her to serve as Alt DCM.

**Secretary: Laura S. ([district12secretary@gmail.com](mailto:district12secretary@gmail.com)):**

- Thank you for allowing me to serve as your secretary! Officers and Committee Chairpersons, please email me your reports every month before the meeting (or by the Tuesday after the business meeting) so that I have time to include them in the minutes, thank you! If I do not receive a report, it will be presumed you have nothing to report. If you cannot attend the District meeting, please inform myself or the DCM or Alt DCM ahead of time. Anyone not receiving emails, please let Laura S. know.

**Treasurer: Tom H. ([district12treasurer@gmail.com](mailto:district12treasurer@gmail.com)):**

- Not present. See attached report (presented by Jay C., Asst. Treasurer)

**Asst. Treasurer: Jay C. ([district12assttreasurer@gmail.com](mailto:district12assttreasurer@gmail.com)):**

- Nothing to report

**Property: Jason L. ([district12propertymgt@gmail.com](mailto:district12propertymgt@gmail.com)):**

- Not Present - Nothing to report

**District Services: Kevin P. ([district12districtservices@gmail.com](mailto:district12districtservices@gmail.com)):**

- Nothing to report

**PI/CPC: Susanna W. ([district12picpc@gmail.com](mailto:district12picpc@gmail.com)):**

- Nothing to report

**Registrar: Mike B. ([district12registrar@gmail.com](mailto:district12registrar@gmail.com)):**

- Mike had the opportunity to attend the LCM meeting this month. Good times! Thanks to Dan O. for hosting. The committee came up with a great idea to include D12 Zoom groups in our printed meeting list. Mike agreed to see if our formatting can support that and will report back to the committee next month. There are currently seven virtual groups that are based out of the Manchester area. If you haven't already heard, FLOD is moving from the Lighthouse Church on the west side to the YWCA building at 72 Concord Street. Their first meeting in the new location began on 3/17. If your group is moving, changing formats, or changing times, please let Mike know so he can keep the printed meeting list up to date. It's also important to let Area 43 know so they can update the Meeting Finder app. All you need to do is go to [nhaa.net](http://nhaa.net) and find the 'Resources' drop-down menu and select 'Group Change Form.' Also, if you are a GSR and you're not registered with the Area, go to the 'Resources' menu and click on 'Update GSR Form'. It's easy peasy! If you have tech limitations, give Mike a call or text at 603-318-9359, and we'll figure it out. Mike would like to thank you for the opportunity to be of service.

**LCM'S: Dan O., Dave R., Christine L., Tim F. ([district12lcmnorth@gmail.com](mailto:district12lcmnorth@gmail.com)):**

- The LCM Committee meeting was held at 5:15pm on Thursday, March 12th. The LCM's present were Christine L., Tim F. and Dan O. Also present were DCM Jim M., Alt. DCM Christine P. and Mike B., Registrar. Mike B. added the 7 Zoom meetings in District 12 to each LCM Region. Dan forwarded the newly formatted Regions to Mike I., the webmaster for District 12. Mike I. will put them on the website and have them linked to the LCM emails to keep the communication lines open. Thank you Mike B. and Mike I. for supporting the LCMs on their mission.  
Over the last month: Christine L. attended 2 group meetings, 1 having no GSR. Went to 3 business meetings. Tim F. attended 3 group meetings, 1 having no GSR. Dan O. attended 5 group meetings (making up for last month = zero), 1 having no GSR. Went to 1 business meeting.  
They are keeping the communication lines open between the groups and District 12. Members with questions about District 12 were reported via email to the specific committee chairperson. Ongoing help for GSRs to register on the Area 43 website. Meetings without a GSR were suggested to have representation at the District level. The LCMs want their hands to reach out and up to the groups. They are here to help. The LCMs would like to thank you all for allowing them to serve District 12.

## Corrections: Stacia B. ([district12corrections@gmail.com](mailto:district12corrections@gmail.com)):

- The corrections commitments were on hold for approximately a month or so. The jail's computer systems were compromised and this shut down any emails between the programs coordinator, Steve Goldman and Stacia. The system was recently restored and she will be meeting with Mr. Goldman this week or the following to discuss the existing meetings going into the jail and whether new volunteers will be permitted to go into the facility moving forward. Stacia would like to thank you for allowing her to be of service.

**\*Reminder** - If you are already established with corrections commitments, please be sure Stacia has your updated PREA form. If you are interested in joining/establishing a commitment, please fill out an application! Both of these forms will be available at the district meeting.

## Treatment: Sarah M. ([district12treatment@gmail.com](mailto:district12treatment@gmail.com)):

- Not Present. Sarah reports that Avenues Rehab in Concord is looking for commitments on the following dates: April 5th, June 7th, Aug 2nd, Oct 4th & Dec 6th. The time for each commitment would be 10-12; with the first hour allotted for sharing ESH and the second hour for questions & discussion. Please bring these dates to your groups/spread the word and let Sarah know which date you would like! **She needs someone for April 5th ASAP** as it is in a few weeks. Please reach out to her via call/text at 603-548-0732 or via the treatment email. Sarah would like to thank you for letting her be of service.

## Workshops & Forums: Kaydee G. ([district12workshops@gmail.com](mailto:district12workshops@gmail.com)):

- Not Present

## Functions: Laura C. ([district12functions@gmail.com](mailto:district12functions@gmail.com)):

- Functions will be having a Spring Fling event on 5/9/26 from 6:00-10:00 at St. Raphael's. Laura is just starting to plan now. She should have a flyer soon, as well as a Committee meeting. Laura will send out an email when she gets that done.

**Technology: Mike C. ([district12technology@gmail.com](mailto:district12technology@gmail.com)):**

- Not Present. Thank you David W. for filling in to help facilitate our hybrid District meeting!

**Webmaster: Mike I. ([district12webmaster@gmail.com](mailto:district12webmaster@gmail.com)):**

- Not Present

**Publishing: Jenna C. ([district12publishing@gmail.com](mailto:district12publishing@gmail.com)):**

- Not Present

**Young People's Liaison: Miranda Z. ([district12youngpeople@gmail.com](mailto:district12youngpeople@gmail.com)):**

- This month Miranda attended the NHSCYPAA host committee meeting prior to the convention to see if they needed any help with anything but they had everything situated and ready to go. They did a fantastic job getting everything done in time and had a lot of people helping them execute everything. She then attended the NHSCYPAA convention in Hampton NH. At the convention they announced the winner of the Bid for the next NHSCYPAA and Manchester NH bid won! This means the next NHSCYPAA in 2027 will be in Manchester NH located in District 12! Miranda spoke with multiple members of the Manchester Bid who will be making up a large part of the next NHSCYPAA host committee and exchanged information with them. They said they will most likely start meeting on the 4th Sunday of the month at 2 pm but they will let us know once a final decision on the day/time of their host committee meetings is made. Miranda would like to thank everyone for letting her be of service!

**Search: Dawn S. ([district12search@gmail.com](mailto:district12search@gmail.com)):**

- Nothing to report

**Helpline: Dennis G. ([district12hotline@gmail.com](mailto:district12hotline@gmail.com)):**

- Nothing to report

## **Literature: Amy S.**

- Nothing to report

## **Records/Archives: David S. ([district12archivist@gmail.com](mailto:district12archivist@gmail.com)):**

- Not Present

## **Alcathon: Michelle F. ([district12alcathon@gmail.com](mailto:district12alcathon@gmail.com)):**

- Nothing to report

## **Coffee Maker: Taylor M.**

- Nothing to report

## **Voice Within: Susanne K. ([voicewithinnews@gmail.com](mailto:voicewithinnews@gmail.com)):**

- Nothing to report

## **GSR REPORTS:**

- Dan O. (GSR FLOD) reports that FLOD is moving from the Lighthouse Church on Second Street to the YWCA building at 72 Concord Street. This will be effective as of 3/17/26.
- Joe C. (GSR Heard it Thru the Grapevine) would like to remind everyone their group is always looking for any spare Grapevine issues you may be done with. Please see them on Tuesdays from 7-8pm at 695 Mast Road.

## **QUESTIONS & ANSWERS:**

- N/A in lieu of Special Orders

## ANNOUNCEMENTS:

- Miranda Z., our Area 43 Accessibility Chair, discussed the new flyer "We Bring the Meeting to You" and the corresponding contact sheet. **Both of these flyers are attached to the minutes to share with your groups.**
- As always, keep an eye out for emails to come. You can also find ALL Area43 information on NHAA.net
- A list of all open positions (which we currently do not have any! AMAZING!) and what they entail will be available at the District meeting. You can also find detailed descriptions in our service manual on our District website!  
<https://www.district12nhaa.org/wp-content/uploads/2025/05/Service-Manual-2024.pdf>
- **CONGRATULATIONS!!!** Wayne L. on 35 years! Susanna W. on 4 years! Christine P. on 8 years! It works if you work it; keep Coming!

## UNFINISHED BUSINESS:

- NONE! Thank you to all the members of District 12 for your incredible dedication to service!

## NEW BUSINESS:

- Christine P. entertained a motion that District 12 put together a \$100 raffle basket for Area Convention. Motion so moved by Louie F. and seconded by Kevin P. Dan R. requested more info, to which Christine P. clarified this is generally something District 12 contributes every year to the Area and Laura C., our functions chair has volunteered to put this together. Jim M. also relayed this helps pay for the convention when Districts contribute in this way. Jim M. also then made a motion to allow for \$100-\$150, seconded by Kevin P. Miranda Z. asked if this was something the District would discuss, Jim M. proposed Laura C. can decide. The group voted unanimously in favor of Laura C. preparing a contribution raffle basket for \$100-\$150 for the Area Convention.

## MEETING CLOSURE:

- The meeting ended with the responsibility statement at 7:41pm.
- **Upcoming 2026 meetings:**  
**April 26th**, May 17th, June 28th, July 19th, Aug 16th, Sept 20th, Oct 18th, Nov 15th, Dec 20th.

*Your Trusted Servant,  
Laura S.  
District 12 Secretary*