12th STREET WORKSHOP ONLINE
Business Meeting Minutes

September 13, 2026

Chairperson: Regina
The meeting opened at 4:30 pm ET, with the Serenity Prayer.

REPORTS
Secretary's Report (Addie) Accepted
Treasurer Report (Bruce) No changes. Prudent reserve still $200. Accepted
GSR Report (Sheila) nothing to report
Sponsorship Coordinators (Rizz):Noted that when he refers people to a potential sponsor he asked to receive a callback from the referee, but seldom gets one. Accepted

OLD BUSINESS:
Motion: Bullying was revisited and there was a motion that wordage prohibiting Bullying be added to the script. Them motion passed

NEW BUSINESS:
The practice of calling on/invite members, by name, who have not chosen to raise their hand to share was discussed. It was pointed out that, although this is intended to be inviting and welcoming, being called on by name may produce distress, especially in newcomers.
A MOTION was made to refrain from calling on individuals who have not raised their hands, by name. However Hosts are invited to send an anonymous "ask to unmute" to attendees, and may preface this with something like "I have sent an ask to unmute to someone, you are invited to share if you'd like to, however do not feel that you must respond.You are welcome to simply listen and we are glad you are here" The Motion passed.

At the October 2025 Business Meeting, The Group conscious had voted for a temporary length of service commitments of one year for the initial first year functioning as The 12th Street Workshop Online. That commitment was for ONE year, for all trusted servants.
As that year will be over in October, a more permanent LENGTH OF SERVICE COMMITMENTS was discussed.
A MOTION was made as follows: Length of service for Chair, Secretary, GSR and Treasurer shall be for Two years. The Sponsorship Coordinators term will be for One year. The motion passed.

Members were reminded that:
AT THE OCTOBER11TH BUSINESS MEETING, ALL TRUSTED SERVICE POSITIONS WILL BE UP FOR ELECTION. PLEASE ANNOUNCE THIS AT ALL MEETINGS. EVERYONE IS INVITED TO SELF-NOMINATE, OR TO NOMINATE ANOTHER MEMBER WITH TWO YEARS OF CONTINUOUS SOBRIETY, EXCEPT FOR THE GSR POSITION WHICH IS ONE YEAR OF CONTINUOUS SOBRIETY. PLEASE ATTEND THIS IMPORTANT MEETING.
(The Individual Meeting Host positions are a separate issue and require 90 days of continuous sobriety. These terms turn over every 3 months)

Voting for these Service positions will be at the next Business meeting.
The Meeting ended at 5:30 pm, ET with the Serenity Prayer.
In attendance were from 24-18 members.