

DATE	MOTION	OUTCOME
December 2011		
November 2011	No Motions	
	That Area give \$300.00 to hold a Thanksgiving Day marathon event, to take place on 41st & Ditmars Blvd.	Passed
	If approved funds are not spent within 6 months of the date they were approved by the Western Queens Service committee the WQASC should review the allocation of all such funds. Retaining the right to reassess the viability of such funding considering the current circumstances.	Passed
	That members attending the USFA in Tulsa, OK on 10/28-30/11 bring back a report for the WQASC.	Passed
September 2011	No Motions	
August 2011	No Motions	
July 2011	No Motions	
June 2011	To increase the allotted time for the (open) forum from 3 minutes to 5 minutes.	Passed
May 2011	That WQA pay \$2,000 of the ENYR insurance bill and that WQA pay that \$2,000 toward the ENYR insurance bill annually.	Passed
April 2011	To have a workshop to be informed about the forming of the United States Service Conference [but] to have a representative from the World Service Office Present at the Workshop for the opportunity of sharing their perspective. In addition, that the workshop be located within the geographical boundaries of Western Queens Area (Astoria, Woodside, Jackson heights – River to junction Blvd).	Passed
March 2011	For WQA to have a [regional] service learning day that will include H&I, PI, Helpline and a workshop by the Regional Delegate. Orientations for commitments could take place on site. A stipend of about \$500 would be needed.	Passed
	To Have a workshop to be informed about the forming of the United States Service Conference.	Amended
February 2011	No Motions	
January 2011	To form an ad-hoc committee to review the area's current needs as it pertains to the region.	Passed
December 2010	No Motions	
November 2010	To increase the revolving fund of WQA PI from \$100 to \$250	Passed
	In absence of an E&A Committee, we are requesting \$600 to put on a Thanksgiving and Holiday Marathon. That is \$300 for each non-fundraiser event. This money is already allotted for E&A. I have reserved the space and the rent is \$150 for each event.	Passed
	To hold all nominations for tax preparation coordinator until the requirements and	Failed

	responsibilities for the position are sent back to the groups for their input.	
October 2010	To increase the H&I Subcommittee budget to \$750. Intent: To further carry the message to H&I.	Passed
	To have the area pay for printing and postage of the area minutes.	Passed
September 2010	That Western Queens Area donate \$5,000 to NA World Services.	Passed
	That Western Queens Area donate \$5,000 to the Eastern NY Region.	Passed
	To raise the prudent reserve of the area to \$6,000.	Passed
August 2010	To create the position "tax preparation coordinator". This position would have a term of 5 years, so that there is consistency with the accountant and the taxing authorities.	Passed
July 2010	To donate \$1,000 to NA World Services.	Withdrawn
	To allocate \$173.35 so that Western Queens PI can purchase a PI Presentation Kit.	Passed
	For area to donate 10 basic texts for the dinosaur speaker jam event.	Passed
	To direct the ENYR to purchase meeting Lists from the Greater New York Region.	Passed
June 2010	No Motions	
May 2010	To allow the E&A committee to purchase t-shirts from American Custom Apparel for the Dinosaur Speaker Jam. <i>Amendment:</i> That E&A considers the amount of t-shirts that they order (and order no more than 72 t-shirts).	Passed
	To change the area's bank account from Chase to TD Bank.	Passed
April 2010	No Motions	
March 2010	To include in last months motion to direct the ENYR to file for not for profit status, the following language: "IRS code 501 (c) 3 as an unincorporated association" for the purpose of clarification.	Passed
February 2010	That the ENYR attain un-incorporated non for profit status with the I.R.S.	Passed
	To provide a starter kit so that Vision of Hope meeting can start back up.	Passed
	To have WQASC donate 50 Regional Meeting lists to WQA convention committee for the newcomer registration table at the upcoming convention.	Passed
	For WQA to contribute \$200 toward having stairs repaired in the church where the area, area sub-committees, convention committee and 3 meetings meet. (The Good Sheppard Church asked us to contribute some money for repairs to the stairs we use so often).	
January 2010	That Western Queens Area offer to Eastern NY Region that we will pay the fees needed for them to apply for "not for profit" status. The Eastern NY	Passed

	Region must accept our offer before any money is allotted.		
December 2009	To donate 15 meeting lists to Yes We Can Recover.	Passed	
November 2009	To obtain a storage space for WQA. Access (keyholders) limited to E&A chair and the area chair. The cost is b/w \$80-100.	Passed	
	To change WQA policy so that the webservant's duties include the duties currently required of the meeting list coordinator.	Passed	
	To approve \$82 in literature to be used for all 3 E&A Holiday events. (This is over the \$300 the committee received for the Thanksgiving event).	Passed	
	To increase the policy committee's revolving fund, \$50 a month, to \$100 a month.	Passed	
	To increase the literature review committee's revolving fund, \$25 a month, to \$75 a month.	Passed	
	To increase the newsletter committee's revolving fund, \$50 a month, to \$100 a month.	Passed	
	To create a \$100 a month revolving fund for the RCM and a \$450 once a year amount for the RCM to attend MARLICNA service conference.	Passed	
	To increase the starter's kit for new groups to include \$35 of literature (\$10 increase from \$25)	Passed	
	October 2009	That the area no longer puts an increase on the price of literature it sells to the groups. The groups will pay the same price that the region charges the area.	Passed
		To approve the amount of \$292 for press kits for the Western Queens Area Convention of 2010.	Passed
To give E&A a one time amount of \$300 for the Thanksgiving Meeting Marathon and Dance.		Passed	
To increase E&A's revolving fund for a non-fundraiser, \$200, to \$300.		Passed	
To increase the area secretary's revolving fund, \$25 a month, to \$75 a month.		Passed	
September 2009	To make a change to our policy [page 6, section I, numbers 3 and 4] to read "If a trusted servant of the area misses two consecutive WQASC meetings and fails to give a report for those two months, that trusted servant may be asked to step down."	Passed	
	To increase PI's revolving fund, \$50 a month, to \$100 a month.	Passed	
	To increase H&I's revolving fund, \$100 a month, to \$500 a month.	Passed	
August 2009	To create a revolving annual budget for the web-servant of \$100.	Passed	
	To add to the secretaries responsibilities that they maintain area archives including web passwords and policies. When there is a sitting policy chair, the policy chair shall maintain policy books.	Passed	
July 2009	To table the current motion (for one month) that the webmaster put in the June minutes to amend WQA policy by adding new policy and guidelines.	Passed	

	To make the beta website (WQANA.org) the official WQA website and take down the old site. The old address would redirect to the dot-org site.	Passed
	To change policy so that one copy of the bank statement is mailed to the secretary and one copy is emailed to the treasurer.	Passed
June 2009	To adopt "Web Policy" and add it to WQASC policy.	Passed
May 2009	To have the bank mail a duplicate copy of the bank statement to the WQA secretary. The secretary will be responsible for making certain that there is no unusual, unethical, or unauthorized activity reported on the statement and will bring it to each area meeting.	Passed
	To add (these) paragraphs, in their entirety, to the WQA policy. <i>A. This organization is organized exclusively for charitable, religious, educational, and scientific purposes, including, for such purposes the making of distributions to organizations that qualify as exempt organizations under section 501 © (3) of the Internal Revenue Code, or corresponding section of any future federal tax code.</i> <i>B. No part of the net earnings of the organization shall inure to the benefit of, or be distributable to its members, trustees, officers, or other private person, except that the organization shall be authorized and empowered to pay reasonable compensation for services rendered and to make payments and distributions in furtherance of the purposes set forth in the purpose clause hereof. No substantial part of the activities of the organization shall be the carrying on of propaganda, or otherwise attempting to influence legislation, and the organization shall not participate in, or intervene in (including the publishing or distribution of statements) any political campaign on behalf of any candidate for public office. Notwithstanding any other provision of this document, the organization shall not carry on any other activities not permitted to be carried on (a) by an organization exempt from federal income tax under section 501 © (3) of the Internal Revenue Code, or corresponding section of any future federal tax code, or (b) by an organization, contributions to which are deductible under section 170 © (2) of the Internal Revenue Code, or corresponding section of any future federal tax code.</i> <i>C. Upon the dissolution of the organization, assts shall be distributed for one or more exempt purposes within the meaning of section 501 © (3) of the Internal Revenue Code, or corresponding section of any future federal tax code, or shall be distributed to the federal government, or to a state or local government, for a public purpose. Any such assets not disposed of shall be disposed of by the Court of Common Pleas of the county in which the principal office of the organization is then located, exclusively for such purposes or to such organization or organizations, as said Court shall determine, which are organized and operated exclusively for such purposes.</i>	Passed
April 2009	To distribute \$1,000 of the WQA profits from WQACNA1 to NA World Services.	Passed
March 2009	For the WQ Area to donate 20% of their portions from the proceeds from WQACNA1 to the ENYR.	Passed
	That the WQA produce budgets for all its sub-committees and the area no later than June 2009 area meeting.	Passed
	That the area take an area inventory	Passed
February 2009	That the Eastern New York Region should print a meeting list that contains only the six areas that make up the ENYR.	Failed
	That all nominations for all area positions go back to the groups one month before elections.	Withdrawn
	To buy meeting lists from GNYR (while ENYR does not have them)	Passed
	To use the GSR Orientation Package we made copies of until and if Western Queens comes up with	Passed

	something else	
	To join the GNYR	Failed
January 2009	To have the area bring a motion to ENYR that they include the GNYR meetings (including Brooklyn, Manhattan, Bronx, Staten Island, Suffolk Area as well as northern suburbs) in any meeting lists printed by ENYR.	Passed
December 2008	That all motions that affect WQA groups or NA as a whole, including those which deal with WQA financial policy or use of WQA funds (excluding current funding policies – i.e. sub-committee revolving funds and various financial obligations) go back to the groups for a vote. Motions which need not go back to the groups are those that are time frame, deal with the WQASC itself or motions which are procedural to the area service committee. Subcommittee votes or policies need not go to the groups unless they include requests for money beyond those already allotted by their revolving fund.	Passed
November 2008	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Western Queens Area should stop accepting cash for any transaction. Only money orders, bank or certified checks should be accepted. 2. The bank statement should be mailed to a trusted servant other than a signer on the account to open and review before turning the statement over to the treasurer to use to reconcile the accounts. The recipient of the bank statement will make a copy of the statement for the area's records. 3. The treasurer's monthly report should contain a copy of the bank statement and the report (book) balance will be reconciled to the bank balance monthly. 4. There will be 2 signers of the 3 authorized on each check written by Western Queens Area. 5. No one should sign an incompletely filled out check. Before signing, a check should have the payee, amount and date filled out. 6. The disbursement records should be available for inspection at each Area meeting and a copy should be kept in the area archives. 7. There should be a separate position for literature distribution. 	Passed
October 2008	No motions	
September 2008	To donate two mini- Basic texts to Miracles off Metro for a raffle at their group anniversary picnic, the proceeds of which will go to the Western Queens Area.	Passed
August 2008	To add to ENYRSC policy the following, "The ENYRSC offer assistance in covering its members' travel expenses (excluding RCMs) related to	Failed

	attending RSC meetings. Members must submit dated receipts within 30 days of the expenditure to the regional treasurer.	
July 2008	To create an ad-hoc committee to evaluate the financial needs of the area and its sub committees. Ad hoc committee should include a) the administrative committee b) the chair of each sub-committee c) any interested member of WQA Ad-hoc committee shall meet 30 minutes prior to the WQA meeting. Each committee chair shall present their financial wants and needs including onetime expenses and monthly budget changes.	Passed
June 2008	To amend WQA policy so that the chair of Western Queens Area Public Relations sub-committee are the two designated P.O Box key holders rather than the Chair and Secretary of WQA.	Passed
	That Western Queens apply for "Not for Profit" status with the IRS, using a tax professional. This status would extend to all sub-committees of WQA.	Passed
May 2008	No motions	
April 2008	To make a policy change to allow committee chairs to choose a meeting place, date and time for their committee to meet. A maximum of \$20 will be allotted for rent unless a motion is made before WQASC to increase a specific committee's rent.	Withdrawn
	To obtain a P.O. Box for the Western Queens Area to enable the area to further do business with the community.	Passed
March 2008	That the Western Queens Area hold the 3 day Convention every other year starting in 2010.	Passed
	That the WQA form an ad-hoc committee to review the sub-committees' needs and come forth with recommendations for a new budget.	Tabled
February 2008	To have WQAS put on a CAR workshop.	Passed
January 2008	To have Area donate 50 meeting lists to Convention Committee for use with Public Information at Convention	Passed
December 2007	No Motions	
November 2007	That the WQACC Policy Pamphlet, Pg 5 Section Treasury be amended to read as follows: F. Proceeds from full weekend conventions will be distributed as follows. All loans from Region and Area to be repaid in full then: \$2,000 to remain in Convention Committee Treasury, Remainder to be split 50% to Convention Committee Treasury, 50% to the Western Queens Area Treasury.	Passed
	To adopt a standardized treasury report. A suggested format is included and should be included in the Area Minutes to go to the groups.	Passed
October 2007	For area to donate 1 Basic Text & 1 Just for Today	Passed

	for the WQACC “Night of Comedy” event Saturday Night (11-3-07).	
	That WQA adopt a standard treasurer’s report. We recommend the attached report as it is clear, concise and simple. This is an Excel program that was written specifically for WQA. A copy can be provided or blanks can be provided.	Withdrawn
September 2007	No motions	
August 2007	No motions	
July 2007	That the Eastern New York Region of Narcotics Anonymous fund only the regional delegate and regional delegate alternate to any service convention out of town, learning day or forum.	Passed
June 2007	To have WQASC donate one Miracles Happen, one 25 th Anniversary Basic Text & one gift edition Just For Today to WQACC to be used as raffle prizes at Pre-Convention Fundraiser July 21 st .	Passed
	To amend the Convention Committee policy section treasury, paragraph F, net proceeds from full weekend conventions will be distributed as follows: All loans from Area / Region to be repaid in full, then: \$16,000 to remain in the Convention Committee treasury for the purpose of putting on the next convention. The balance to the Western Queens Area Service Committee.	Withdrawn
May 2007	No Motions	
April 2007	No Motions	
March 2007	To donate 1 Just For Today, 1 Step Working Guide, 1 Anniversary Edition Basic text and 1 Basic Text to the Raffle at the spiritual Breakfast on April 15.	Passed
	To donate \$200 to the ENYR.	Passed
February 2007	In the absence of an RCM, the WQA chairperson or another member of the WQA administrative body shall bring WQA donations to the ENYR.	Passed
January 2007	No Motions	
December 2006	To donate literature to a group to help them become self-supporting.	Passed
November 2006	To have WQA meetings in the room by the kitchen if the church agrees.	Passed
October 2006	For WQA to carry a \$0 balance after monthly expenses and prudent reserve.	Failed
September 2006	No Motions	
August 2006	To donate 2 basic Texts and Basic Journal for the raffle at the Day By Day Group Anniversary. The proceeds from the raffle will be split between WQA & WQA Convention Committee.	
July 2006	No Motions	
June 2006	To increase H&I’s revolving fund to \$400	Passed
May 2006	No Motions	
March-Apr 2006	No Minutes	
February 2006	To donate the remaining funds at the end of this month’s area meeting to the ENYR (not including prudent reserve).	Passed

	To finance the CAR workshop in the amount of \$150. \$50 for rent and the remainder for refreshments, printing costs and supplies.	Passed
January 2006	No Motions	
December 2005	To fund the RCM \$300 for hotel, tolls, gas, registration and meals for MARLCNA XXII.	Passed
	That WQA have a CAR report workshop.	Passed
April –Nov 2005	No Minutes	
March 2005	To waive Section A, part 9, line 3 of the voting procedures which reads, “In the event that a nomination is not forthcoming from either the respective committees or the groups, then nominations will be accepted from the area floor.” The elections should be flexible and include everyone willing and qualified.	Passed
	All accepting nominees in Area elections should be sent back to the groups for a vote and their qualifications should be included in the minutes.	Passed
February 2005	No Motions	
January 2005	To give a starter’s kit to Freedom to Choose group in Maspeth on Tues 7-8:30 p.m.	Passed
	For the Area secretary to include in the December-March Minutes that nominations for area positions should be brought to Area. He/she should also include the qualifications and requirements for elected officers.	Passed
	Nominations for elected officers should be accepted up until March.	Passed
December 2004	To give a starter’s kit to the Living in the Solution group on Sat 6:30-7:30 p.m.	Passed
	To ask the ENYR for \$1,000 seed money for WQACNA I.	Passed
November 2004	To give a starter’s kit to Vision of Hope Group to reopen on Sundays at 4 p.m.	
October 2004	To create WQA Convention Committee.	Passed
September 2004	No Motions	
August 2004	No Motions	
July 2004	To purchase a fax machine to facilitate the treasurer in purchasing literature.	Passed
June 2004	To form an AD HOC Committee to be formed to be called the WQA Convention Committee to look into the possibility of having an area convention in Western Queens.	Passed
	To give a starter’s kit to the Women with Women Group at St. Rita’s Church on Mondays at 7 p.m.	Passed
	To donate \$300 to the ENYR.	Passed
May 2004	To change the starting time of the WQA from 7:00 to 7:30.	Passed
	To change the E&A proposed calendar from Jan-Dec to June-May to coincide with the terms of office.	Passed
	To include in the area policy that we inform the	Passed

	groups in January of the upcoming elections in March to give groups ample time to send nominees.	
April 2004	No Motions	
March 2004	To implement a moratorium on the opening of new meetings in the WQA for a period of 1 year (specifically, the Area will not issue starter's kits to new groups during that period). ** Motion ruled out of order b/c policy states any groups requesting starter's kits must first be voted on at the area level.	
February 2004	For ENYR E&A subcommittee to form AD Hoc Committee to discuss having a convention	Passed
	To inform WQA Chairperson of policy on missing 2 consecutive Area Meetings.	Passed
January 2004	To make the Nassau Area Helpline the ENYR Helpline.	Passed
December 2003	No Meeting	
November 2003	To skip Decembers Area Meeting and resume in January.	Passed
	To have the WQA Secretary mail Area Minutes to the GSRs. This will become WQA policy.	Passed
October 2003	To donate 2 Just For Todays to the ENYR Halloween Dance.	Passed
	To fund the ENYR Literature Review Chair to go to MARLCNA. The cost is \$285.	Failed
September 2003	To donate \$200 to the Nassau Area Helpline.	Passed
	To donate \$300 to the ENYR.	Passed
August 2003	To donate a Miracle's Happen, a Basic Journal and a gift edition Just For Today to our speaker jam on 9/13.	Passed
July 2003	To commit to donating \$50 a month to Nassau Area Helpline when financially feasible.	Passed
	To give a starter's kit to the New Beginning Group located 4-05 Astoria Blvd on Monday 7-8:30 p.m.	Passed
June 2003	No Motions	
May 2003	To donate 4 Books to the Day By Day Group for raffle at group anniversary, to be reimbursed after the picnic.	Passed
April 2003	No Motions	
March 2003	To give \$50 of literature to Public Information for the Wellness Fair at Cardozo High School on Apr 29.	Passed
	To donate 2 Basic Texts, 1 It Works How & Why, 1 Just For Today and one set of Group Readings to the ENYR E&A Subcommittee for Apr 5 Spiritual brunch to give away to newcomers.	
February 2003	That the ENYR be limited to paying for and sending the RD & RDA to service and information conventions & workshops.	Passed
January 2003	To donate \$300 to the ENYR.	Passed
	To send a member of WQA to MARLCNA on 2/14. The cost is \$500.	Failed
	To spend \$50 on copies for service input for the	

	Sponsorship Book.	
December 2002	No Motions	
November 2002	To schedule the December Area meeting one week early so as not to conflict with Christmas day.	Passed
	To have the GNYR speaker exchange/outreach subcommittee give a presentation at WQA.	Passed
October 2002	To donate \$300 to the ENYR.	Passed
	To print \$75 worth of WQA Policy & Guidelines.	Passed
September 2002	No Motions	
August 2002	To loan \$25 to the Queensbridge After Work group for the printing of flyers requesting support.	Passed
July 2002	To donate \$150 to the ENYR.	Passed