

March 2008



Dear Group Service Representative (GSR):

GSR's who were unable to attend the Regional Assembly on March 29, 2008 are receiving this ballot so their group's vote on the motions can be counted.

Please bring this ballot to your group and gather the vote of your group for each motion. Among the four possible options, your group can vote:

- ❖ **for** the motion,
- ❖ **against** the motion,
- ❖ **abstain** from voting on the motion, or
- ❖ **commit** NA World Services to continue the discussion.

If your group wishes to make any further comments on the motion, please include those on the "Comments" line – continue on the back of the sheet if needed.

Please complete and return this ballot no later than *April 19, 2008* to

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By receiving your ballots in a timely manner we'll have enough time to compile the results prior to the Conference (April 27 – May 3, 2008).

Thank you,

JJ Johnson and the lovely and talented Kit Egan (Your Minnesota Regional Delegate Team)

Name of Group: _____

Motion 1 – To replace the existing stories in the fifth Edition Basic Text *Narcotics Anonymous* with those contained in Addendum B.

For: _____ Against: _____

Abstain: _____ Commit: _____

Comments: _____

Motion 2 – To approve the remaining revisions to the Fifth Edition Basic Text,

Narcotics Anonymous, as represented in Addendum B. This includes

- ◆ the Preface to the Sixth Edition,
- ◆ the titles “Our Program” and “Our Members Share,” which would replace the titles “Book One” and “Book Two” respectively,
- ◆ the Introduction to Our Members Share,
- ◆ the abstracts,
- ◆ the reflections, and
- ◆ the titles and descriptions for the sections “Beginnings,” “Coming Home,” “Regardless of ...,” and “Life on Life’s Terms.”

For: _____ Against: _____

Abstain: _____ Commit: _____

Comments: _____

Motion 3 – To allow the World Board to approve updates to the statistical information (the numbers of meetings, countries, and so on) in the Preface to the Sixth Edition Basic Text Narcotics Anonymous regularly with an “as of” date in the footnote.

For: _____ Against: _____

Abstain: _____ Commit: _____

Comments: _____

Motion 4 – To approve the removal of the specific source citations in Just for Today for versions of literature no longer in print and to include, at the beginning of the book, an explanation that quotes without a citation are from previous versions of NA literature. Also to approve the use of a footnote in the foreword to Just for Today to update the reference to the Fifth Edition of the Basic Text.

For: _____ Against: _____

Abstain: _____ Commit: _____

Comments: _____

Motion 5 – To approve the inclusion of an updated and revised index in the Sixth Edition of the Basic Text, Narcotics Anonymous.

For: _____ Against: _____

Abstain: _____ Commit: _____

Comments: _____

Motion 6 – To approve two specific copyedits to the Basic Text Narcotics Anonymous: First, to replace the name “N.A.” (with periods after the two capital letters) with “NA” (with no periods). Second, to remove the footnote in Tradition Eleven that mentions A Guide to Public Information Newly Revised.

For: _____ Against: _____

Abstain: _____ Commit: _____

Comments: _____

Motion 7 – To replace the existing IP #13, Youth and Recovery, with the revised draft contained in Addendum C and change the title of this IP to By Young Addicts, For Young Addicts.

For: _____ Against: _____

Abstain: _____ Commit: _____

Comments: _____

Motion 8 – To approve the draft of For the Parents or Guardians of Young People in NA contained in Addendum E as IP#27.

For: _____ Against: _____

Abstain: _____ Commit: _____

Comments: _____

Motion 9 – To add English Roman Numeral Medallions in Bronze to NAWS inventory as a specialty item and direct the World Board to price them accordingly.

For: _____ Against: _____
Abstain: _____ Commit: _____

Comments: _____

Motion 10 – To direct the World Board to add to NAWS inventory Roman numeral medallions in all current finishes and languages produced by NAWS. Whether these medallions are an addition to inventory or a replacement for the current Arabic numbered medallions is left to NAWS discretion.

For: _____ Against: _____
Abstain: _____ Commit: _____

Comments: _____

Motion 11 – To direct the World Board to provide financial support to the Northern New Jersey Region in the amount of \$36,000.

For: _____ Against: _____
Abstain: _____ Commit: _____

Comments: _____

Motion 12 – To require that all NA Service pamphlets intended for group and individual use be included in the *Conference Agenda Report* for approval.

For: _____ Against: _____
Abstain: _____ Commit: _____

Comments: _____

The following will be used to determine if your Delegate team can vote on issues at the World Conference not already addressed by these motions. This would include all other business to be decided at the Conference (amendments, budgets, etc.).

Vote of Confidence: Yes: _____ No: _____