# Mid-Shore Intergroup Minutes – July 9, 2025 Church of the Brethren, 412 S. Harrison St., Easton, MD 21601

# Attendee

Bob N., As Bill Sees It, Stevensville (zoom) Meg G., Chair, Hillsboro

David S., Thursday, St. Michaels Moe M., Wed Night Beginners, Alt Gy, Happy Hour and Kent Island, (zoom) Nancy A., Vice Chair, Queenstown

Jimmy C., Seeking Serenity, Cambridge Pat G., Hillsboro Groups

Larry R., Office Manager

Macon H., Tuesday Night, Easton

Mark, BYOL, Easton

Rob J., Morning Recovery Group, Easton

Robin P., Conscious Contact (zoom)

Rose R., Tilghman Acceptance

## Opening, Agenda and Quorum

The meeting was opened with reading Tradition 2 and the Declaration of Unity. Introductions were made. A quorum of 11 was present.

### Chair - Meg G.

- A written report for June 2025 was distributed and posted on the Intergroup website page.
- There was a Steering Committee meeting held on June 29, 2025 which was the transition meeting. Six were in attendance and information will be shared in New Business.

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**Treasurer - John McQ - Treasurer's Report for June 30, 2025 -** John was absent and Meg read the report.

Contributions Received	\$780.80
Literature Sales	343.32
Total Income	1,137.12
Total Expenses	780.75
<b>Ending Checking Balance</b>	\$4,945.37
Prudent Reserve	\$5,198.06

A motion was made to accept the April Treasurer's report. The motion was seconded and unanimously passed. A question was raised asking what should homegroup contributions be? Each group decides how they distribute their money. It is suggested 60% Intergroup, 30% General Service Office, 10% Maryland General Service.

#### Secretary – Nancy A.

A motion was made to approve the June 11, 2025 Minutes as amended. An amendment was made to change the Ending Checking Balance to \$7,363.42. The motion was seconded and unanimously passed.

## **Activities - Sandy Y. - No report.**

The new Chair for Activities is Sandy Y.

#### Finance Committee - No report

#### Office Manager & Literature - Larry R.

- The written report was submitted. Larry reported that the Intergroup spent \$2,531 in literature from July 1, 2024-2025. He is tracking literature sales.
- \*\*Make announcements in your meetings asking for volunteers for the Intergroup Office.

### **Corrections - No report**

\*\*A CorrectionsChair is needed. Please announce at your homegroup meetings.

### Treatment Committee - Kristie T. - No Report

The new Chair for Treatment is Kristie T.

# Website - Megan W.

- Website Committee written report was submitted.
- \*\*Megan has created a new page with anniversaries. Ask your homegroups to send their anniversaries to <a href="mailto:info@midshoreintergroup.org">info@midshoreintergroup.org</a> if they would like their anniversary for the next month.
- The Website Committee is in need of volunteers who are tech savvy.

# **Bylaws Committee - Nancy A.**

Nancy A. will work on updating the Operating Procedures this year since we have many new procedures in place.

#### **New Business**

## Intergroup On the Road

Since we serve five counties it has been our practice to take the Intergroup meeting to other counties quarterly. It has been suggested that we have our Intergroup meetings in Centreville six months of the year and Easton for six months of the year because those locations are convenient for different counties. Take this information back to your homegroups and ask if they would like to see this change and if it would encourage them to attend Intergroup meetings.

# Newsletter

Meg has put together a brief newsletter with anniversaries and current news for the area. She is seeking help asking if anyone would like to take on this task of updating this newsletter monthly. It could be brought to the Intergroup meeting and IGRs could distribute it at their homegroups. Macon agreed to help with the newsletter. Larry agreed to provide some Traditions content.

# **Outreach**

The Intergroup Reps are asked to attend a meeting monthly that is outside of their usual area. Once at the meeting make an announcement about Intergroup and provide information to the group. This would provide outreach to outlying meetings and identify the workings of Intergroup.

# **Spotlight on Homegroups**

The Intergroup Reps will be asked to talk about their homegroups at the Intergroup Meeting. Ideas for information are: What is the format of your meeting? Approximately how many are in attendance regularly? What service jobs are in place? Do you get newcomers and how do you greet them? Does your group have a GSR? Do you have regular business meetings or group consciences?

A motion was made to cancel the August, 2025 meeting due to vacations. The Motion was seconded and carried.

THERE WILL NOT BE AN AUGUST 2025 MEETING. The next meeting will be Wednesday, September 10 in Easton.

Respectfully submitted, Nancy A., Vice Chair