Miami-Dade and the Keys Intergroup Meeting April 2, 2023

Introductions/Qualifications:

Chair: Terri, **Vice Chair:** Andrea, **Secretary:** Cheryl, **Outreach Chair:** Lisa, **Rep for Into Action One Day at a Time:** Jakisha, **Hotline Chair:** Ricardo, **JoAnn:** Women Healing Together (Lillian's Meeting), **Gary:** Past Chair and Visitor.

12 STEPS: Andrea

12 TRADITIONS: Cheryl

Discussion of Concept 4: Terri

- Quorum: yes
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- Approval of Agenda: Unanimous.
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- Approval of Last Month's Minutes: Approved
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- **Treasurer's Report:** Ann was not present, but sent in the Treasurer's report. At this time, \$7,648 is in the budget.
- Thanks to Ann for doing this.

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- **Chair's Report:** There are 10 OA meetings. Several members would be willing to attend Intergroup if the meeting
- was less than 1 hour. Andrea suggested that 2 of the 12 meetings (World Service and elections might be one hour
- and thirty meetings.Gary suggested that any members that attend could leave at any time that they wanted to, and
- were not obligated to stay for the entire time. There will be an update on increasing Zoom security at the next meeting.
- **Public Information/ Professional Outreach -Andrea** informed members that we need to decide on a venue and chair
- for the 2023 Convention, and whether it will be on Zoom or in person. A chair has not yet been found for this. The first
- two Health Fairs were described by Lisa and Andrea, who encouraged others to participate in the very enjoyable experience.
- Getting some younger generations involved would be great! Jakisha has been doing a great job getting literature on the
- countertops of the Public Library, and connecting with Health Fairs. Lisa is now the point person for the Health Fairs.

Gary brought up some of the Bylaws, such as not changing any rules before getting it approved by Regional. If a meeting

doesn't do the 7th Tradition, it affects OA as a whole.

The issue of Spanish speaking meetings/literature was addressed, as there is a rule in the by laws about printing in Spanish.

Terri suggested the use of What's Ap as a temporary solution.

- Web/Sunsteps MJ/Lonna: Lonna was not present
- **Special Events (TSW):** Terri reminded members that On the Road Again is on again in the Keys, with an invite to a Drum Circle
- following it. (See Sunsteps).

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Phone Chair: Rick reminded others that messages related to Spanish translation shouldn't be forwarded to Terisita; Sandra has volunteered to take this over.

Responsibility Pledge: Always to extend the hand and heart of Overeaters Anonymous to those who share my compulsion: for this I am responsible.

Closing: Roseanne's Promise Next meeting: Saturday, January 7, 2023, at 1:00pm.