CMIA GSR/DCM MEETING August 7, 2005

Chairman: Rachel S., email: Chair@cmia32.org

Rachel S. opened the meeting with a moment of silence followed by the Serenity Prayer, A.A.

Preamble, and the Responsibility Pledge.

Secretary: Michael A. K., email: Secretary@cmia32.org

Roll Call:

- 32 GSR's and Alternates were in attendance.
- 3 New GSR's attended.
- 1 GSR's attended for their second time.

The 8th Tradition was discussed by Dennis A. and the 8th Concept was discussed by Jack R.

The 9th Tradition will be presented by Scott S. and the 9th Concept presented by Ron A. in St. Johns

Minutes were accepted with corrections

Treasurer: Julie R., email: <u>Treasurer@cmia32.org</u>

Beginning Balance:			\$2,967.13
Income:			
Group Contirbutions		1,708.61	
Baskets		70.00	
Coffee Pot (GSO)		47.94	
Alanon participation		29.00	
Total Income:		1,855.65	
Expenses:			
DCM's	400.00		
Archives	50.00		
Secretary Seed Money (Mike K.)	276.57		
GSO (Coffee Pot)	47.94		
Forum Fund (2005)			
Corrections Literature (CMIA Lit)	500.00		
Host Expenses - Alpena (Kevin T)	500.00		
Treasurer's Expenses (Julie R)			
Grapevine seed (Ron B)	50.00		

Special Needs (Jim M)	50.00	
Total Expenses:	(2,040.19)	
Ending Balance:		\$2,782.59

Literature: Lyle T., email: <u>Literature@cmia32.org</u>

Beginning Balance	\$273.96	Expenses	
Income:		Purchases	576.60
Sales	436.62	Travel Expenses & Storage	243.77
Corrections and committees	963.75	taxes	219.49
Sales Tax	26.22	Total Expenses:	1,019.86
Total Income:	1,426.59		
		Ending Balance	\$680.69
		Inventory valuation	\$13,615.37

Finance Committee: Stanley P., email: Finance@cmia32.org

Number of members present: 7

Beginning Balance	\$2,781.59
Expenses	815.77
Expenses "pending approval"	300.00
Ending Balance	\$1,665.82

Registrar: Steve H., email: Registrar@cmia32.org

I have had no response from GSO since April updates were sent. The data base is locked up until I receive the disc back from GSO. Our delegate will try to set up a conference call with the GSO, delegate and registrar. All change forms are still available from the registrar at steveh89@comcast.net or area assembly.

Forum: Bruce H., email: Forum@cmia32.org

This was the last month for sign ups for the November forum in Houghton. The people who are going to the November forum sponsored by CMIA will be staying at the Super 8 Motel in Houghton. Next month a list will be available of the people who signed up the most and who qualify to be sponsored to go. All committee chairs and officers who want to go to the forum must contact Bruce Hicks as soon as possible. If your name is on the list available at the September assembly meeting you need to see Bruce ASAP. Final forum attendees sponsored by CMIA will be determined by the October CMIA meeting.

Website Committee: Michael K., email: Website@cmia32.org

We would like to report that the money received from Area Assembly last month has been paid to the new web host and that the Area 32 website is up and running on our new web host, Hostway. After a couple glitches we were able to upload our entire site to the new server. Michael K. has made the DNS change and everything appears to be working well coming through our new host. Email addresses and email forwarder addresses for officers and committee chairs have been set up and will be tested in a few days. In answer to a couple questions after the report: The CMIA 32 website address/URL is still cmia32.org and the change to the new web host is/was transparent to the end user. All links to us on other sites will work as intended with no downtime expected.

Last months web statistics (July):

Total Visits	917	Total Unique sites	610
Total Unique URLs	199	Total Unique Referrers	94

The total Unique Referrers is interesting in as much as it reflects the other websites that have linked to us and the search engines that are locating us and sending people to our site. It might be interesting to note that aa.org was the number 2 referrer with 14% of the referrals following Google.com that had 20%.

Treatment Facilities: Keith M., email: Treatment@cmia32.org

We talked about the treatment facilities list and we will take the final cost to the finance committee as soon as we get the bill. We also talked about getting a hot line for treatment facilities for district 2. Susan said she would talk with groups in the Hudson and Adrian area about getting a hot line.

CPC Committee: Chuck C., email: CPC@cmia32.org

(Combined with PI)

Public Information: Stanley P., email: Pl@cmia32.org

District 12 PI and CPC committees will be putting on a presentation for the interns at McLearen Hospital. We talked about a display for the State Convention. Planning to set up display Racks for Colleges and Universities. There were 6 members in attendance.

Archives: Jim D., email: Archives@cmia32.org

CMIA started in 1951. We had a good time at the International Convention in Toronto. There is a large picture of the Friday night meeting on the display table. We are looking forward to the State convention in a couple of weeks. We will have a large archives display set up, stop by and check it out. We appreciate your continued interested and support.

Corrections: Art M., email: Corrections@cmia32.org

Chuck L. gave the report. Thank you for the 500.00 The money went to 15 different facilities for literature. Planning to have a table and display at the convention and could use some help in manning the table. Kevin T. from Alpena is planning a corrections workshop.

Special Needs: Jim M., email: Specialneeds@cmia32.org

(No Report)

Grapevine: Ron B., email: Grapevine@cmia32.org

(No Report)

State Convention 2005 Committee: Ron A. email: Mark C. - Convention@cmia32.org or

Tracey G. - Convention2@cmia32.org

We are in need of your support, to date we only have 389 registrations. The next and last meeting of the committee will be August 20, 2005 at the resort at 3:00pm. The committee could still use your donations for the coffee fund and hospitality rooms.

GSR Orientation: Larry S., email: <u>AltDelegate@cmia32.org</u>

We had seven people attending of which 4 were new GSR's. Discussed importance of service, structure of Area Assembly and handed out the Area handbook and literature.

Delegate: Jesse W. P., email: <u>Delegate@cmia32.org</u>

(See Delegate Report Archives)

Delegate's Report 8/05

Old Business:

New Business:

Announcements:

**Next Month CMIA will be meeting in St. Johns, MI, September 11, 2005

In Service Michael A. K.

