

# TREATMENT FACILITIES COMMITTEE MEETING

## Meeting Minutes

January 8, 2018

Present: Pam F., Area Chair                      Scott C., District 32 TFC Chair                      Darren F., District 31 TFC Chair  
Meece' (Meeka) T., Secty                      Sandy, District 81 TFC Chair                      Byron, District 70 TFC Chair  
Sarah O., Alt Area Chair/District 52 TFC Chair

### 1. Announcements

Introductions; purpose of TFC/Accessibilities Committee  
December minutes reviewed/approved (Scott/Darren)

### 2. Discussion

Plan to have a presentation at April Area Assembly on entering data into our data base. Please bring your laptop or ipad if possible so that we can get ALL hands-on training.

Meeting proposed for database ad hoc committee...prior to Area Assembly presentation. The Ad Hoc committee will discuss what should be input into the data base, who will input data and have the ability to update once the data base is complete.

Any additional sheets should be input directly by each district in this link; <https://goo.gl/forms/ihzKIRtcBfkUzogE3>

Update: Darren F., District 31 Chair, the Salvation Army Harbor Lights Center in district 31 – has new meetings within their facility Mon/Wed/Fri 3:00-4:00 pm. Star of Hope, closed AA meeting, a Thursday of each month for the next year attended by residents only. The women are not allowed to leave the facility for the first 90 days to attend off-site meetings, therefore, there is a need for on-site meetings. The address is 2575 Reed Road, Houston, TX 77051.

Pam F. shared an opportunity to represent TFC/Accessibilities table at the SETA Convention in Beaumont, TX, Jan 19-21, 2018. Please be sure to sign up before the convention, if you plan to attend.

### New Business

- Accessibilities workshop/sharing session by Patrick from GSO on Friday evening at the SETA Convention. More details to come, per Pam F., TFC chair Area 67.
- Ad Hoc committee for Area Assembly Presentation, tentatively for October 2018, Meece' (Meeka) Thorne committee chair. Flyer/Presentation (Darren), Materials (Darren), Treatment Facilities (Meeka) 15 minutes, Accessibilities (Sarah) 15mintes and Bridge the Gap (Pam F.) 15 minutes. Then 15 minutes question and answer.
- Don Brown, Bridge The Gap, declined assistance to update his database! However, the committee has made a commitment to sign up 25 individuals per district for 2018.

[List of attendees]

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**Reminder of District assignments**

- Pam F, district 40
- Angela/OJ, district 90 (TFC chair will change)
- Stephanie, district 81/82/20
- Sarah, district 52
- Darren district 31/33
- Meece' (Meeka), districts 10
- Byron district 70/60
- Allison district 51
- Scott district 32

**Reminder of Goals for the committee in 2017**

- Visit a new facility each quarter
- Continue working to update the data base of treatment facilities by district
- Pamphlet for the quarter "Accessibility For All Alcoholics" P-83 AND "Let's Be Friendly With Our Friends"
- Area Assembly Workshop October 2018
- Sign up 25 new people this year for Bridge the Gap

The next Meeting is scheduled February 12, 2018 Go-to-meeting at 7:00 pm

The meeting closed with the Declaration of Unity.