

Public Information sub-committee meeting 4-27-06

Present: Wayne C. (acting Chair), JB, Rusty C., Scott C., Ben H., Loryn R., Drew M., Gretchen H., Robb W., Vicky D., Denise G., Steve S.

Notes taken by JB, as interim Secretary

Unfinished business:

Scott- Nominations for open positions; Chair, Vice-Chair, Secretary. Jim B. is doing the mailings; 120 sent out quarterly to schools, judicial, and non-addict professionals. We had, as a Sub-committee, two (2) major presentations last year.

Robb- Area minutes not posted as yet for March

Wayne- PI guidelines/bylaws need to be posted onto the Area web-site

Vicky- Are we going to submit a non-profit application for the Saturday Market? General agreement reached. Are we, as a Sub-committee, going to support and/or participate in the Rose City Metro? It was pointed out that PI representatives from each of the three Areas, GWVA, TVA and Portland, had been at the last Metro meeting. The next Rose City Metro meeting will be held the second Tuesday at 7:15 PM at 16th and Division
JB- a Portland Area motion was sent back to the Groups, in which the question of whether or not The Groups were going to “support” the Rose City Metro is addressed.

New business:

Wayne- We, as a Sub-committee, needs to have a Chair and a Secretary.

Robb- Web-host will touch base with the Sub-committee Chairs to ensure that current guidelines/bylaws are posted onto web-site.

Wayne-brought up the possibility of meeting at the same time and location as the H&I Sub-committee in order to foster greater communication between the committees.

Robb- When we met at 16th & SE Division noise was a factor.

Vicky- Those that wanted to attend both meeting could not.

Rusty-PCRCNAXIII has asked this body if we are going to have a PI booth at the upcoming convention.

Scott- Will organize shifts to man the booth

Drew- NAYC (Narcotics Anonymous Youth committee) is here to assist this body with its work and Loryn is here to act as a representative. We have PASC ad-hoc Committee status and are planning to seek standing Sub-committee status in the near future. We, as a Committee meet the 1st Monday at 6th & Burnside at 5:30 PM

JB- Two new meetings not in the schedule or posted on the web-site 1) Freedom in the Flats which meets at 67th and SE Foster from 7-8 PM Monday-Friday 2) For those about to Rock-meets on Fridays at 28th & Sandy at a recovery club.

Scott-We need to be accountable and pay rent here. How about paying \$10/month retroactive to the first of the year? General agreement

Wayne-I'll be here next month to Chair

JB-I'll be here next month to take minutes

Meeting closed