

Tejas Bluebonnet Region NA - Regional Service Conference

February 14th 2026-Hybrid Meeting Hosted by Tri County

The Record



Hosted by: Tri-County Area of Narcotics Anonymous. We extend our deepest gratitude for hosting our Regional Service Committee. The breakfast and snacks provided were surpassed only by the hospitality and fellowship. We are very thankful for the space that was provided.

The meeting was opened at 9:05am. Kent L., our facilitator, opened meeting with moment of silence followed by the serenity prayer. We then had the reading of the 12 Traditions by **(Coastal Bend RCM), (Stephanie).**, Concepts by **(H&I Facilitator), (Jaime F.)**.and the Serenity Prayer by our **(our facilitator), (Kent)**. The vision was read by Scotty. NA Service Prayer was read by all. At 12:30pm we were released for lunch and called back together at 1:30pm

Attendance	Servants	February	
Facilitator	Kent L.	Present	
Co-Facilitator	Mario V.	Present	
Treasurer	Tom K.	Present	
Co-Treasurer	Chris C.	Present	
Policy Facilitator	-----	-----	
Recorder	Blake J.	Present	
Regional Delegate	Ruben P.	Present	
Regional Delegate Alternate	Ray L.	Present	
Hospitals & Institutions Facilitator	Jaime F.	Present	
Public Relations Facilitator	Patsy P.	Present	
Adopt an Inmate Facilitator	Michael F.	Present	
Internet Technology Facilitator	Richard T.	Present	
Literature Review Facilitator	Lynn S.	Present	
NA.org Representative	Randie B.	Present	

Sponsorship Behind the Walls	Susen GB	Present	
Convention 2026 Facilitator	Victoria C.	Absent	
Convention 2026 Co-Facilitator	Gilbert L.	Absent	
Convention 2026 Treasurer	Nick F.	Absent	
Webmaster (Special Worker)	Tom K.	Present	
Contracts and archives	Randie B.	Present	
Attendance	Area	Representatives	February
	Brazos Valley Area	Michael C.	Present
	Brazos Valley Area	Lindsey W.	Absent
	Central Texas Area	Ceci F.	Present
	Central Texas Area	Robert M.	Present
	Coastal Bend Area	David K.	Present
	Coastal Bend Area	Stephanie J.	Present
	Esperanza Area	Satch G.	Present
	Esperanza Area	-----	-----
	Hill Country Area	Carolina S.	Present
	Hill Country Area	Amy L.	Present
	Houston Area	Roberta F.	Present
	Houston Area	Scottie J.	Present
	Northside Area	-----	-----
	Northside Area	Bart P.	Present
	Southeast Texas Area	Jerry L.	Present

	Southeast Texas Area	-----	-----
	Texas Tri-County Area	Victor G.	Absent w/Report
	Texas Tri-County Area	Jaime F.	Temporary Stand-in

Roll Call of Voting Members: 8

Preliminary discussions:

Kent L (Facilitator) Read CBDM and Conduct

[CBDM and Conduct]

https://docs.google.com/document/d/1YJm0db36jG_KZKIUok1cx2tcI12q9w2FD9VtkCHZDAs/edit?usp=sharing

Members discussed procedure of Consensus based decision making

Ray L “Why would a member block?”

Elections:

Kent asked for any nominations or volunteers for Treasurer?

Tom K volunteered

Tom K was asked if he misappropriated NA funds and he explained that he did...when he was 6 weeks clean. Tom K. has 37 years clean.

Tom K consensus treasurer

Chris C nominated for CO-Treasurer

Chris C qualified themselves. 31 years clean multiple treasurer positions. Works steps has worked trades and concepts

Chris C consensus co-treasurer

Policy remains vacant

TBRCNA27: Elections

Kent L nominates Tink L to be facilitator

Tink accepts.

Tink’s concerns “Someone should have been in this position as of August 2025?”

Tink qualifies.

Ruben says that previous facilitators haven't been present at the regional meeting. Will Tink commit to showing up to our service meetings to give us reports.

Tink is our TBRNA 2027 Facilitator.

Kent asked for nominations for CO- Facilitator

Ray L Nominates Tony G.

Tony G. Accepts

Questions for Tony G.

Rande asks if he has any leadership experience? Can you lead the convention if Tink has to drop out.

Tony G. consensus for Co- facilitator.

Kent asks for nominations or volunteers for Treasurer or volunteer for Treasurer.

Kent nominates Robin C

Robin C accepts and qualifies.

Robin C consensus as Treasurer TBRNA 2027

Reports:

Delegate Team:

Ray L.

Hello All,

It is starting to get busy as the conference cycle ramps up. I was able to attend the CP(Conference Participants) meeting on December 13th, where we discussed the upcoming schedule. The next CP meeting is scheduled for February 21st. I also attended two of the three Texas state meetings.

There is a lot of discussion on the Discourse App between our World Board Rep (Danny) and the other RDs/ADs. It is exciting to watch our fellowship having global discussions.

I have placed my reservation with the world office for my conference spot. I will book my flight soon.

Satch reached out to Rubin and me to schedule a CAR/CAT review and are waiting for confirmation on location. We are tentatively scheduled on 2.28.26. As of today, no one else has reached out to schedule any workshops

I know we are also doing a workshop at TBRCNA, and I believe Rubin will be in touch with me soon to go over the details for that workshop.

Amended report.

I also attended the Southern Zonal Forum online.

Ruben P.

Good morning,

Thank you for being of service let me start by saying I have a few things to report as you can see. I have a few downloads. Did you need to pay attention to? Please, as I go through the report try to Refer to them as we move through this.

Attended: I attended the southern zonal form that was held virtually. A few things to report from. The next time we'll meet. Will be at the World Service Conference and it will not be a whole. SZF form meeting. But just to catch up on where we are at as delegates while we're at the conference. In person.

Meeting. Held. In July. 24 to 26 2026 at the Marriott Courtyard. 4344 Low Lake Rd, Sherman TX. If you plan to attend make reservations by July 10th, 2026 to secure the room block rates. Special events will be held Friday and Saturday to at local groups. Also I believe that the topics.

The Workshops. Fund flow. Within the service structure and Medical marijuana. MAT/DRT I attended. The US Zones collab. I have attached.

The Minutes. Look, they've done a lot of work. Very informative information. As we're moving forward. There's a lot to talk about there. Do you have any questions? Please feel free. to ask Once you take a look. I have also attached.

The Annual. From the US collabs. There are other attachments here, like the World Unity Flyer. The US Collapse Rule and Marginalized Flyer. FD and PR from the SEF Meeting Together update. The MZS saved the date flyer. And also that that has bluebonnet RD handout.

Please RCMS. The information is not getting back to the areas. And we're hoping that this might help. We have collaborated with another region. In the hope that we can

streamline. And make your job a little bit easier. I will try to do this in the future, but I'm not real good at this stuff so I've had some help.

Attended. A car workshop and the Texas Tri County area. We had a great turn out. We had a robust. Conversation. I want to thank them for their enthusiasm and their support. They were engaging. And I had some good reports come from some of the members. I applaud them for their service and the time that they took up. And the food was great. I will be conducting a car workshop in the Houston area. And I believe the Houston area has a flyer out for that. I'm asking for reimbursement for gas. To the car workshop. And that amount was \$67.50. I went ahead and booked my flight to the World Service Conference as I started to look at flight cost. This is the cheapest that I had found. In the last couple of weeks and that amount. Was \$ 371.41 Cut amount totals.\$ 438 91. As a date gets closer to the World Service Conference, I will be asking. For monies to pay for hotel. And food. arriving May 1st and staying until the 10th. I'm asking that we move the date for the May RSC to May 30 2026 to gives us Enough time to. To report back from the WSC. Remember that we're having a virtual.

Regional assembly. GSR's and RCMS are asked to attend. And we will be going over the car cat. Also, we are scheduled to do a workshop. As part of our regional. Convention. And it's scheduled. For Saturday morning I believe it's 10AM I may be wrong about the time . And that will be over the car cat On March the 7th, 2026. If any areas would like us to come and do a car workshop, we are available. And we'll do our best to make it happen. And we'll constructing a report. To The World Service Conference. What I need from the RCM 's. If you could please email me with this information. And that is how many? Meetings does your area have? How many are virtual? And do you have PR and FD? Services being conducted. And how many H and I commitments? Being done within your area. Will help me fill out. The report to the conference. In real time. If you could please email me that. Information. I'd appreciate it very much. Thank you for your time and thank you for allowing me the privilege to serve the TEJAS Bluebonnet region.

Ruben asks to the meeting out two weeks to give him and Ray time to produce a report.

Fund flow, hearing that lots of groups and areas are holding onto a lot of money. We need to start to talk about, how we're doing this. As a region, we need to talk about it.

RSC Reports:

Facilitator:

Facilitators Report Winter RSC Feb 14th 2026

Good morning to all,

First, I would like to thank you for giving me the honor to serve as your facilitator of the Region. I will strive to do the best that I can to perform the responsibilities of this service position. As we go forward, I would like to remind all that "Our leaders are but trusted servants; they do not govern." As well as "Our common welfare should come first; personal recovery depends on NA unity." I quote these traditions to remind us that we are equal in this meeting as well as within our fellowship. I would like to see this, and future RSC's conducted with Unity. I Love our fellowship and being of service to its members. I'm pretty sure that all of those in this meeting feel the same way. Thank you.

I attended the last two Texas State Advisory Board meetings. The last meeting was all virtual due to the freeze. At this meeting I introduced Mario V. to the board as the new Liaison for TBRNA.

Thank you

Co-Facilitator:

Hello family my name is Mario and I'm an addict. Let me start by saying it is an honor and a privilege to serve this committee as a co-facilitator.

On January 24th I attended the Texas State convention of Narcotics Anonymous board meeting virtually. They're 13 board position members at large and four eleison positions. Well 5 actually but Lonestar has never had any one attend. TSCNA will be held in Bryan-College Station on May 22-24.

Treasurer:

See attached. <https://drive.google.com/file/d/19LPrFgFhpuHwzIAkzLbx-Qar5TIDvERS/view?usp=sharing>

We still have a couple of responsibilities to address. But neither should keep us from conducting business.

- Remainder of the Convention Donation to NAWS - \$1,734.56
- 1/2 annual Liability Insurance premium. Due May 20th - \$2,592.50

Today's working balance is \$856.73. This includes the Convention Donation to NAWS deduction.

On a related note. I am throwing my hat in the ring for the open Treasurer slot.

ILS

Tom K

Recorder: (ME)

Area Reports:

Brazos Valley Area of NA, BVANA

RCM Report

February 14, 2025

BVANA consists of 7 Groups conducting 18 meetings per week.

Crossroads, Lyons, TX

I Can't We Can, Bryan, TX

Miracles Happen, Bryan, TX

New Beginnings, Rockdale, TX

New Freedom, Caldwell, TX

Serenity Happens, Brenham, TX

Strength & Hope, Bryan, TX

Service Body: Sub-committees

Chair; George T, 2 nd term H&I, Natalie B

Co-Chair; Donna S, 2 nd term PR, Mathew B

Treasurer; MichaelC, another term Lit Bank, Lindsey W

Co-Treasurer; Donna S TSCNA-26 Chair,

DeAngela S

Recorder; Donna S, 2 nd term

RCM; MichaelC, another term in alignment to odd yr policy

RCM2; Lindsey W contact info:

BVANA.org

Policy, Activities and Outreach are Ad-hoc positions

Area PO Box; Brazos Valley Area NA, PO Box 672, Caldwell, TX 77836

In old business, the Groups passed a policy change for the Area quarterly donation to Region. From \$300 per quarter, to 30% of the working balance, based on the treasurer's closing report the Area meeting prior to Region, with a \$300 max cap. This qtr. donation is \$259.19.

BVANA has no nominations Regional level trusted servants.

TSCNA-26 is physically progressing well and on time with the flow chart developed have specific tasks completed in a timely manner. The event is excepting speaker tapes till the end of February. Continuing to raise financial donations through event support. And seeking manpower volunteers at the event (May 22-24).

Please go on site (TSCNA.org) and register both with food package registration and hotel registration. This year's hotel contract is based on a food and beverage contract guarantee instead of a room block guarantee.

ILS,

MichaelC, 979-209-4679, mctat2u@aol.com

CENTRAL TEXAS AREA

Hi all,

Attached is my report, along with a document with a summary of three discussion points our area asked about, which I'll bring for open discussion tomorrow. I'd also like to welcome the new RCMII for the Central Texas Area, Robert Mitchell! I cc'd him here since I don't think he's been added to the TBRNA listserv yet.

Thank you all for your service!

Ceci F. (they/them)
RCM I CTANA

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<https://drive.google.com/file/d/1jEw9pOCZ8POn17eN65uy5XP5d-V9gMWJ/view?usp=sharing>

There was some discussion about CTANA donating directly to a convention?

Coastal Bend AREA

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Esperanza Area

Satch G.

<https://drive.google.com/file/d/1fFPO8-0plDYz1G358IVN639hwBpD8TY4/view?usp=sharing>

Hill Country Area

Hill Country Area – RCM Report

Tejas Bluebonnet Region RSC

February 2026

Hill Country Area continues to remain stable with 17 active groups holding 18 meetings per week. There have been no meeting closures this cycle, and participation has remained steady.

This quarter, the Area officially launched its Literature Bank. Inventory has been established based on common group ordering needs, and guidelines and budgeting structures have been put into place. The goal is to improve access to literature locally while simplifying the ordering process for our groups. We are committed to maintaining clear accountability and regular reconciliation to ensure the bank remains sustainable.

We have also added a new Literature Study meeting to the Area schedule. The meeting focuses on deeper engagement with NA literature and strengthening members' understanding of the Basic Text and other approved materials. It has been well received and supports continued unity and growth within the Area.

Carlos has expressed interest in developing a new Hill Country Area website and plans to submit a formal web proposal for Area consideration. The intent is to improve communication and provide clearer access to meeting information and Area updates. As this moves forward, hosting, maintenance responsibility, and alignment with NA service guidelines will be clearly defined to ensure long-term sustainability.

As hosts of the upcoming TBRCNA 26, we are requesting support from the Region and surrounding Areas. We currently need Hospitality volunteers on March 6 from 10:00 PM to 12:00 AM. Registration is also in need of volunteers from 1:00 PM to 5:00 PM that same day. In addition, we are seeking Serenity Keepers for all convention shifts. We

encourage members who are willing to be of service to help fill these positions so we can provide a welcoming and safe environment for all attendees.

At this time, Hill Country Area has no additional concerns to bring before the Region.

In loving service,

Hill Country Area

Carolina Sisti RCM I

Amy Laird RCM II

Houston Area

Houston area has 47 meetings +plus

The Houston area had our current one time a year in person meeting in December. We have voted in a new area Activity Chair, Tanya, who has some great activities with her committee for this year. We have open positions at area for Co-chair, Recorder, Phonenumber and Brian N is reporting that "his area PI position ending this year and area will need a new PI chair and he would like to be training one now ahead of ending his position". The Houston area also did there yearly budget.

We have an area workshop coming up on February 21st at The Gulf Coast Club for the CARR as well as some info on disruptive behavior. Ruben P will be leading the workshop, a thank you to him, as well as we will be having hot dogs and hamburgers as well as members attending are being asked to bring side dishes as well. The event is from 11am to 4 pm. It was announced at area as well as there is a flyer on our area website. The gsr's were encouraged to let groups know and encouraged to go on NA.org to look at information so they had discussion points.

RCM 2 Scotty J attended the "Chance for Freedom" group inventory. He also went out to "Our Common Bond" group meeting on Jan 24th and did a speaker meeting. Happy 35 years to him. Scotty also attended the Esperanza convention as well. I RCM1 attended the Tri county convention, as well as Scotty the RCM 2 did also.

Our area has been asked to do hospitality suite at TBCRNA and it will be Saturday March 7th from 10 am to 12 noon, so we are planning that.

I myself RCM 1 will be attending the Regional meeting online and Scotty J RCM2 plans on attending the Regional meeting in person in Texas City.

Houston area donated to Region and WSO also this month.

Grateful to be in service,
Roberta F RCM1,206-954-8036
Scotty J RCM 2

Northside Area

Bart P.

Verbal Report see recording 12:05pm or 3h after start

Southeast Texas Area

<https://drive.google.com/file/d/1ligR7K-9njdlQhcuU2KIBgpB79AIJAYa/view?usp=sharing>

Jerry L.

Texas Tri-County Area

Victor G. Absent with report from Jaime F standing in.

Verbal Report given at 12:28pm or 3h 23m from start

Subcommittee Reports

H&I Jaime F

Region H&I Report

February 14, 2026

Good morning everyone,

This has been a very long quarter for me. When we met in November, we recapped Learning Day and discussed how things were going well within the Region.

December was a difficult month. We did meet; however, I was only a couple of days out of the hospital at that time, and it was a rough period for me. I do recall that we discussed the possibility of hosting another Learning Day, and more will be revealed on that as details develop.

We have not yet met in February; our next meeting is scheduled for the end of the month. We are currently looking at hosting the next Learning Day at either Esperanza or Central Texas and are gathering pricing information before our upcoming meeting.

I apologize for the somewhat off-beat report, but it has been a challenging quarter personally.

Thank you for allowing me to be of service.

Public Relations

Hello Everyone,

It's been a quiet quarter for the most part. I was able to speak to a handful of trusted servants regarding Fellowship Development and how to utilize it in their areas. Along with providing guidance on Public Relations, the similarity and difference between the two.

I attended the SZF PR/FD meeting and will assist with a presentation on gathering information for the different regions subcommittees in preparation of a Professional presentation. I will use the same format that is being utilized by NATexas.

I am sure Randie covered this but she and I will prepare a mass emailing for NATexas very soon with the email address she has received. We still need to collect more emails from professionals from your area. Please ask your PR chair to contact me or Randie for guidance.

I would like to ask if you are a new RD or RD Alt. and not familiar with the NATexas email gathering task to please speak with me or Randie and we will provide the instructions and provide training or support to your area.

I would like to ask again for a list of your area trusted servants or an email that can be utilized to reach your GSR and trusted servants.

Please let me know if I can be of service to you or your area as it pertains to PR or FD.

Respectfully,

Patsy P., PR Facilitator
512-954-8079

Adopt an Inmate

Michael F.

Greetings Regional family. I will not be able to attend in person due to my back injury I'm still recovering from. I had 20 requests for literature this quarter and I'm still receiving quite a few requests for help from indigent inmates, penpal requests and sponsorship requests.

I think Susen is still receiving the latter but I think we need to change the wording on the flyer to stop the confusion about this program. Just a thought. This is a list of the literature requested.

Basic Text-20

JFT-1

Step Working Guide-1

CBANA meeting schedule-1

Thanks for letting me serve!

Internet Technology Facilitator

Richard T.

Verbal report 1:51pm

Site migration still in works. Demo run end of march. Waiting to know when it's okay to order Owl. Turning in gas receipt, \$40.22 and then I've misplaced our region projector. Working to find it but we believe it's packed up and in the HACNA storage unit. He will make sure that it's found or replaced.

Literature Review

Lynn S.

Literature Review Report

Saturday February 14, 2026

Hello everyone from Literature Review!

I will have to leave the meeting at 3:00 because I have to go to a wedding.

The literature survey is in the Conference Agenda Report (CAR). Go to na.org to access the survey. Go to projects and surveys. Click on current surveys and you will find the CAR surveys. The deadline for completing the survey is April 1, 2026. Let your voice be heard about what literature projects you want to see happen.

The CAR also includes the approval draft of the revision of IP# 21 Staying Clean In Isolation, formerly titled The Loner. Motion 1 of the CAR asks the Fellowship's approval to adopt this revision. To access the CAR go to na.org. Go to NA World Services, click on World Service Conference and you will find the CAR.

The third and final piece of the new H&I Basics revision is available for review and input for 90 days. That makes the deadline approximately April 20, 2026. This third piece contains information for and about local H&I committees. At the end of the 90 day review period the draft will be revised and all three pieces will be available as Service Material. Go to na.org, click on projects and surveys then choose current surveys to access the H&I review and input survey.

The Membership Survey pamphlet updated with information from the 2024 membership survey is available. Go to the online store at na.org and enter item number 2301. This pamphlet is listed for 0.37.

Refreshed versions of IP# 1604 NA: A Resource In Your Community (0.48) and IP# 2302 Information About NA (0.37) are available now. The IP numbers are the item numbers at the web store.

An audio version of An Introductory Guide to Narcotics Anonymous has been posted at na.org/audio.

Finally a revision of Serving NA in Rural and Isolated Communities has been posted. Go to na.org/ruralservices to access that piece of literature.

I am working on an online workshop for the CAR literature survey on Tuesday March 24, 2026 at 7 pm. More will be revealed when I get details finalized.

The next Literature Review online meeting will be Tuesday April 14, 2026 at 7 pm. The meeting ID is 994 558 9344. The password is tbrna.

If your Area has a Literature Review subcommittee or would like to start one please let me know.

Please contact me if you have questions or need more information.

In Loving Service, Lynn S

quietlymknngnoise@yahoo.com

210-379-1377

Sponsorship Behind the Walls

Susen GB

Hello,

We now have 62 volunteers. We need at least 100 before we can start sending out flyers to the prisons. I went to Houston's convention, Best Little Regions convention and a New Years Eve gathering. I'll be asking for more volunteers at our regional convention next month. I'll be making a new flyer to send out to everyone shortly. Can you please share with your areas that we need more volunteers so we can get this up and running.

We did have 2 people request a sponsor, both of the requests were filled. Our email is sponsorship@tbrna.org.

I'll be attending as many large gatherings and conventions that I find in Texas to get more volunteers.

Thank you for allowing me to be of service.

Thank you,

Susen Guckert Burke
Fashion Sales Consultant
Marcolin Eyewear USA
512-743-5258

Looking for people to sponsor inmates in the city in which they're going to be released in.

Perhaps 1 person can sponsor more than 1 inmate

Perhaps we have enough volunteers to try a test run on just one facility

Convention 2026

Victoria C.

TBRCNA 26 Facilitator Report 2-10-26

Hello all,

Did you know there's only 20 days until T.B.R.C.N.A. 26, there will be 20 days until the convention when I read this at region. We are currently at 250 Room Nights and have asked the hotel to extend our Room Block to February 26 th . We need to be at 260 Room Nights to meet our block, so if you are planning on coming and have not booked your room, please do so. The best way to book your room is by calling the Marriott Central Reservation line directly at 1-844-886-4304 and referring to the group block name: Tejas Bluebonnet. TODAY is the last day to order pre-sale Merchandise via the website so order your items today.

We have a current Bank Balance of \$23,559.21 (**VERBAL EDIT (\$24,038.64)**) and I have attached the Bank

Statement for January of 2026. The Hotel is expecting about \$19,000 up front and we still need to order our Merchandise. The Region still owes us \$3,000 (**VERBAL EDIT \$2,000**) so we were hoping that we can get taken care of today. Everything is running smoothly so far and we are set to have our last two Subcommittee Meetings on Sunday, February 22 nd at 4:00 PM & Sunday, March 1st at 4:00 PM via Zoom.
Meeting ID: 586 899 8944
Passcode: NA1953

In Loving Service,
Victoria C
TBRCNA 26 Facilitator
vclark0526@gmail.com

Q. Tom – “During lunch I looked and it’s \$13,500 and got approved up to \$18,000, and at that time we gave \$3,000 already. Difference of \$4,500. We owe \$1,500 and will be taken care of today.)

NA Texas Liaison

Randie B.

9NATEXAS.ORG
Report to Region
February 2026

Bank balance is \$906.47. (**VERBAL EDIT minus \$410**) We are paying our annual bill for our website totaling \$410.00.

We are moving forward with our mail project even though we do not have data from all Areas in Texas. Most are not including email addresses so we will be trying to get those on our own as a physical mailing will be costing us more. We will be presenting a request from all four Regions for funds for this project.

We are still working on purchasing a poker chip to hand out which will have our logo on one side and a QR code on the other.

Please let us know if you would like a presentation at your Area to keep this project moving forward.

Date of next meeting is: February 23, 2026 @ 6:30 PM.

Meeting ID 884 7127 6175 (**VERBAL EDIT**) 836-7215-7065.

Password: 007092 (**VERBAL EDIT** 984679)

In service,

Randie Benno

“There are some large cities that we don’t have any info on.”

Convention Contracts Task Group

Randie B.

[Verbal Report 2:34pm]

Seeking volunteers to learn her ways.

OPEN DISCUSSIONS

2:40pm

CTANA brought the following to Open Discussion

1) Minimizing unnecessary spending at TBRNA: In the process of discussing the donation to this region, our body raised concerns and questions regarding what the regional service body is doing to minimize unnecessary spending. There were specific requests from our body to ask the TBRNA service body to further reduce spending on travel expenses for our Regional Delegates (RD/RDA) if possible.

2) Fund flow in NA & helping struggling groups: At the Feb. 2026 CTANA area service committee meeting (ASC) The Tejas Bluebonnet Regional Delegate Reuben P. emphasized the importance of moving funds up the service structure quickly. While the body resonated with the importance of not sitting on excess funds as an area, the body also raised questions about how to materially support struggling groups, since there is no flow of funds down the NA service hierarchy. In our area, it is the meetings in neighborhoods that have more actively using addicts, meetings that are heavily attended by treatment centers, and meetings in historically marginalized neighborhoods that struggle the most financially. Here’s a diagram of how funds flow through the NA service structure currently

3) Request for guidance on setting up digital donation system for groups:

Many groups in our area would like support and guidance regarding how best to set up and use digital 7th tradition donations. Perhaps that's something one of our regional service body members could provide guidance on? This would also make it easier for individual NA members to donate to a struggling group.

Q. Chris C. "Every year we do a budget that goes back to the areas thru the RCMs. If there's a budget that your area would like to see, then as an RCM you have the right to ask to see it. I know that when budgets are presented, they do go back...there have been questions raised regarding why we're spending this money. It's been very lengthy conversations.

Q. Ruben "It has always been our policy that delegate conducts CARs workshops whenever we are asked by area. And we have always funded our policy. There are many things that I do that I don't turn in receipts for. We're already being frugal. What we do, we're mindful about what we're doing. We may chose not to go to a SZF because we're planning to go to a MZF.

Q. Jerry "Are there any ways we can reduce spending? Rubens job is a great thing, he's got to do it. What we need to decide is if there indeed is a spending problem and if there's anything we can do better. RD works for the committee and he's going to do what the committee tells him to do. We just need to stop all this discussion at this point I think. We either need to have a motion to reduce funding or not.

Q. Carolina, "What even defines excessive spending? What's even the budget? Is there a yearly budget?"

Q. Tom, "We're going to do an audit in the next three weeks. There will be a report issued before the next RSC. Yes we are supposed to budget this Q.

Q. Ceci "We don't have a answer to "what is excessive spending" Action items Maybe we can not donate the proceeds from TBRCNA to world.

Q. Jaime, "Months ago I was all about cutting the budget until I started getting involved in the ZFs. Now I understand more about why it's important that they go. They do things there that we don't do here. The work they're going at WS is amazing. I firmly believe that it's a necessity."

Q. Chris "If anyone has questions about budget and per diam and travel please see section 7 of regional policy.

Q. Ceci proposes "Proposal to postpone the donation of proceeds from the TBRCNA 2026 to NAWS until after the August 2026 RSC."

Q. Richard "They seem to think our budget is tight...but it's designed to run tight"

2Q. Patsi "In PR hand book chap 12. Fellowship development is here.

Q. Randie "Area is there to help struggling groups. But sometimes groups are supposed to close. It

doesn't make sense what we said in the report that you donate \$1000 to Texas State. It circumvents the fund flow."

Q. David "We have taken care of groups in need but it comes out of the area budget."

Q. Satch "Finite amount of resources, there's always going to be places we can do better."

Q. Ceci thanked region for explaining everything and helping them understand the way it works.

3Q. Much discussion around how to do virtual donations at the group level. Richard and Randie shared experience. Ray and Richard may put together some media explaining to groups how to set this up.

When to do the audit?

- 1. Decided to do at 11am 2/28/2026 in North Austin Kent, Tom, Ceci, Chris, Carolina (Meeting will be Hybrid)**

NEW BUSINESS

Proposal #1 CTANA brings "Proposal to postpone the donation of proceeds from the TBRCNA 2026 to NAWS until the end of business at August 2026 RSC."

Intent "To give the TBRNA service body more time to see the results of the treasurer audit and discuss the full budget for TBRNA"

Q. Many asked, "What was the intent?"

Q. Richard says, "We need to address the policy...not the timing of the donation. Proposal is not written in that way."

Q. Bart, "This fills our bank so we can fund the region for all other activities throughout the year."

Q. Chris, "We may still not even know the exact numbers by August. We won't know until the books are completely closed...so the extra time may not matter much. I support it...however it needs to have more specificity on the end of it to show intent."

Q. Randie, "Makes new proposal. - At August RSC we send 1/3 to world of the proceeds and hold on to 2/3s."

Q. Patsi "Didn't we already borrow from the RDs budget to fund other things. We do not have money like we used to."

Q. Richard “We already have policy for this. We need to look at that before we change anything”

Q. Much fast discussion. Kent, Ruben, Chris Tom, Randie, Richard **Worried about this affecting 2026 or 2027 convention and even if we change this policy which convention would it affect. Everyone dug into policy to review wording.

1. We had one stand aside “Because it addresses the wrong side of the economic issue.”
2. Consensus was reached

Proposal #2 Stephanie brings “Move date and time of next RSC to 5/30/2026 pending that works for Northside Area. If we’re unable to make arrangements with Northside Area, we may meet virtually”

1. Consensus was reached

Treasurer update:

Start of February 2026 RSC	7541.29	
Southern Zonal Forum Donation	-300	SZF
NAWS Convention Donation (Remainder)	-1734.56	NAWS
Here and Now for Venue	-250	Admin
Brazos Valley Area	259.19	Donation
Mario V for Travel	-171.34	RSC Travel
RD WSC Travel	-371.41	RD Team
RD RSC Travel	-67.5	RSC Travel
RSC Travel for Archives and RD	-531.47	RSC Travel
Kent L RSC Travel	-308.22	RSC Travel
Richard T Travel	-40.22	RSC Travel
TBRCNA Seed	-1500	Admin
Total	2375.76	
Prudent	-1500	

RD Team Travel	-2,628.59	
Working	-1752.83	
	Convention	Other
Half TBRCNA determined at May RSC	7,467.34	
Payment made in May (1/3)	-2,489.11	
Payment made in August (1/3 minus \$1000 by conscience)	-1,489.11	-10.12
Payment made in November (conscience as we juggled)	-1,754.55	-450.15
Remainder	1,734.56	
USLI (Tom Kraft Design will pay and invoice)	2,592.50	Due 5/20
Additional Owl camera (when prudent)	900	Approximate
TBRCNA Seed		
Seed was 13500		
Aug increase to 18000		
Aug Bill Pay 3000		
Remainder 1500		

Announcements: Next RSC will be hosted by Northside Area