District 3b/3c Archives

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**AA Group History**

* Who were the founding members of the group?
* Where and when was the first meeting held? In date order, list where later meetings have been held. Include city, state, building, residence, church, clubhouse, etc.
* Did the group list with the General Service Office at the time the members first met?
* What is the group’s name? Have there been any changes to the group’s name over the years?
* What initiated the meeting: was it the offshoot of a parent group; was there a split due to disagreements; did a few A.A.’s simply decide to start a hometown group, etc.
* How did the founding members let the community known that a new A.A. meeting was forming?
* How many members attended the group’s first meeting?
* Describe member composition, for example, men only, women, young people, etc.
* How did the group experience growth over the years?
* Are group inventories conducted regularly and have they been helpful?
* Who were the early group officers? List, for example, GSR, Group Contact, Chair, Group Secretary, etc.
* Has the group used a steering committee?
* Have any group members participated in District, Area or other service to the Fellowship?
* How often were meetings held and has that changed over the years?
* What meeting formats have been used – closed, open, discussion, etc.
* Describe the group’s growing pains or controversies.
* How does the group celebrate group member’s anniversaries of sobriety?
* How was the group celebrated the anniversary of its’ founding
* Describe how the group has cooperated with professional agencies (by signing court cards, supporting a meeting in an institutional setting, taking regular phone duty at the Intergroup or Central Office, etc.)?
* Has the group participated in special local or regional A.A. functions, such as conventions, conferences, round-ups, forums or workshops?