

## REPORT TO BIG 11/20/21

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1 – I attended The SENY assembly on 11/7/21 and the Brooklyn County meeting on 11/17/21. Both were virtual.

2 – Websites – SENY – AASENY.org  
Brooklyn County – BrooklynAA.org  
General Services – AA.org

### 3 – **SENY assembly** –

- A) SENY has \$84,000.00 in cash and a prudent reserve of \$121,000.00 (10.5 months)
- B) Grapevine has started a podcast
- C) There is a new AA Service Manual. It is available in PDF, and it was scheduled to be printed on 11/19/21.
- D) AA World Services has been rebuilding their prudent reserve. The target is 9 to 12 months. They have 8.5 months thus far. All of World Services budget categories are on target. At the end of the 3<sup>rd</sup> quarter of 2021, literature sales, contributions and expenses are all at about 75% of the projected budget.
- E) The General Services Conference of Alcoholics Anonymous will be held at the Brooklyn Bridge Marriot from April 24 – 30, 2022. This is not open to the public. SENY needs volunteers for hospitality. If interested, please email your contact info to treasurer@aaseny.org
- F) There are 170 proposed agenda items for the 2022 conference. 49 of them are proposals to rescind advisory actions passed in the 2021 conference.
- G) The SENY Convention will be held in person from April 1 – 3, 2022 in Tarrytown, NY. Members can volunteer to be part of the planning committee; and greeters, hospitality, speakers and other volunteers are needed. You can register for the convention. The registration fee is \$25.00. Registration plus Saturday evening banquet is \$100.00. The SENY rate for the hotel is \$137.00 plus tax per night. You can come just for Saturday.
- H) There is a 12 week virtual open forum starting on January 9, 2022 to learn about the new AA Service Manual and the 12 Concepts for World Service.
- I) The next SENY assembly will be hybrid and it will be held on Sunday, January 23, 2022.
- J) The AA International Convention of 2025 will be held in British Columbia, Canada.

### 4 - **Brooklyn County Meeting** –

- A) Brooklyn County has \$11,600.00 in cash and a prudent reserve of \$2,500.00.

- B) St. Francis College had been the in-person meeting venue for Brooklyn County. However, St. Francis has many restrictive COVID based policies that make it problematic for us to resume having meetings there. So, we will be holding our meetings online until we find a suitable venue.
- C) The Brooklyn County Spiritual Breakfast will be virtual, and it will take place on Dec 5, 2021, 9:00AM to 11:30AM. Volunteers are needed.
- D) Brooklyn County has several open service positions including Treasurer, Junction editor, web chair and several other Standing Committee Chairs.
- E) Brooklyn County is exploring whether it will hire a bus to transport people to the SENY Convention as it had done in previous years. If you know people who are interested in going to the convention in a coach bus, please let your GSRs and DCMs know.