CAR 2022

Motion 4:

To approve the book contained in Addendum B, "A Spiritual Principle a Day" as Fellowship-approved recovery literature. Intent: To have an additional piece of Fellowship-approved material available for use by NA members, groups, and service committees. Financial Impact The cost of creating this material has already been incurred. The only additional costs that would result from adopting this motion are initial production costs, which would be minimal. Policy Affected: None

Project History:

Budget and project plans

WSC 2016

Motion #19 To approve the Recovery Literature project plan for work in the 2016–2018 conference cycle. Maker: World Board

Franney J (WB Chair) presented the motion and asked the body if they agreed with the direction of the project plan as follows: Front-end input to be gathered on the daily meditation book and mental health IP project plans in the 2016–2018 cycle, with project plans to be included in the 2018 CAT.

Straw poll Motion 19: consensus support 121-3-0-0 (yes-no-abstain-present not voting)

(see WSC 2016 Conference report) for more info search for "meditation" ctrl+f

WSC 2018

Motion #33 World Board, To approve the project plan for a New Daily Meditation Book for inclusion in the 2018-2020 Narcotics Anonymous World Services, Inc. budget.

Vote on Motion #33: 117/8/0/2 Consensus support.

No objection to the initial straw poll serving as the final decision.

(see WSC 2018 Approved minutes) for more info search for "meditation" using ctrl+f

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For clarity the input and review for the SPAD project has been ongoing since it was finally adopted in 2018 and has been the subject of numerous review and input drafts being released over that time.

Motion 4 is explicitly asking the fellowship to approve the final draft prior to it being printed and placed in the NAWS inventory of available approved NA literature.

<u>A WSC Consensus vote of YES</u> would trigger the final production, printing and distribution of the SPAD.

<u>A WSC Consensus vote of No</u> would stop the final production, printing and distribution of the SPAD and likely trigger a number of possible alternatives or amendments from the floor of the WSC, possibly in the form of new motions, which the RD's would likely be asked to vote on in the absence of Regional Group consciences being consulted.