

PIEDMONT INTERGROUP MEETING MINUTES - DRAFT
October 4, 2025 @ 8:00 AM-Zoom Meeting
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Takeaways:

1. SOAR8 Business Rep is needed
2. PIPO Rep is needed
3. Convention Committee volunteers needed
4. Upcoming Events
 - a. Triad Event (Greensboro) 10/18 1p – 4p, Time Away in OA Ready for Something New, registration at 12:30p
 - b. IDEA Day (In Person) – 11/15, 12:30p – 3:00p, St Stephen’s Church, 6800 Sardis Rd, Charlotte, Volunteers needed
 - c. 12 Step Within Day – 12/12 12:00p - 1:00p (Virtual)
5. Piedmont Intergroup Journal – Submission deadline 12/20/2205
6. SOAR Convention, March 2026, topics for the convention (slogans, tools, principles, steps, traditions, aging in OA)
7. Convention registration – tentatively November/December timeframe
8. Concern related to relocating the Mountain of Miracles retreat
9. Website tagline – “Finding recovery together in the piedmont and mountains of the Carolinas and beyond”

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I. 9:00 a.m. OPENING – Serenity Prayer

II. ATTENDANCE – Introductions/Roll Call refer to Attendance Sheet – 17 in attendance

III. CHAIR MOMENT –

- A. Agenda Review/Revisions – any new business items
- B. Reading Concept 10, Step 10, Tradition 10: Clarity, Perseverance, Neutrality – Read by Jim C
- d. Approval of Minutes – September 2025 Meeting Minutes. Motion by Ginny C seconded by Miona.

IV. BOARD REPORTS

- A. Chair/Vice Chair
- B. Secretary’s (meeting list, correspondence, etc.)
- C. Treasurer’s Report
- D. SOAR8 Region – New SOAR8 Rep needed
- E. World Service

V. COMMITTEE REPORTS

- A. Website – Tagline – “Finding recovery together in the piedmont and mountains of the Carolinas and beyond.”
- B. PIPO – PIPO Rep needed

B. Events –

a. Triad Event (Greensboro) - Ginny 10/18/2025 1p – 4p, Time Away in OA - Ready for Something New, registration at 12:30 p.m.

b. IDEA Day 11/15/2025 St Stephen's Church, Charlotte – volunteers needed for setup/takedown

D. Journal – Submission deadline 12/20/2025

F. SOAR Region Convention/Assembly 1, 2026

a. Volunteers to work on committee – Susan W, Ginny C and Stacey M

G. Retreat – Alice to speak with Triangle IG partnering with Piedmont IG

VI. INTERGROUP REP REPORTS

A. Rep Reports

VII. OLD BUSINESS

A. Sibling Group Exchange Status - Sibling Group Exchange successful, upcoming exchange on 10/14 – Tuesday 10:00 AM Zoom meeting

B. PIPO Chair Needed

VIII. NEW BUSINESS

A. Inclusive Practices for supporting non-local members – soliciting input

B. Non-profit status – Carmen and Alice to discuss

C. Need New Region Rep

D. Giving Fall Retreat 2026 to Triangle

IX. Take Aways

X. Upcoming Dates – Events Page

XI. 7th Tradition

XII. 9:27 a.m. Closing - Serenity Prayer