## **NYC Deaf Access Committee - Business Meeting Minutes**

## **November 26 2023**

Prepared by Lucy P on 11/26/23 Opened w/ serenity prayer

- I. Reports
  - a. Old biz meeting minutes accepted
  - b. Treasury Report accepted

## II. Old Business

a. Announcement to keep share at meetings: "The NYC Deaf Access Committee is looking for more people to do service - the committee helps make in-person meetings accessible to Deaf alcoholics. You DO NOT need to know sign language in order to help out! It's a great way to do service and get connected with other fellows."

## III. New Business

- a. Leigh Anne- new interpreter coordinator, update that things are going well
- b. Service term ending- elections coming up, service positions below
  - i. <a href="https://docs.google.com/document/d/1YrS7G1SWxH4BPTilnKtQOiC\_WhPqeWS\_vV2Wqxej03A0/edit#heading=h.wbc40qb28e88">https://docs.google.com/document/d/1YrS7G1SWxH4BPTilnKtQOiC\_WhPqeWS\_vV2Wqxej03A0/edit#heading=h.wbc40qb28e88</a>
  - ii. Potentially adding new positions of web chair, communications chair/AA relations liaison
- c. Chris's update on accessibility: looking for ways for outreach
- d. Andrew additional outreach ideas: get listed on each of the district's websites as a resource. Andrew is going to ask Justin K. (Manhattan DCMC) if he can send a message to all the DCMs about doing that to streamline the process. Andrew will also reach out to Moses (SENY Accessibility Chair) about getting this listed on any area accessibility websites
- e. Introductions to everyone
- f. Andrew reiterated the message to share at meetings to bring more people to our business meetings: consider also sharing specifically which positions we need added Close w/ the Responsibility Statement