

Welcome to the SPAA morning BrEU business meeting. We meet after our regular meeting, on the first Thursday of the month.

Any member can bring up a business item by sending a proposal to: morningbreu@proton.me and letting the meeting host know at least one week prior to the business meeting.

Before we begin, let's take a moment to read Traditions 2 and 4:

[Regular Version]:

2. For our group purpose there is but one ultimate authority—a loving God as he may express himself in our group conscience. Our leaders are but trusted servants; they do not govern.

[Secular Version]:

2. For our group purpose there is but one ultimate authority—a loving higher power, as they may express themselves in our group conscience. Our leaders are but trusted servants; they do not govern.

4. Each group should be autonomous except in matters affecting other groups or S.P.A.A. as a whole.

Can we get a volunteer to be host? [wait for hand raise]

Can we get a volunteer to be note taker? [wait for hand raise]

Can we get a volunteer to be timer? [wait for hand raise]

Thank you for your service.

We will begin the business meeting by reading the current proposals, followed by 1-minute shares. Afterwards, we use the raise hand function to vote for each proposal. The current proposals are:

[Read proposals]

Would ____ like to introduce their proposal?

Would anyone like to second the proposal?

[Wait for another person to second, i.e. support, the proposal. Proposal needs at least one person to support it before going to a discussion / vote]

OK, would anything like to share on the proposal for 1 minute?

[DISCUSSION]

Thanks for sharing everyone. Let's take a vote now.

All in favor? [wait a couple of minutes and tally the hands]

OK, please lower your hands.

All against? [wait a couple of minutes and tally the hands]

OK, please lower your hands.

[make a note of the favor, against, and abstaining]

The proposal [passes / doesn't pass]

Next proposal,

Would ____ like to introduce their proposal?

[repeat same as above, until all proposals are discussed]

Thank you everyone for participating in the business meeting.

To close the meeting, can someone lead us in the Serenity Prayer?

God [Higher Power] Grant us the serenity

To accept the things we cannot change,

Courage to change the things we can,

And wisdom to know the difference

Thank you all for a great business meeting!

