

District 9 Monthly Meeting Minutes

Date: February 22, 2026

Participants: AJ, Eugene B, Joe B, Toby L, Iver (D.C.M.), Ernest J, Kathleen, Alec C, Nikki, Eleanor K, Kenny D, Robert H

Meeting Type: General Meeting Summary

Executive Summary

District 9's February meeting focused on administrative updates, financial reports, and support for remote communities. New GSRs were welcomed and oriented, and the district approved travel funding for Ernest's outreach and DCM 9's upcoming trip to Katsubi. The group confirmed adoption of HomeGroup.online for managing 7th Tradition contributions and discussed establishing clearer budget guidelines, especially for remote community travel.

Key next steps include distributing GSR packets, registering new GSRs with the area registrar, coordinating funding and logistics for district travel, and exploring group-level support for remote community donations .

Purpose of Meeting

To review district financials, group reports, and administrative updates; approve travel funding; and plan next steps for supporting remote communities and new GSR onboarding .

Key Topics Discussed

- **Administrative Updates:** Approval of previous minutes, website archiving reminders, and vacant position review.
- **Financial Report:** Treasurer Toby reported \$2,796.43 in the bank, with a \$700 prudent reserve, leaving \$2,096.43 available.
- **HomeGroup.online Implementation:** Approved as the district's online donation and banking platform to improve transparency and transitions.
- **Travel Funding:**
 - Ernest's travel to remote communities approved.
 - DCM 9's Kotzebue trip approved, pending coordination with Toby for expenses.
- **Remote Communities Support:** Discussion on setting a dedicated travel budget and introducing a district-wide donation can; mixed feedback from groups.
- **Group Reports:**
 - Attendance and financial health updates from Early Birds, Saturday Solutions, Noonors, Baby Steps, and others.
 - New GSRs (Eleanor, Kathleen, Nikki) introduced and briefed on responsibilities.

- **Pre-Conference Assembly:** Iver shared details for the Hawaii pre-conference (April 17–19).
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Major Decisions or Agreements

- Approved funding for Ernest's outreach and DCM 9's Katsubi trip.
 - Adopted HomeGroup.online for district financial management.
 - Agreed to revisit and formalize a travel budget for remote communities at the next meeting.
 - Confirmed next district meeting for the last Sunday of the month at 5:30 PM .
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Action Items and Owners

- **Iver:** Provide GSR packets and ensure new GSRs are registered with the area registrar.
 - **DCM 9:** Coordinate Kotzebue trip details and funding with Toby; gather and send literature to Angoon; collaborate with Iver on proposed remote travel budget.
 - **Kenneth:** Present donation can proposal at Noonors group meeting.
 - **Eugene:** Send GSR packet link to Robert; explore one-time donation from Saturday Solutions.
 - **Robert:** Add new GSRs to mailing list and distribute materials.
 - **All GSRs:** Share updated contact information for district communications .
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Next Steps / Follow-Up Plans

- Finalize and present proposed remote community travel budget.
- Report back on group-level decisions regarding the donation can initiative.
- Continue onboarding and registration of new GSRs.
- Prepare for the Hawaii pre-conference assembly in April .