

UNION MEETING MINUTES FOR; JUNE 13TH 2010

THE MEETING WAS CALLED TO ORDER AT 10AM BY ACTING PRESIDENT RAY KEARNS. AFTER THE MORNING PRAYER AND SALUTE TO THE FLAG A ROLL CALL OF OFFICERS AND STEWARDS WAS TAKEN... THE MINUTES OF THE LAST MEETING WERE ACCEPTED BY THE MEMBERS.

PRESIDENTS REPORT; RAY TELLS US THAT NATIONAL HUMAN RELATIONS DIRECTOR SUSAN CARNEY HAS RECOGNIZED OUR LOCAL FOR OUR EFFORTS IN PROVIDING BACKPACKS OF SUPPLIES FOR HOMELESS VETERANS. I WOULD LIKE TO THANK ALL THE MEMBERS WHO HELPED WITH THIS PROJECT.....STEVE AND I MET WITH ED KRZYZEK ON SEVERAL ISSUES, THE FIRST BEING CHANGES TO THE FLAT AREA. THE HOURS FOR THE AFSM 100 ARE CHANGING ON ALL THREE TOURS AND MANUAL FLATS. LETTERS OF NOTIFICATION WERE SENT TO MEMBERS WITH BIDS OF THE CHANGE. THE UNION HAS LEARNED THAT THE LETTERS SOME MEMBERS RECEIVED HAVE THE WRONG HOURS. WE WILL ADDRESS THIS PROBLEM WITH ED....ANOTHER ISSUE DISCUSSED WAS MANAGEMENT WANTS TO ADD BACKUP TO TOUR-2 AUTOMATION JOBS. WE TOLD THEM NO, THAT ISSUE IS BEING GRIEVED. WE ALSO GAVE ED SOME IDEAS FOR TOUR-2 BIDS IN THE AREA HE NEEDS THEM.----- PLEASE CONTACT YOUR POLITICAL REPS ON H.R. 176 ON MAKING THE POSTAL SERVICE KEEP THE SIX-DAY DELIVERY...

TRUSTEE FRANK SABETTA RESIGNED FOR PERSONAL REASONS. I HAVE APPOINTED JOHN MORAN TO TAKE HIS PLACE. AT THE SEPTEMBER MEETING THE MEMBERSHIP WILL DECIDE HOW TO FILL THE VACANCY. I HOPE EVERYONE HAS A SAFE AND FUN SUMMER....DON'T FORGET THE PICNIC ON SATURDAY, JULY 17TH IT'S SURE TO BE A GREAT TIME.....

CLERK-CRAFT DIRECTOR; STEVE REPORTS THAT THE "CASUAL IN LIEU OF" GRIEVANCE HAS GONE TO STEP FOUR. JUSTICE NEVER COMES EASY... MANAGEMENT HAS BEEN ABIDING BY NOT GIVING OT TO CASUALS, WE ARE WATCHING CLOSELY....MANY JOBS NEED TO BE POSTED, THE BATTLE CONTINUES...

DIRECTOR OF ORGANIZATION; ANN REPORTS OUR MEMBERSHIP HAS STAYED THE SAME THIS MONTH NOTHING LOST NOTHING GAINED...ANN ALSO SPOKE ON HER SUCCESSFUL TRIP TO WEST VIRGINIA WHERE SHE TOUGHT AT THE LABOR SEMINAR...

MAINTENANCE CRAFT DIRECTOR; SEE LLOYDS REPORT ON THE BULLETIN BOARD....

RETAIL CLERK STEWARD; MARK SPOKE ON GRIEVANCES AT THE WASHINGTON PARK STATION AMONG OTHER BRANCHES. HE WISHES THAT MEMBERS WOULD REPORT CASUALS WORK AT THE STATIONS. STOP DOING OUR WORK....SAVE YOUR JOBS.

OLD BUSINESS; NONE

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NEW BUSINESS: WE NEED VOLUNTEERS FOR THE PICNIC,
GREAT TIMES REQUIRED A LOT OF HELP AND OUR PICNICS GET
BETTER EACH YEAR.....

RON BLAMIRE SPOKE ON THE IMPORTANCE ON GETTING
IMPORTANT LEGISLATION PASSED...THEY ARE TRYING TO
BURY THE POSTAL SERVICE IN CASE YOU HAVEN'T NOTICED...

GOOD & WELFARE:

THE FOLLOWING DONATIONS WERE APPROVED BY THE
MEMBERS;

DANA FARBER INSTITUTE; \$200.

ANIMAL RESCUE LEAGUE OF SO. R.I. \$200.

BOYS CLUB OF RI \$150.

GOLF TOURNAMENT/CLUB FRONTENAC/W.WARWICK
\$200.

MEETING TO ADJOURN AT 10:45AM

SEE YOU AT THE PICNIC ON JULY 17TH. IT WILL ROCK

Bob herron/sec/APWU