

MEMBERSHIP MEETING

AFSCME LOCAL 2822

March 14, 2006

The Membership meeting at the Ridgedale Library was called to order by President Malecki.

Roll call of officers:

Present - Malecki, Stetler, Hanson, Whetstone, McNair

Excused - Brigham, DeCora, Walker

Unexcused -

The minutes were approved as presented.

INTRODUCTIONS

We had 14 members present.

OPEN FORUM

- Discussion by members on their caucus experiences.
- Anti-War March Sat March 18th. Begins Hennepin & Lagoon. There is a labor contingence planned for the rally. Meet at 12:45 at the Walker Library.
- Lessons learned from Northwest Airlines Strike - Macalester College 7 p.m. April 1st. Sponsored by the Industrial Workers of the World-Twin Cities Branch.
- Performance review question - People are being downgraded on performance evaluations at Service Centers for taking unplanned absences. Where should it be brought up - Open Forum at County Board Meetings, use meet & confer or contract negotiations? More discussion will be had on this.

CORRESPONDENCE—PRESIDENT MALECKI

- AFSCME Council 5 - Letter asking for AFSCME members of Mpls Central Labor Union to have their names removed from the mailing list of Mpls Labor Review.
- Training Basic Steward Training May 9 & 10.
- AFSCME Council 5 Job Posting - Organizer in Training.
- Ads for Labor Review.

REPORTS

PRESIDENT—MOLLY MALECKI

- Security Issues at 1011 West Broadway.
- Health Service & Public Health Dept. Meeting Wed. 110 HSB.
- Meeting with Vargas is on Thurs.

TREASURER—WALTER HANSON

The total balance is \$85,568.79. Motion was made, seconded and passed to accept the report.

MEMBERSHIP—BRIDGET WALKER

- Has done 2 orientations with different Depts. We have also been invited to the Library Orientation along with the Librarians Union.

CHIEF STEWARD—JENNIFER MCNAIR

- We have three new stewards - Genae Nicole, Velva Stewart and Lori Berzins.
- Had discussion on chain of command.

COUNCIL 5 E-BOARD—MOLLY MALECKI

At the retreat they talked about everything that has happened during the last year. How the money has been spent and all that we have accomplished.

STAFF REPORT—STEVE MARINCEL

- Central Labor Union is not being allowed to use our membership list.

- Council 5 has a number of scholarships that are available.
- Fight Privatization of Social Services for Quality Care and Fight Privatization of Public Services information sheet given out.

OLD BUSINESS

Day on the Hill - The day was a great success.

GOOD AND WELFARE

Request for a card to be sent to Carol Zeitler.

SPECIAL ORDER OF BUSINESS

Nomination of officers - John Christensen, Chair.

The following people were nominated and elected.

President - Molly Malecki

Vice President - Lynn Stetler

Recording Secretary - Jeanne Whetstone

Treasurer - Walter Hanson

Membership Secretary - Bridget Walker

Co-Chief Steward - Jennifer McNair

At Large Members - Merry Brigham, Karen DiCosimo, Neng Lor, Nichelle Decora

Trustees - Dawn Klingman

Central Labor Union - Molly Malecki, John Christensen, Ann Baird, Donovan Swain

CLU Alternate- Claudette Moran

Next Membership Meeting is Tuesday April 4 at the Ridgedale Library at 7 p.m.

Meeting adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,

Jeanne Whetstone
Recording Secretary