

HILLSBORO CLASSIFIED UNITED GENERAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING

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I. CALL TO ORDER 6:30 PM

II. ROLL CALL

Carol Conner - President
Linden Becker - 1st VP
Eric Weyrauch - 2nd VP
VP Cope-open
Devin Hunter - VP Communications
Sandy Kennemer - VP of Membership
Ynona Johnson - VP of Collective Bargaining
Chris Collings - Treasurer
Sue Miller - Secretary

III. GUESTS

No guests

- Work-site leaders present:
 - Pat Hinkle-South Meadows Middle School
 - Colleen Hampton- Brookwood
 - Joel Yoder-Transportation

IV. APPROVAL OF LAST MEETING MINUTES

Motion to dispense with the reading of the minutes. Motion carried

We plan to be approve for 9/27/12 at February 13, 2012 General Membership meeting

V. EXECUTIVE REPORTS

President

- Carol discussed the fair-share policy and the opt-out letters. If anyone is interested in more information please contact the Executive Board.
- Attended Leadership training in Maryland paid for by AFT
- Attended the President's Conference in November
- Attended Labor Management meeting for Transportation, Custodians and District.
- Bargaining training in December

See attached report

1st V.P.

Linden's report will be on the web-site- or.aft.org/046710

Linden thanked all of you that have contributed to the Sick Leave donations.

2nd V.P.

- Eric has attended the NWOLC. He is bringing our attention to the Postal issue. They are under attack and if House Bill 2309 passes there will not be any mail delivery to your home. We need to get behind the postal workers.

V.P. of Communications

- The HCU newsletter is scheduled to come out the Monday after that month's Executive Board Meeting. We are working on getting the paper newsletter out to the sites. But the more that want to get it electronically the less cost to the Union.
- The website will be changing to hcu4671.org in February.
- We need members to join the Election Committee

V.P. of Bargaining

- Ynona is encouraging all to participate with HCU in the "Race for the Cure" on June 23-24, 2012.
- She would like to hear from you on what you would like to do to support your community.
- Every other Wednesday there is a work-site leader meeting at the HCU office at 4:30 PM. The next meeting will be on January 25th. All are welcome to join us. Please come out and join the training.
- Bargaining team has been formed and will have our first bargaining meeting with the District on February 8, 2012. Ynona handed out bargaining goal statement to the audience, and anyone interested in getting a copy contact VP of Bargaining.
- Make sure you file out your bargaining survey

V.P. of Membership

- Sandy reported that we have had 25 new members join the local.
- Please check with other employees about joining. Many think that they are members when they are not. All Classified employees pay the same amount. The "opt" letter is only for fair-share members.

V.P. of COPE

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Treasurer

- Chris submitted the HCU Quarterly Financial Report

See attached Report

Secretary

No report

VI. Committee Reports

- Constitution and By-Laws report is given by Eric Weyrauch.

This Committee is made up of Executive Council members. We have certain parameters that we have to follow and stay in compliance with AFT. We would like to have your input also.

- Budget and Finance report is given by Linden Becker

The committee is working on cleaning up the language in order to get in better alignment with AFT.

VII. OLD BUSINESS

- Check out the back table for sign-up sheets to join a committee or volunteer.

VIII. NEW BUSINESS

- We are working to get home emails from as many members as possible.
- Election time is coming up and there will be a phone bank and canvassing in Portland next week. See the sign-up sheet on the back table.
- February 13, 2012 General Membership meeting to elect delegates for AFT Oregon State Convention in Sun River.

IX. GOOD OF THE ORDER

We had a quick question and answer time.

- School board meetings and the HCU website

Thanks to Cathy Farley and Leslie Hatcher for manning the sign-in table.

- Raffle winners:
Rose Sundstrom- South Meadows
Susan Sohlar-South Meadows
Uti Saito-Patterson
Melody Hansen-South Meadows
Pat Hinkle-South Meadows
Martha Warming-Eastwood
Nathan Woodard-Transportation
Dalila Sarabia-HFRC
Emily Heffernan-WL Henry
Yvette Chapman-Qutama
Betty Anliker-Orengo

ADJOURNMENT - 7:25 PM

CALENDAR

- February 8, 2012-start of Bargaining with District
- February 13, 2012-General Membership Meeting 6:30 PM. We will be taking nominations and voting for delegates to AFT State Convention on April 13-15, 2012 in Sun River.

Submitted by Sue Miller
Secretary