

AFSCME LOCAL 1224  
MEMBERSHIP MEETING MINUTES  
MARCH 14, 2005

- I. MEETING CALLED TO ORDER  
President Susie Sprengle called the local membership meeting to order at 6:00 p.m
- II. SALUTE THE FLAG  
The membership recited the pledge allegiance to the flag.
- III. ROLL CALL OF OFFICERS, STEWARDS AND TRAINEES  
The following were not in attendance; Executive Board member Pat Salame, Trustees, Cynthia Wilson and Chanceline Dixon, Stewards Rosemary Steward, Candy Herb, William Delaney and Aginah Chambers.
- \*\*\*\*BREAK IN NORMAL ORDER OF BUSINESS FOR THE ELECTION DELEGATES\*\*\*\***  
The following was nominated and elected to attend AFSCME COUNCIL 13 CONVENTION:  
**Donna Walker, Dana Davis, Linda Wise, Pat Salame, Eric Watson (alternate) Betty Harris (alternate)**  
The following was nominated and elected to attend AFSCME DISTRICT COUNCIL 90 DELEGATE ASSEMBLY:  
**Linda Wise, Mimi Ortiz, Cynthia Wilson, Donna Walker, Phyllis Sanders, Betty Harris, Pat Salame.**
- IV. MINUTES DISTRIBUTED  
No motion was made to accept minutes by the membership. Minutes were distributed late.
- V. TREASURY REPORT DISTRIBUTED  
A motion was made by Rebecca Michael and seconded by Kristy Cieszynski to accept the treasury report as distributed.
- VI. COMMITTEE REPORTS
- A. STAFF REPRESENTATIVE  
Staff Representative Nichelle Chivis stated she hope that everyone did take the time to complete the Hay Report/ Survey because it was very important that it was done. There was some concerned about classification grievances filed last year and Human Resources forwarded those grievances on to Hay Associates for their review and a response should be coming soon.  
The original agreement for the union office was that the president was to occupy this office for half a day. Although in the past the president has occupied the office for a full day PHEAA has now decided to hold to the terms of the contract and Ms. Sprengle will only be in the office from 11:00 a.m. to the end of her shift. Ms. Chivis states this is problematic because of the changes that are going on. Council Director Judi Heh is working this out but at this time this issue has not been resolved. As a result Ms. Chivis will be in the union office more often to bridge this gap. Stewards will now have to take more of an active role.  
Ms. Chivis encouraged the membership to fill out the health surveys they will be receiving in the mail. Those who complete the survey will not have to pay one half of a percent of the money that will be deducted beginning July 1, 2005 from our paychecks towards health benefits. Ms. Sprengle advised that this survey is also available online. There is a link to this survey on Council 13 web page according to Ms. Chivis.
- B. GRIEVANCE  
Vice President/Chief Steward Eric Watson states there are still grievances pending. He states if there are any questions call and make an appointment so he can discuss it one on one.

C. WAYS AND MEANS/ NO REPORT

D. RECREATION COMMITTEE

The final payment for Montego Bay and 76's trips are due on Friday March 18, 2005. Linda Wise is organizing an Eastern Lights trip to be held August 19 -21, 2005. First \$50.00 deposit is due April 6, 2005. Please contact Linda Wise at Ext. 3336.

E. CLC/ NO REPORT

F. COMMUNITY SERVICE

There was a very low turn out for Bowl for Kids Sake this year and there are only two teams. Any one interested in signing up should contact President Susie Sprenkle by e-mail. PAWSABILITIES was at the Farm Show last weekend which benefited the Susquehanna service dogs that we are collecting can tabs for. Some people on the Community Service committee help to create flyers for this function.

G. POLITICAL ACTION/ NO REPORT

H. A.L.I.C./ NO REPORT

I. WOMEN'S COMMITTEE/ NO REPORT

J. CBTU

CBTU President Eric Watson advised the membership CBTU will be having a Town Hall meeting in May or June 2005. Eric Watson will also be attending the CBTU convention in Arizona this year.

VII. NEW BUSINESS

A. SURVEY

The Employee satisfaction survey will be coming out soon and President Susie Sprenkle encourage all members to complete this survey.

VIII. UNFINISHED BUSINESS/NONE

IX. CORRESPONDENCE/NONE

X. GOOD AND WELFARE

The following won gifts from Local 1224; Mysha Jellott, Iris Jackson, Debbie Ramos, Janice Reed, Terri Ellison, Danna Davis, Linda Wise, Betty Harris

XI. ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business to discuss a motion was made and properly seconded to adjourn this meeting.

Respectfully submitted,

Carine Harvey, Secretary  
AFSCME Local 1224