

**February 12<sup>th</sup> 2007**  
**AFSCME Local 1224 membership meeting**

**Notes taken by Jan L. Gliber.**

**Meeting called to order: 6:00 PM by President, Susie Sprengle**

**Pledge of Allegiance**

**Role Call:**

**Absent/excused:**           **Corine Harvey**  
   **Eric Watson**  
   **Donna Walker**  
   **Candy Herb**

**Absent without notice:**  
   **Ed Maneval**  
   **Jackie Joyce**  
   **Lesa Knuth**

**Minutes:**

**Susie Sprengle said we could not go over last month's minutes because secretary Corine Harvey, is in the hospital. Susie said we shall review two month's worth of minutes at Next month's meeting (March)**

**Treasurer's report: Cynthia Wilson, motion to accept treasurer's report  
Deb Trees, Seconded motion, motion carried.**

**Deb Trees made a motion to break normal order of business to hold elections. John Carfagno seconded the motion, motion carried.**

**Carol Graves was Chairperson for Election Committee.**

**Nominations were open for delegates to Council 13 convention (April 27-29). Total of 5 delegates and 5 alternates are available. As president, Susie is automatic delegate.**

**(Susie explained the difference between DELEGATE and ALTERNATE as delegates being able to vote, seated in front of meetings, and alternates, seated in back. Also, explained all sit together for dinner)**

**Results were as follows:**

**Delegates:**

Susie Sprenkle  
Corine Harvey  
Donna Walker  
Linda Wise  
Pat Salame

**Alternates:**

Eric Watson  
Katherine Williams  
Phillis Sanders  
Deb Trees

Cynthia Wilson was nominated, but declined the nomination

Nominations were open for DELEGATE ASSEMBLY (10 delegates/10 alternates).  
Results are as follows:

**Delegates:**

Susie Sprenkle  
Corine Harvey  
Linda Wise  
Pat Salame  
Betty Harris  
Phillis Sanders  
Marlene Parker  
Dana Davis  
Amado Rodriguez  
Cynthia Wilson

**Alternates:**

Eric Watson  
Deb Trees  
Donna Walker  
Katherine Williams  
Eric Claggett

Central Labor Council: (CLC) meets monthly, first Wednesday of each month  
6:00 PM – 9:00 PM. This is a meeting of all local unions from the area. Susie  
Sprenkle is Vice President of this council.

We can have 5 delegates to the CLC. Nominations were opened to the floor. Results  
are as follows:

**Delegates:**

Susie Sprenkle  
Linda Wise  
Donna Walker  
Deb Trees  
Katherine Williams

Nominations were opened for the TRUSTEE position.

Amado Rodriguez was nominated and his name seconded.  
No other nominees.  
Amado accepted, won by acclamation and was sworn in by Mr. Potts.

**Voting ended at 6:30 PM**

**Staff Report by Ed Potts from District Council 90 (Karla was on vacation).**

**--- working hard on City Layoff Issues**

**--- Keeping on top of the incinerator employee layoff issues**

**Mr. Potts stated "Elections went well for the ratification of the contract"**

**Results were:**

**12,404 voted 'Yes'**

**2,988 voted 'No'**

**The contract was ratified!**

**Executive Director, Dave Fillman wanted to get the Contract settled before the General Assembly is up and running. They are voting on the budget and we needed to get the 20% raises passed and the \$1250 bonus in before that happened.**

**GREIVANCE REPORT: Karla and Susie have been working on the old grievances and have settled quite a few this month.**

**WAYS AND MEANS: Pat Salame reported sending 7 cards in 2 months. Asked the members to keep her apprised of birthdays, condolences and other occasions that ways and means can acknowledge. Pat mentioned Corrine Harvey is in the hospital.**

**A member reported having just visited her and she is planning on being discharged either Wednesday or Thursday of this week. She is in Harrisburg Hospital room 509. Susie added she is bored and would love company!**

**No Recreation committee report**

**CLC REPORT: The group applauded Susie Sprengle for being elected as vice president of the CLC.**

**Susie informed group of:**

**5/18 – Monte Carlo Night, Steel Workers Hall, Steelton,  
More info in member email forthcoming**

**5/12 – Mail Carriers Food Drive**

**Place boxed and canned goods near mail boxes**

**4/12 - Union Counseling one day workshop (Used to be 1 day a week over 6 wks)**

**Community Service info etc. More info in membership email is forthcoming**

**CBTU – Eric Watson is always accepting new members. Please check out the display in the lobby of headquarters and in the Westport Facility for info and applications.**

## **COMMUNITY SERVICES:**

**HARLEY DAVIDSON:** Looking for supporters for strike.  
We are looking supporters to come walk with them in three hour shifts on the weekend. Anyone interested please email Susie Sprenkle

**HABITAT FOR HUMANITY HOUSE** still needs help. House is on 18<sup>th</sup> street on the left side just before Market Street. Susie requested volunteers “Anyone who can swing a hammer, clean or paint is welcome”. The house is for an AFSCME sister and her kids.

No **POLITICAL ACTION** or **ALIC** reports

## **WOMEN’S COMMITTEE:**

Carol Graves explained she chose **BLACK HISTORY**. “To celebrate women’s achievements and to celebrate their rise in business and in life”

Carol explained it is not necessarily a racial choice but rather a commentary on successful women and implored all to take part in something that emphasizes overcoming adversity and to celebrate culture.

## **NO OLD BUSINESS TO DISCUSS**

## **NEW BUSINESS:**

Phillis Sanders suggested getting 2 rooms while at the Hershey Convention, in case people want to freshen up and for those who do not want to travel back and forth. She made a motion for the local to pay for 2 rooms. John Milliken seconded the motion which was carried by the membership.

Susie asked to be sure all signed in and all got the raffle tickets when they came in.

The following won prizes at the end of the meeting:

Cynthia Wilson, Susie Sprenkle, Pat Salame, Terry Bastian, Tina Holiway, Katherine Williams, Amber Klahre, Betty Harris, John Carfagno, Kelly Carter

Motion was made, seconded and carried to adjourn.