



**AFSCME LOCAL 517**  
**EXECUTIVE BOARD MEETING MINUTES**  
**4/25/2022**  
**WebEx Meeting**

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**Attendees:** Lynne Freezy, Shannan Hendricks, Lisa Peterson, Carissta Arndt, Hannah Keller, Mark Riegel, Suzanne Kocurek, & Ashley Marston

- Call to Order - 12:00pm
- Exempt Chief Steward's Report
  - No update
- Non-Exempt Chief Steward's Report
  - E-board formally recommends moving current Step 3 to arbitration
  - We are no longer getting advance notice of grievances
- Labor Management Committee Report
  - How office locations are being set
  - Tracking of open supervisor (and above) positions being posted externally
- Insurance Labor Management Committee Report
  - No update
- Business Representative's Report
  - Received 60-day notice of International Convention occurring in PA. Need to discuss whether or not to send delegates at the May general meeting.
  - Treasurer to create an estimate of sending two people. Will be brought up at a general meeting to vote on.
- President's Report
  - MN AFL-CIO Workers' Compensation Briefing
  - St. Paul Regional Labor Federation Blood Drive
    - Occurring May 9th. Please consider donating if you can.
- Old Business
  - Need to bring up post-retirement healthcare savings plan consideration at general meeting to determine membership support.
- New Business
  - MOU
    - Crisis Response Unit overtime allotment and shift differential for special assignment
  - Union Local 2022 Goal Setting
    - Discussed potential options to meet in-person. E-board to email planning ideas to the secretary.
- Adjourn - 1:06pm

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**Executive Board:**

President: Lynne Freezy  
Vice President: Vacant  
Treasurer: Shannan Hendricks  
New Member Secretary: Mark Riegel  
Recording Secretary: Ashley Marston  
Chief Stewards: Lisa Peterson (non-exempt) and Vacant (exempt)  
AFSCME Business Representative: Suzanne Kocurek

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