



AFSCME LOCAL 517
EXECUTIVE BOARD MEETING MINUTES
11/21/2022
WebEx Meeting

Attendees: Lisa Peterson, Shannan Hendricks, Heather Vandenheuvel, Carissta Arndt, Suzanne Kocurek, & Ashley Marston

- Call to Order - 12:02pm
- Exempt Chief Steward's Report
- Non-Exempt Chief Steward's Report
 - 1 work performance grievance
 - 1 issue of harassment/discrimination will be sent to investigation
 - 1 investigation for improper use of work technology
 - 1 disciplinary action
 - 1 report of violation of county policy and labor contract
- Labor Management Committee Report
 - Discussed mileage policy concerns
 - Lisa will reach out to Adam S. about being the chair in 6 months
 - Discussion about unions selecting safety committee members
 - Need reps in each dept rather than each union. Currently AFSCME is the most represented union.
 - Moving forward, Ashley Marston, a member of the safety committee, will provide updates to AFSCME e-board
- Insurance Labor Management Committee Report
 - County will be asking for staff opinions on our current benefits and what could improve them
 - Will be holding 4 focus groups to discuss this
 - AFSCME members are encouraged to attend
- Business Representative's Report
 - Steward Training - will provide dates in December
 - No other updates
- President's Report
- Old Business
 - Logo Design
 - Suzanne to send Ashley images from other locals
 - Will send call to action to members asking for logo design ideas
 - Logo design winner will receive a branded item with their logo on it
 - Holiday Party - door prizes and invites
 - Ashley will send invite with information about online scavenger hunt and holiday party
 - Door prizes
 - Will attempt to get Visa gift cards, if fee associated, will only do Visa for grand prize, will split other 20 cards between local retailers
 - Ashley will get name tags and create a personal email signup sheet to have at party
 - Online Scavenger Hunt
 - Ashley to update questions
 - 6 prizes drawn, each a \$20 gift card
 - Additional giveaway of \$50 gift card for a new member that joined in 2022
 - Gift Cards at General Membership Meetings
 - Discussed offering a \$20 gift card at each general membership meeting
 - All members in attendance would be eligible to win one time per year
 - Drawing would be held at end of each meeting
 - Will bring up for a vote at January General Membership Meeting

- New Business
 - None
 - Adjourn - 12:57pm
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Questions about the union or membership? Fill out our [contact form](#) and a local union member will be in touch.

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Executive Board:

President: Lynne Freezy

Vice President: Vacant

Treasurer: Shannan Hendricks

New Member Secretary: Heather Vandeneuvel

Recording Secretary: Ashley Marston

Chief Stewards: Lisa Peterson (non-exempt) and Vacant (exempt)

AFSCME Business Representative: Suzanne Kocurek

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