

General Membership Meeting Minutes of June 21, 2017

The meeting was called to order at 6:30 p.m. by President Jennifer Christensen and a quorum was declared.

The minutes of the May 2017 general membership meeting were distributed. Motion made and so carried to approve as printed.

The minutes of the May 2017 Executive Board meeting were distributed. Motion made and so carried to approve as printed and concur with the recommendations of the Executive Board.

Correspondence

None

Good and Welfare: Mike Dreyer has emailed a sign-up list for the State Fair which will run from August 24, 2017 to September 4, 2017. There is a minimum 4 hour shift requirement. Each member will receive a ticket to get into the fair as well as a t-shirt.

Training for the Hardman Avenue Workers' Center was held June 9, 2017. There are scholarships available to help with the cost for UFCW members wishing to become a citizen.

Please update your address with the local or you may miss out on important information from UFCW.

Health Care and pension report:

Donna Hanson from Wilson McShane did a presentation of the Health Care Plan and the Pension Plan.

Northern Minnesota and Wisconsin Area Retail Food, Health and Welfare Fund:

Plan A: Medical, prescription, ancillary benefits

Plan B: Medical, prescription only

Plan C: Reduced medical, prescription (does not include Cub employees)

Retail Clerks Pension Plan;

Vesting: 5 year employees must work at least 520 hours per year to be vested.

Normal retirement age: 65

Early retirement age: 50

If anyone has questions, please call Donna Hanson at the Duluth Wilson McShane office. Their office is located on the 3rd floor of the Labor Temple.

Department Reports

Nursing Homes: Nothing to report

Political: Nothing to report

Officer's Reports

Please see Good and Welfare section.

Secretary-Treasurer Jim Gleb gave the preliminary financial report ending May 31, 2017 unaudited financials for the year as follows:

Checking/Savings	\$614,948.18	
Building Corporation	\$282,425.01	
Total Property and Equipment after depreciation	\$51,801.14	
Investments at Wells Fargo	\$430,893.57	
Total Assets	\$1,380,067.90	
	Current Month	Year-To-Date
Total Revenue	\$346,953.73	\$1,820,110.81
Total Expenses	\$338,408.42	\$1,713,333.17
Net Income	\$8,545.31	\$106,777.64

Good and Welfare/Community Service/Member Events

Kapasia Days parade, June 23, 2017 at 5:00 p.m.

Southern Member Appreciation Picnic, July 19, 2017

State Fair, August 24 – September 4 – Sign up to work the UFCW booth

Please visit ufcw/value.org for discounts on many products and services available to UFCW members.

There being no further business, the meeting adjourned at 7:49 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Jeanine Owusu
Union Representative

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