

General Membership Meeting Minutes of September, 2017

The meeting was called to order at 6:33 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 August 2017 Executive Board meeting were distributed. Motion made and so carried to approve as printed and concur with the recommendations of the Executive Board.

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

Correspondence

TEAM OPEN HOUSE: Held Thursday, 9/21/17 at 1970 Oakcrest Ave, Ste 200, Roseville, MN

Department Reports

Retail: Cooper's Grocery store in Sibley Mall will be closing October 24, 2017. Some employees will be transferred to the 7th Street store. 27 employees will lose their job. The Dislocated Workers' program will visit the store on 10/13/17 and will help these employees find jobs, go back to school, etc.

Nursing Home: Fortis Nursing Homes have filed for bankruptcy and are now in receivership.

Organizing: We have an organizing campaign going on in Northfield and Fargo for Co-Op stores.

Officer's Reports

President Jennifer Christensen reported on the following:

The International will pay our Local to represent the St. Paul Restaurant Depot. We will not negotiate the Collective Bargaining Agreement.

Citizenship program is going very well.

We are building a new member packet/program to give to new members and existing members.

Union Plus members' benefits program/free college benefits for member and family. This is a two (2) year associates degree and there is no out of pocket cost.

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

Checking/Savings	\$738,715.65	
Building Corporation	\$257,878.01	
Total Property and Equipment after depreciation	\$41,198.32	
Investments at Wells Fargo	\$430,931.58	
Total Assets	\$1,468,723.56	
	Current Month	Year-To-Date
Total Revenue	\$383,600.99	\$2,984,768.79
Total Expenses	\$340,241.44	\$2,752,397.88
Net Income	\$43,359.55	\$232,370.91

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There being no further business, the meeting adjourned at 7:04 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Jeanine Owusu
Union Representative

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