



FOREMEN'S UNION

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March 2017

Regular Membership Meeting

7 pm Wednesday March 1, 2017 at the Cruise Terminal S. P. 93

Executive Board: This month's meeting will be Wednesday, March 29, 2017 at 11:30 AM.

Nominations for office: Nomination Forms are available in the business office immediately following the January meeting and shall remain available until thirty-six (36) hours following the March Membership Meeting and must be received by the Secretary Treasurer no later than **12 noon Friday, March 3, 2017.**

As per the Constitution and By-Laws a Trustee is prohibited from holding another elective office, a nominee may only run for the office of Trustee or for any other elective office, but may not run for both.

Elections shall be held for all offices and Committees on **Friday, March 10th**. To apply for an elective position, you must have been a member of Local 94 and in good standing for the previous 12 months and any fines and/or assessments owed must be paid prior to close of nominations or you shall be removed from the ballot.

Any Candidate who wishes to have an observer on their behalf at the polling location and/or for the counting of the ballots may do so by submitting a request in writing. This request listing the name of the observer and for which candidate they will be observing for must be received by the Secretary Treasurer no later than 24 hours prior to the polls opening (**6 am Thursday, March 9, 2017.**)

Voting: Our General Election will take place **Friday March 10, 2017** at Local 63 from the hours of **6 AM** and **7 PM.**

Absentee ballot: Members that meet the criteria of Article VI of the Foremen's Union Local 94 Constitution and By-Laws Section 1. **Absentee Ballot** "Sick and injured members, and those members away who wish to vote in an election, can do so by applying to the Secretary-Treasurer for an absentee ballot" This must be done by **12 noon on Friday, March 3, 2017** and returned by **Friday, March 10, 2017** no later than **3 PM,** (the instructions will be included).



If a Run – Off Election is needed: your Absentee request must be made by **12 noon on Friday, March 10, 2017** and returned by **Friday, March 17, 2017** no later than **3 PM**.

The Run – Off Election: if needed will take place on **Friday, March 17, 2017** between the hours of **6 AM** and **7 PM** at Local 63.

General Rule #1: "All active members are required to vote at all elections, regular or special, or be fined **\$50** for failure to do so, except sick or injured members, or members on vacation and vacation is on file with the Secretary-Treasurer".

Dues for 2016: The amount paid for Union Dues and Assessments in 2016 was **\$3,855.00**

Paid Holidays: Caesar Chavez' Birthday *Friday March 31* is a normal work day, paid at the overtime rate of pay, and a paid Holiday.

The 6th annual Steve Saggiani "That's Right Safety First" Memorial Golf Tournament: will be held **Friday, April 21, 2017** at the Costa Mesa Country Club with a **1:30 pm shotgun start**. If you are interested in playing, **making a donation** or volunteering your time please contact Mike Trudeau at 310-489-9494. All donations are tax deductible; applications are available in the office or on our website at www.ILWULOCAL94.org.

Steady Foremen: If you choose to work as a steady Foreman you must follow the agreement as outlined in the PCWB&FA Letter of Understanding (LOU) Walking Bosses/Foremen's Steady Pay Guarantee page 143 and SCWB-0027-2010. Each Employer shall provide its steady Foremen a weekly 5-day work schedule no later than Friday. Steady Foreman who are unable to work any of their scheduled workdays **must** call a replacement through the Joint Foreman's Dispatch Hall and their 50-hour guarantee will be reduced 10 hours for each scheduled day not worked. If you are working less than five shifts per week for your employer and you haven't called a replacement you must receive your guarantee for those days or you are in violation of the contract, and Membership Action, and you will be cited to appear before the Executive Board. If you have any questions, please call the office.

Information: Please refer to our website www.ILWUlocal94.org for all the latest news and information. If you have any information that you would like to have posted on our website, please submit your request to your officers.

In Solidarity:

Daniel G. Miranda
President

Edward Alexander
Vice President

Mike Trudeau
Secretary – Treasurer

