

UNION DEMOCRACY

New officers at AFSCME Local 88

Percy Winters, Jr., has been elected president of AFSCME Local 88 at Multnomah County. He succeeds Jason Heilbrun, who did not seek reelection. Also elected by acclamation to two-year terms were Vice President Raymond De Silva, Treasurer Matt Davis, and Secretary Korie Erickson. They were installed in office last month.

Others elected to the Local 88 Executive Board are:

Public Safety Sector: Megan Gallagher, Lisa Alfano, Lela Clay, Annie Sons, and

Amy Bacher.

General Government/ Library Sector:

Tom Newsom, Grant Swanson, John Barkurst, Karin Sandwick, and Scotty Scott.

Health & Human Sector: Jackie Tate,

Nick Tipton, Josefa Gonzalez, and Lakeesha Dumas.

Transition Projects Inc.: Christine Layton.

Trustees: Jeanne Ramsten and Liang Wu.

Local 88 is the largest employee union at Multnomah County, representing approximately 3,387 workers.

Oregon Historical Society union affiliates with ILWU Local 5

Workers at the Oregon Historical Society voted Nov. 21 to affiliate with International Longshore and Warehouse Union (ILWU) Local 5, the local union that represents employees at Powell's Books.

The unit consists of 23 full-time permanent librarians, archivists, and receptionists at the non-profit's downtown Portland museum, library, and headquarters and a storage warehouse in Gresham. The workers have been unionized since 1990, when they formed

their own independent union, the Oregon Historical Society Employee Association. Now they'll be part of a 36,000-member West Coast union best known for representing workers on the docks.

Within ILWU Local 5, they'll maintain their own dues structure and their own officers: President Joey Beach and Secretary-Treasurer Matt Cowan.

Their current contract expires Jan. 31, 2018.

Oregon Alliance for Retired Americans elects new officers

Everice Moro has been elected president of the Oregon Alliance for Retired Americans. She succeeds Scott Blau, a retiree of the National Association of Letter Carriers Branch 82, who did not seek reelection.



Everice Moro

Moro is an active retired member of the Oregon School Employees Association-American Federation of Teachers Local 6732. She also serves as second vice president of the Northwest Oregon Labor Council.

Rounding out the retiree group's Executive Board are Secretary Bonnie Luisi, Treasurer Richard Schwarz, and Vice Presidents Louise Currin and Jackie Davais. All officers will assume office Jan. 1, 2018.

The Alliance for Retired Americans is an AFL-CIO constituency group for retired union members. It focuses on issues that matter to the issues that matter to current and future retirees.

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