

UNION MEETING NOTICES

AFSCME 189

All meetings have been canceled due to the COVID-19 virus pandemic. Check the web site at www.afscme189.com for updates.

Bakery, Confectionery, Tobacco Workers and Grain Millers 114

Executive Board will meet via Zoom at 9 a.m. Tuesday, October 20, followed by a General Membership Meeting. **PLEASE NOTE:** An Executive Board position will be filled at this meeting.

Currently all membership meetings are held via Zoom. Therefore any member in good standing, who wishes to attend must RSVP no later than 12:00 noon of the day proceeding the General Membership meeting.

Bricklayers and Allied Craftworkers 1

Meetings have been canceled until further notice.

Cement Masons 555

Meetings are canceled until further notice.

Drywall Finishers 101

All meetings have been canceled until further notice due to the COVID-19 virus pandemic.

Electrical Workers 48

RENEW meets 6:00 p.m. on the first Tuesday of every month. This will be an informal "check-in" via zoom. Executive Board meets 6:00 p.m. on the first and third Wednesday of the month via Zoom. No Visitors at this time.

Coast Unit meets 6:00 p.m. on the first Thursday of every month. This will be an informal "check-in" via zoom.

Electrical Workers Minority Caucus meets 6:00 p.m. on the second Tuesday of every month via zoom.

Residential Unit meets 5:00 p.m. on the second Wednesday of every month. This will be an informal "check-in" via zoom.

Sound and Communication Unit cancelled.

Wasco Unit meeting cancelled.

Washington Unit meeting cancelled.

Sisters in Solidarity of Local 48 meets 6:00 p.m. on the third Monday of every month via zoom.

Public Sector Unit – date to be determined, please watch the web site. This will be an informal "check-in" via zoom.

Marine Unit meeting cancelled.

General Membership Meeting cancelled.

Please monitor the IBEW48.COM website for changes to the schedule.

DEATH ASSESSMENTS

No. 2709, Gary M. Douglas; No. 2710, Terry V. Prince; No. 2711, Peter A. Pasch; No. 2712, Glen A. Breeding; No. 2713, Ernst Loebig.

The October 2020 assessment is \$1.50

Electrical Workers 280

All meetings are canceled until further notice.

Elevator Constructors 23

Executive Board meet 5 p.m. Thursday, October 8, at 12067 NE Glenn Widing Drive, #108, Portland.

Fire Fighters 452

Members meet 6 p.m. Wednesday, October 7, at 2807 NW Fruit Valley Rd., Vancouver.

Fire Fighters 1660

Members meet 8 a.m. Thursday, October 8, at 4411 SW Sunset Dr., Lake Oswego.

Floor Coverers 1236

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Glass Workers 740

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Insulators 36

Meetings are canceled until further notice.

Iron Workers 29

Meetings have been canceled until further notice.

Iron Workers Shopmen 516

Executive Board meet 6 p.m. Thursday, October 8.

Members meet 6 p.m. Thursday, October 22.

Meetings are at 11620 NE Ainsworth Cir., Portland.

Laborers/Vancouver 335

Meetings have been canceled until further notice.

Laborers 483

Municipal Employees

All meetings have been canceled until further notice.

Laborers 737

Union meetings have been suspended until further notice due to coronavirus concerns.

Operating Engineers 701

All meetings have been canceled until further notice.

Painters & Drywall Finishers 10

All meetings have been canceled until further notice due to the COVID-19 virus pandemic.

Sign Painters & Paint Makers 1094

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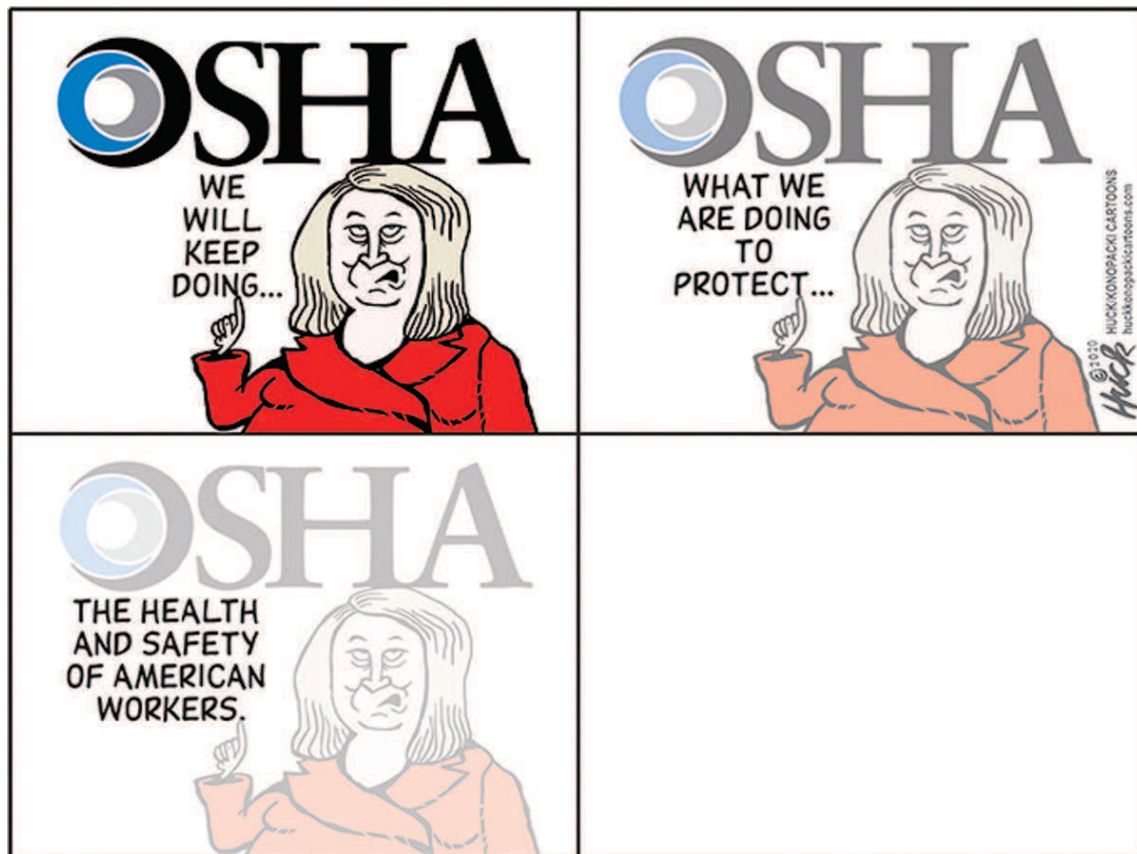
Plasterers 82

Executive Board will meet via Zoom Wednesday, Oct. 7, at 4 p.m.

General membership meeting is canceled due to coronavirus concerns.

Plumbers and Fitters 290

The October general membership meetings have been canceled.



Roofers & Waterproofers 49

All meetings have been canceled due to the COVID-19 virus pandemic.

Sheet Metal Workers 16

Membership meet 6 p.m. Wednesday, October 21, via Zoom.

Members must email info@smw16.org with the following information in order to get a link sent to them: Name, Membership #, current e-mail address.

USW 139 (B)

Membership meetings have been canceled until further notice due to the COVID-19 virus pandemic.

Executive Board will meet via conference call at 8:30 a.m. Saturday, May 16.

CENTRAL LABOR COUNCIL

Northwest Oregon

Delegates will meet via Zoom at 4 p.m. Monday, October 26. Login information will be emailed to delegates prior to the meeting.

Southwest Washington

Delegates will meet 6 p.m. Wednesday, October 7, on line via AnyMeeting. Delegates can call in from a computer, smart phone or tablet. Login requires you

to download the AnyMeeting app. If you participate via your computer, Anymeeting works best with Google Chrome. If you plan to participate by calling in on your phone, the invitation will include a phone number and a code to enter. Be sure to call in a couple minutes before 6 p.m.

CENTRAL LABOR CHAPTERS

Chapters have moved to teleconferencing. Check with your chapter for details.

Central Oregon

Delegates will meet by teleconference 5:30 p.m. Monday, October 26.

Eastern Oregon

Meetings are canceled until further notice.

Lane County

Delegates teleconference 5:30 p.m. Wednesday, October 28. Contact Pat Riggs Henson at henson2831@comcast.net

Linn-Benton-Lincoln

Meetings are canceled until further notice.

Marion-Polk-Yamhill

Delegates will meet by teleconference 6 p.m. Monday,

October 12. Contact Will Music at mpycle@gmail.com

North Coast

Delegates will meet by teleconference 7 p.m. Tuesday, October 20.

Southern Oregon

Delegates will meet by teleconference 6 p.m. Tuesday, October 13. Contact Amanda Sager at president@iatse154.com

BUILDING TRADES COUNCILS

Columbia-Pacific

On site meetings have been canceled until further notice. Meetings will be held via Zoom every Tuesday at 10 a.m. Email Willy Meyers for an invitation.

METAL TRADES

Portland and Vicinity

All meetings have been canceled until further notice.

RETIREE MEETINGS

Check with your local retirees club to see if meetings have been canceled.



Seniors and Retirees Depend on the Post Office

By Everice Brolliar Moro, President, Oregon Alliance for Retired American

Dear Postmaster General,

As the president of the Oregon Alliance for Retired Americans, it is my honor and privilege to write this letter in support of the United States Postal Service (USPS).

Seniors and retirees depend on US PS in many important ways:

1. Home delivery of medicines, medical devices and supplies
2. Social Security checks and governmental communications
3. Voter information and Mail-in Ballots

4. Banking, credit card, bill payments, and business communications
5. Reading materials, newspapers, and periodicals
6. Packages of all sorts
7. Very important mail from loved ones

Not all of our seniors and retirees have the capacity in their community to have access to Internet broadband networks, nor are we all technologically savvy. Having a postal carrier who knows us is a safety feature for a lot of folks as well. The postal carrier or delivery person is on the watch for mail that hasn't been picked up or things that don't look right at a house

they visit most days. Maybe it is an opportunity for an elder to see or speak another human being.

During this coronavirus pandemic, the Postal Service provides a crucial link for seniors and retirees to carry the communications between loved ones who live far away, or even nearby, but can't be in physical contact.

Not everyone Zooms!

All manner of things are coming to our door these days. How wonderful if it's a love letter from your children or grandchildren or a friend. How delightful when you know that a funny card with a di-

nosaur stamp will make your grandchild laugh because the postal carrier could pick it up at your door.

The United States Postal Service has a long and distinguished place in our national history because it continues the essential service that it began in 1775. That mission of delivering the mail is still important today for seniors and retirees — and all other humans now and in the future.

Everice Moro is president of the Oregon Alliance for Retired Americans and 1st vice president of the Northwest Oregon Labor Council. She is a retiree of the Oregon School Employees Association.