

LOCAL 555 MEETING

Wednesday, December 11, 2024

Call Meeting to Order

Pledge of Allegiance

Roll Call (Maher)	Clayton	A.Johnson	Rogers	Schmitt	Pedigo	Lewis
	Grodjesk	Holmberg	D.Brackett	T.Brackett	Harms	O'Daniel
	Stevenson	Maher				

On-Duty via Zoom Walters

Minutes (Maher) posted online

Officer Reports

TREASURER (O'Daniel)

- Financial report
- 2025 Budget presentation (handouts passed around)

Executive Board:

- Negotiation process update, gathering data & preparing information for mediation/arbitration

Reports

[MDA] 2024 Campaign: 2024 To Date: \$29,841.41

[Retiree Association] Kitterman's health declining, passing of Bob Galusha

[Golf Committee]: soliciting members to build committee for next year– working on large prize items & sponsorships now

[Apparel Committee] ball caps are on the Union desk for \$40/each – mark your purchase & place \$ in the envelope

[Honor Guard] Walters: AFFI Convention in Peoria this January 17-19, 2025 – all members need to register & send their receipt to Treasurer O'Daniel for annual dues reimbursement

[Political Action] Brignall: Fix Tier 2 rally in Springfield

- Tier 2 thank you from President Sullivan (HB5909/SB3988) & contact for co-sponsorship; Halpin is a co-sponsor - say thanks; contact others requesting they co-sponsor it.
- HR 82 (elimination of Windfall Elimination Provision & Government Pension Offset provisions) passed the US House of Representatives & is now in the US Senate; please utilize the link from the international to advocate for and request they call it for a vote.
- April 2025 Consolidated election candidates – questionnaires to be mailed out

Unfinished business (Maher): none

Communication and Bills:

Goods and Welfare:

- On-duty injuries (worker's comp & importance of reporting)
 - remember to fill out the proper paperwork - including work comp paperwork.
 - ask your duty officer with questions, if dissatisfied - contact brignall.
- Salvation Army red kettle campaign bell ringing Thursday the 19th of December
- Mandy delivered baby girl Cameron Lane McGee on the 9th. 9lbs 10z. Everyone is doing well.
- O'Daniel update delivered by him
- thanksgiving & Christmas cards passed around

New business: Executive Board & shift steward election:

