## National Postal Mail Handler Local 300 Local Council Meeting Minutes of July 21<sup>st</sup> 2021.

The meeting was called to order at 9:43 AM by Local President Kevin Tabarus.

- Roll call (Recording Secretary)
- Agenda review
- 1) Moment of silence:
  - a. All our members, families, and friends that have been lost during this pandemic.
- 2) Reading of minutes (Recording Secretary)
  - a. Additions and corrections;
    - i. Page 2, change 2<sup>nd</sup> by "Stuart".
    - ii. Page 3, motion to adjourn, add "Delgado" after TR.

**Motion** to accept the minutes as corrected by Prieto, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Utz: Passed unanimously.

- 3) President's Report-Tabarus,
  - a. Provided a detailed report of his activities.
  - b. USPS finances. Released 10 year plan. In a hurry to implement it but no clue on how to go about it.
  - c. Membership meetings allowed, but must be done with social distancing.
  - d. Member events returning, but no buses.
  - e. 4 STCs have been identified for sub contracting.
  - f. EFEL still funded.
  - g. SIPS machine to South Hackensack annex.
  - h. Time elements on grievances must be adhered to.
  - i. 200+ grievances pending at step 3.
  - j. MHA health benefits, dispute at the National level.
  - k. Article 12 trainings broken up into 2 days.
  - I. Retreat rights: Kilmer, Paterson
  - m. Mid Hudson may be subjected to AMP.
  - n. Local 300 finances: Solid.

Having no further business, the following motion was made:

**Motion** by Johnson, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Prieto: To accept the LP's report. Passed unanimously.

- 4) Treasurer's Report-Delgado,
  - a. Finance report. 4/1/2021-6/30/2021. Excellent financial position
  - b. Provided a detailed written report of his activities.
  - c. Lengthy and spirited discussion on the MHBP enrollment.
  - d. HRSSC horrible with processing the 1187s.
  - e. Local 300 scholarship had more applicants.

f. Partial reimbursement program-lost time policy for compensation.

With no further business to discuss, the following motion was made:

**Motion** by Bermudez, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Kimber: To accept the TR's report; Passed unanimously.

- 5) Vice President's Report-Johnson,
  - a. Provided a detailed and complete written report of her duties and activities.
  - b. Station/Branch visits are held on a needed basis.
  - c. National Women's Committee meeting scheduled for SAMLU in Las Vegas.
  - d. RI-399/LDRCs: Flushing, Bethpage, JFK, and NYC. Monthly meetings should be held last Wednesday of every month.

Having no further business to discuss, the following motion was made:

**Motion** by Sacks, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Smith; To accept the VP's report. Passed unanimously.

- 6) Recording Secretary's Report-Bermudez
  - a. Trial boards. None.
  - b. OWCP specialist 6 years. Thursdays 8AM to 2PM.
  - c. EB Polls:
    - i. Jets Game 6/3/2021
    - ii. Great Adventure 6/3/2021

Having no further business to discuss, the following motion was made:

**Motion** by Lombardo, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Stuart; To accept the RS's report. Passed unanimously.

- 7) NYSEBM Report-Lombardo.
  - a. JFK-article 32 airlines. Scheduled but not heard.
  - b. Station/branch visits: Jamaica, Port Washington, Monsey, Manhasset, Westchester, Staten Island.
  - c. RI-399/LDRCs: new machine for express mail, dispute at Manhasset, Staten Island at the regional level.

Having put forth all business, the following motion was made:

**Motion** by NYC-Delgado, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Chandler; To accept the NYS's report. Passed unanimously.

- 8) NJSEBM Report-Kimber,
  - a. RI-399s: Newark, loss of FTR fatality. MHA was moved.
  - b. Station /branch visits: Paterson not replying to RFIs.

With no further business to discuss, the following motion was made:

**Motion** by Crenshaw, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Chery; To accept the NJS's report. Passed unanimously.

- 9) CTSEBM Report-Utz,
  - a. Greenwich needs and MHA
  - b. Stamford MHAS had their relative standing dates changed.

With no further business to discuss, the following motion was made:

**Motion** by Smith; 2<sup>nd</sup> by NJS-NYC-Delgado; To accept the CTS's report. Passed unanimously.

There was an open discussion around the room with all attendees providing updates and information relative to their branches. Questions were encouraged and discussions ensued. Event Coordinator-Shirley Ramos informed the LUC of the member events. Breast Cancer Awareness T-Shirts order prior to October. Jets game parking passes purchase due by August 20<sup>th</sup> 2021.

After all business before the LUC, the following motion was made to adjourn the meeting:

**Motion** by Spindler; 2<sup>nd</sup> by Sacks: To adjourn the meeting at 1:49PM. Passed unanimously.

Respectfully submitted,

Raymond Bermudez, Recording Secretary NPMHU-Local 300

## Local 300 Local Union Council Meeting April 21<sup>st</sup> 2021. Attendance Roster

## **Executive Board Members**

Kevin Tabarus – President
Marcenia Yvette Johnson- Vice President
Wilfredo Delgado-Treasurer\*\*
Raymond Bermudez- Recording Secretary
Michelle Kimber- NJSEBM\*
Lucy Lombardo-NYSEBM
Don Utz-CTSEBM

## **Local Union Council Members/Branch Presidents**

Bethpage P&DC-Alan Sacks
Brooklyn P&DC- Howard Spindler
DVD P&DC- Raymond Bermudez
Flushing P&DC-Trevor Stuart
Greater Newark P&DC- Latina Crenshaw\*
ISC/JFK- Lucy Lombardo
NJ/NDC- Marie Chery
New York City P&DC- Irene Delgado
Stamford (CT) P&DC- James Smith
Teterboro P&DC-Mark Chandler
Westchester P&DC- Alberta Prieto
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Excused
Mid Hudson P&DC-Peter Letizia

Western Nassau-Peter Bilotta

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Absent: Mid Island- Robert Lussos

\*via zoom \*\* excused to leave early 1PM