CWA 7777 – Retired Members Chapter Meeting minutes – July 25, 2018

The luncheon and meeting were held at the CWA 7777 Union Hall. Lunch was catered by Terry & Carey. There were 40 members in attendance.

The meeting was called to order at 12:30 p.m. by Vice President Carol Giampaolo. The pledge of allegiance was recited.

FINANCIALS: The financial report was given by Treasurer, Arthur Santomango. Deposits made: \$440.08 and expenses paid: \$909.00, new checking account balance: \$570.08. Balance of the Bellco CD is \$4,005.15 and the Bank of Denver CD is \$3,731.53.

MINUTES: A motion was made from the floor to approve the minutes from the June 27, 2018 meeting. A second was taken from the floor. Motion carried.

PRESIDENT'S REPORT: Vice President Carol Giampaolo reported that there will be phone banking from the Union hall to Union members to get their input on the election. We will send an email blast with more information.

SPEAKER: Vice President Giampaolo introduced Shari Haidvogl from InnovAge. She spoke about the services that they provide and that they are in 36 states throughout the country. She represents 5 states. She spoke about PACE a (Program of All-inclusive Care for the Elderly). Services can be at no cost to you if you are Medicaid or both Medicaid and Medicare eligible. If you are Medicare eligible you pay Medicaid portion, plus Medicare Part D. If you are not eligible for Medicaid or Medicare, they have self-pay rates. If you need more information, call Shari at (303) 562-8229.

GOOD AND WELFARE: Carol passed around thank you cards from Polly Peixoto and Steve Lewsader.

Carol Giampaolo also let everyone know that the Community Action Committee is trying to get people to knit hats to give to the CWA adopted school for winter. Pat Mills volunteered to teach anyone who is interested to knit a hat.

NEW MEMBERS: None.

OLD BUSINESS: None.

NEW BUSINESS: It was announced that the City of Louisville hosts the only Labor Day Parade in the State of Colorado. CWA 7777 will march and enter a float in the parade. Anyone interested in helping please contact the Local.

Vice President Carol Giampaolo talked about the 2018 Christmas party. We will have further discussion at the next meeting.

A motion was made by Chuck Mitchell to raise the late payment of dues to \$20.00 from the current rate of \$15.00. Anne Vigil seconded the motion. The motion was tabled until the next meeting. The motion will be voted on then.

A motion was made by Arthur Santomango to raise the yearly dues for the Chapter from \$7.50 to \$10.00. Rosemary Bass seconded the motion. The motion was tabled until the next meeting. The motion will be voted on then.

COPE: \$22.00.

OTHER: None

DOOR PRIZES:

Reloadable CWA King Soopers gift cards – Stewart Reed, Pam Gray, Kay Boddicker and Pat Faller.

Congratulations to all!

ADJOURNMENT: The meeting was adjourned at 1:30 p.m. The next meeting will be held on Wednesday, August 22, 2018 at CWA Local 7777. Terry & Carey will do the catering.

Respectfully submitted,

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