

CWA 7777 – Retired Members Chapter Meeting minutes – January 23, 2019

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

The meeting was called to order at 1:10 p.m. by President Bill Stokey. The pledge of allegiance was recited.

FINANCIALS: The financial reports for November and December, 2018 was passed out to the members. Deposits made: \$1,983.37 and expenses paid: \$1,227.72, new checking account balance: \$1,714.51. Balance of the Bellco CD is \$4,016.70 and the Bank of Denver CD is \$3,754.14. A motion was made by Lew Ellingson to accept the financial reports. Chuck Mitchell seconded the motion. Motion carried.

MINUTES: A motion was made by Ben Rubin to accept the minutes from the December Holiday Luncheon. Lew Ellingson seconded the motion. Motion carried.

PRESIDENT'S REPORT: President Bill Stokey let everyone know that they still have the ability to join CWA Local 7777 as dues paying members if they would like to.

SPEAKER: Don Brown, from Don & Don, gave a short presentation to the entire group on Retirement and Social Security. They had a longer seminar on Estate Planning, Social Security and Medicare prior to the meeting for those that were interested. They paid for lunch for the retiree group. Many thanks from the entire chapter!

GOOD AND WELFARE: It was announced that ex-CWA President Morton Bahr's wife, Florence, is in the hospital. We send her best wishes for a speedy recovery.

NEW MEMBERS: None.

OLD BUSINESS: Bill Himmelmann still has booklets on preparing for the end of life.

President Stokey will continue looking into the possibility of getting into the Safeway reloadable cards that would bring in a little money to the chapter. This would work like the King Soopers cards that CWA 7777 sells.

NEW BUSINESS: Lew Ellingson announced that CWA's Labor Day at the Capitol will be held on February 21, 2019. Anyone interested in attending should meet here at CWA Local 7777 at 7:00 a.m. Call the hall to get registered. Or you can register on the CWA 7777 website.

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President Stokey announced that from now on, the agreed to procedure for getting in line for lunch will be by table and rotating the starting table each month. This month being table 1 and next month table 2 and so on. This will prevent the line from getting too clogged up.

President Stokey also reported on the Seniors Bluebook. It is a resource guide to hospice, home health, skilled nursing, alzheimers, events and activities for seniors in Colorado and across the country. To get more information, go to www.seniorsbluebook.com

COPE: \$62.00

OTHER: None

DOOR PRIZES: \$10 King Soopers gift cards – Jim Murray, Gloria Talbott, Chere Davis, and Stewart Reed. Congratulations to all!

ADJOURNMENT: A motion to adjourn was taken from the floor and seconded from the floor. Motion carried. The meeting was adjourned at 1:40 p.m. The next meeting will be held on Wednesday, February 27, 2019 at CWA Local 7777. Terry & Carey will do the catering.

Respectfully submitted,

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