

CSEA Chapter 359

Approved

Minutes August 21, 2009

Officers Present: Dana Baker, Jeff Kay, Sarah Foster, Connie Martinez, Celeste Quinones, Michael Kilgore
Absent: Pat Putman

CALL TO ORDER

Dana Baker called the meeting to order at 12:33. 19 members signed in. Jeff Kay led the Pledge of Allegiance.

MINUTES FROM May 29, 2009

Minutes were approved.

COMMUNICATIONS – Sarah Foster and Michael Kilgore

Sarah Foster informed the membership of a booklet called Understanding CalPers that she will look into getting for everyone. Sarah went on to talk about the Resolutions that passed at this year's CSEA Annual conference. She reported that 9 out of 24 resolutions passed, the others were either withdrawn or defeated. Sarah also mentioned that there is a CSEA Leadership Academy Training that is designed to prepare CSEA members to take more control of their lives by serving on local boards and commissions in their communities.

TREASURER'S REPORT – Celeste Quinones

Celeste Quinones reported that as of today the Chapter balance is \$4,862.50 (this includes deposits made through June). Outstanding balances remain for the Annual Conference.

New Members: Pamela Rossman (Transfer Center), Christina Snedden (Academic Senate), Diane Rosenstine (Business Ed).

CHIEF STEWARD'S REPORT – Connie Martinez

Connie Martinez reported no grievances at this time. She did however state that there are a couple of complaints regarding a supervisor in the maintenance dept.

EXECUTIVE BOARD - Dana Baker

Dana Baker informed members that there is a lot of rumors going around about a 2nd round of layoffs. Dana also reported that she wanted to let the membership know that President Rodriguez said maybe and it depends on the amount of money it will cost to bring positions back.

Dana mentioned that at this time we just don't know what the budget balance will be.

Dana informed members of who was elected to the new CSEA board at the conference. They are as follows: Allen Clarke – President, Mike Bilbrey – Vice President, Ivan Pastrano – 2nd Vice President, and Donna D'Arcy – Secretary.

COMMITTEE REPORTS – Jeff Kay

No new committee reports.

OLD BUSINESS

NEW BUSINESS

Dana Baker announced that she is going to run for Alternate Area E Director.

GOOD OF THE ORDER

ADJOURNMENT

Meeting adjourned at 1:30PM.

******Negotiations Team** – Leslie Wang, Dana Baker, Jeff Kay, Jeff Regalia, Manuel Payan, Terry Ogata, Pat Putman, Connie Martinez.

******Job Stewards** – Connie Martinez, Manuel Payan, Terry Ogata, Tony Lawson, Robert Flores, Dana Baker, Sara Rosenkilde

Sarah Foster, Chapter Secretary

Dana Baker, Chapter President