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#### **UPCOMING MEETINGS**

Executive Board meets 6 p.m. the first Wednesday of each month, and any member may attend as a non-voting visitor. Members meet 6 p.m. the third Wednesday of each month. Meetings are conducted virtually. Register in advance at afscmelocal88.org.

GENERAL MEMBERSHIP Wednesday, Aug. 16 at 6 p.m. EXECUTIVE BOARD Wednesday, Sept. 6 at 6 p.m.

## MEMBERSHIP UPDATE

BY JOSLYN BAKER AFSCME LOCAL 88, PRESIDENT | president@afscmelocal88.org

# Your union needs your leadership

AFSCME Local 88 will be accepting nominations at our Sept. 20 General Membership Meeting to fill the following vacant Local 88 Officer, Executive Board, and one trustee positions. The term for these positions ends in November 2025.

- **President** This position includes a \$400 monthly stipend and 100% of your work time is paid by the county. This position requires a high level of flexibility and responsiveness.
- Vice President This position includes a \$400 monthly stipend and up to 25% of your work time is paid by the county. This position requires a high level of flexibility and responsiveness.
- **Treasurer** This position includes a \$400 monthly stipend and up to 25% of your work time is paid by the county. This position requires a high level of flexibility and responsiveness.
- **Secretary** This position includes a \$400 monthly stipend and up to 25% of your work time is paid by the county. This position requires a high level of flexibility and responsiveness.
- **Executive board** 21 positions by sector; confirm with Jackie Vitron if constitution is approved for 27 members. This position includes a \$75 monthly stipend and your work time may be paid by the county on a limited basis. This position requires a high level of flexibility and responsiveness.
- **Trustee** 3 year term This position includes a \$75 monthly stipend and your work time may be paid by the county on a limited basis. A team of three trustees support the treasurer to ensure the financial strength and wellness of AFSCME Local 88.

Information about the roles and responsibilities of these elected positions can be found in the Local 88 Constitution at https://bit.ly/3q8f7xt and in the AFSCME Local 88 policies at https://bit.ly/476PRbG.

### **Fundraiser for Jeanie Diaz's family**

Hello, this is a fundraiser to support Jeanie Diaz's family while they grieve her sudden loss from their lives. She was a loving mother to two beautiful girls, ages 5 and 8, and a wonderful, caring wife of nine years.

A devoted Youth Librarian in the Multnomah County Library system for more than seven years, Jeanie touched countless lives and families with her fun story times and engaging community events. Jeanie was also an accomplished visual artist and under the name Four Sided Friends, she produced hundreds of colorful, intricate, patterned pieces and held many shows around Portland.

Visit the family's GoFundMe site at bit.ly/44vT6HI. Donations



made through that fundraiser will directly support her family through this difficult time when arrangements are being made to celebrate Jeanie's life and enduring memory.

Please also share your remembrances of her with others,

however small and fleeting you might think it was. Every interaction meant so much to her, and she was the most excited to let you know that every time.

We thank you from the bottom of our hearts!

### Become a delegate to the Oregon AFL-CIO convention

The 2023 Oregon AFL-CIO Convention will take place September 21-23, 2023. AFSC-ME Local 88 will be accepting nominations at our Aug. 16 General Membership Meeting to fill five delegate positions to attend this important event. We have nine delegate spots

based on our membership as of May 2023; this gives us 3,013 votes. Four delegate positions are assigned to local 88 officers. Please consider this union leadership opportunity and let us know if you have questions at 88cabinet@afscmelocal88.org



### Get your ticket for the 2023 NOLC Labor Day picnic

The Northwest Oregon Labor Council (NOLC) is hosting the 2023 Labor Day Picnic. This event is titled "We're Back" and will be held 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday, Sept. 4 at the Clackamas County Fairgrounds.

AFSCME Local 88 has approved funding to purchase 667 scrip tickets for members and their families to attend the picnic. Each ticket will provide a full meal, including drink and ice

cream. There will also be no-host bars located around the site.

Tickets are available on a first come-first served basis to members of Local 88 and our sublocals: Dentist (L88-5), Pharmacists (L88-4), Physicians (L88-2), Juvenile Custody Support Specialist (L88-6), Transition Project Inc - TPI (L88-3) & Central City Concerns - CCC (L88-1). Scrip tickets will also be available for you to purchase the day of the

picnic at the entrance gate for \$15 each. Sign up for your tickets starting August 5, 2023, at https://forms.gle/Tu6R3NGfeuDgc2Mq7. We have a limit of 667 tickets so please sign up before they are gone. You will receive a confirmation that you will receive tickets.

Looking forward to seeing everyone at the picnic! Here is a link to NOLC's Labor Day Picnic video! https://bit.ly/452hAIO



CELEBRATE LABOR DAY WITH FELLOW LABOR UNION MEMBERS

#### Picnic volunteers needed

NOLC would be grateful for volunteers to help with traffic, parking, and other tasks. Please email Sue Milne at officemgr@nwolc.org to sign up to volunteer.