

COLUMBIA TYPOGRAPHICAL UNION NO. 101-12, CWA 14200



America's Oldest Labor Union

Organized January 7, 1815

COMMUNICATIONS WORKERS OF AMERICA, AFL-CIO



Report of the President

MARCH 20, 2021, LOCAL UNION MEETING CANCELLED

I want to thank the entire membership for giving me the opportunity to serve as president of CTU 101-12. Along with myself, the vice president, the secretary-treasurer, and the executive committee members are here to work with the membership to handle any situation that may arise.

It is unfortunate, but necessary, that I have to cancel our local meeting for March 2021. Our next regular union meeting is May 15, 2021, and as a reminder, our May meeting is when members wishing to submit a proposal for changes in our bylaws will need to submit a proposal in writing.

As with any change in leadership, priorities need to be established to resume daily operations and our local is no exception to this. One of these priorities is to update our membership database as soon as possible. Another is to resume printing of the *Bulletin*. The local has a new e-mail address (see page 2) and currently the best way for members needing to contact the local would be using the local's new e-mail address. We have been experiencing some problems with our phone lines and we are currently working with Verizon to have the issues resolved.

The local currently needs another member to serve on the executive committee. If you are interested, please contact Chairman Sibiski or e-mail the local about this position.

GOVERNMENT PUBLISHING OFFICE (GPO)

Later this year wage negotiations for a new contract will take place. Members interested in serving on the scale committee need to contact Larry Sibiski, chairman of the Chairman's Chapel. Only members of CTU 101-12 will be allowed to serve on the scale committee and only members of the Union will be allowed to vote on the proposed wage agreement between the GPO and the Union.

Chairman Sibiski, working with the CWA, has established a Web site for CTU 101-12 at: www.cwalocals.org/14200 Although it's still early on for this site, our goal is to keep posting information on the site in between meetings to keep the membership informed as much as possible. I encourage all members to visit the site and express their views on any improvements that can be made to the site to better serve the membership. Send your comments or suggestions to Chairman Sibiski using the local's new e-mail address.

Fraternally,

Michael Maher

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Office Hours—11 a.m. to 6 p.m.

Regular Union Meetings: 3rd Saturday, 10:00 a.m.

January, March, May, September, November



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at RIPS Restaurant (in a private room)

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Bowie, MD

Report of the Vice President

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As chairman on the Hill and in Main Proof II, we had a very active and informed membership with monthly chapel meetings and special chapel meetings when necessary.

As the newly elected vice president, I will strive, along with the other newly elected officers, to do the same by keeping the members informed to the best of my ability. We are planning on making sure the *Bulletin* will be printed and delivered in a timely fashion. We are planning to come into the 21st century in the way we do our Union meetings. We are requesting all members send us their current e-mail and mailing address so we can update our files. This is to be sure all pertinent information and materials will be received by our members.

To do this, we will need the cooperation of all members. This is your Union. We may not always agree on certain issues, but at least you have the right to be heard, which seems not to have been the case for quite a while.

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"Next Regular Union Meeting"

Saturday, May 15, 2021

10:00 a.m.

(Please note this is the 3rd Saturday in the month.)

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RETIREES 2021 DUES NOTICE

Dues for retired members are based on the decision that was made when each member retired. Members were asked to decide between continuing as Full Members of the CWA or staying as Members of CTU 101-12 only.

Members are not allowed to change their membership status from one year to the next. If at the time of your retirement you chose to pay \$12.00, you cannot switch to a \$24.00 membership later.

Retirees paying \$12.00 per year are members of CTU 101-12 only and are not able to vote for or be a candidate for any Local or CWA office. You will continue to receive the Local Bulletin, longevity awards, and any other important information. Your membership with CWA will only be as "Guest Members."

Retirees paying \$24.00 per year will remain as full members of the CWA and are eligible to run for office and vote on all matters concerning CTU 101-12.

Should you have any questions concerning the above, contact Union Headquarters, 202-362-9413. Once again, your choices are:

2021 DUES

\$12.00-----Local Membership

or

\$24.00-----Full CWA Membership

Please detach the form below and mail with your check payable to:

Columbia Typographical Union 101-12 or CTU 101-12
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Voluntary contributions will be listed in the Local Bulletin.

<input type="checkbox"/> \$12.00 Local Membership		\$
<input type="checkbox"/> \$24.00 Full CWA Membership		\$
<u>Additional Contributions</u>		
<input type="checkbox"/> General Fund.....		\$
<input type="checkbox"/> Corporation (Building Fund)		\$
<input type="checkbox"/> Additional Donation.....		\$
Total		\$
Name:		
Address:		
Phone Number:		
E-mail Address:		

<u>Miscellaneous Contributions</u>	<i>In memory of</i>		
Mike Divver..... \$ 26.00	Laurence Watson, Jr. \$ 25.00	Thomas Richardson.....	\$ 50.00
David B. Yunger..... \$ 28.00	<i>In memory of</i>	George Dittmer, Jr.....	\$ 8.00
Anonymous..... \$ 316.00	Frank L. Drake..... \$ 25.00	Danny Owens.....	\$ 12.00
		Total.....	\$ 490.00

