

Westchester Unit 9200
Civil Service Employees Association
112 East Post Road
White Plains, New York 10601

Minutes of Shop Steward / Monthly Meeting
January 8th, 2008

Jack McPhillips, President, Karen Pecora, 1st Vice President,
Noel De La Cruz, 2nd Vice President, Edward J. Magilton, 3rd Vice President
Jim Kelly, 4th Vice President, Elio Giuliani, Treasurer
Joanne Castaldo, Secretary, Michael Wolf, Sergeant-at Arms

All officers were presented except Treasurer Elio Giuliani and Secretary Joanne Castaldo

Pledge of Allegiance

Moment of silence for past members and family members

Topics for Discussion

Drivers Education Course

President McPhillips informed the members that the Defensive Driving Course is scheduled for Saturday, 1/26/08 or a split course, Wednesday, 1/16/08 & Thursday, 1/17/08. The course is held at the Local 860 office and the cost is \$19.00 for the member and any family member. The schedule is posted on the website.

WCC Fragmentation

President McPhillips informed the members that a "Stipulation of Facts" regarding the fragmentation of WCC was in the process of being written. CSEA Unit 9200 is still willing to fight against the fragmentation, but CSEA, Inc wants to make the agreement as quickly as possible to insure that the members at the college will continue to be represented by CSEA.

Workshops

President McPhillips informed the members of Labor History Workshop which will be held on Wednesday, 1/23/08 and the Labor/Management Workshop which will be held on Thursday, 2/7/08. Both workshops will be held at the CSEA Local 860 office and a light dinner at 5:30pm will be provided, and the program starts at 6pm and ends at 9pm.

Negotiations / Mediation

President McPhillips informed the members that a mediator has been assigned to us and we hope to meet with him by the end of the month. The mediator will hear from the unit and the county separately, and then together. His determinations and report will guide our next move. If he feels he can find a middle ground acceptable to both sides, we will schedule something with the

county; if not we go to fact finding. President McPhillips informed the members of the pros and cons of going to fact finding.

Officer's Reports

No officer's reports but President McPhillips did thank 1st vice President Karen Pecora and the Holiday Party committee, Ylsa Abrams, Edna Gibian, Lydia Hernandez and Judith Brome for the wonderful job on the Unit party and encouraged everyone to attend next year.

Raffle

Keturah Hadley from Probation won a \$25 Visa Gift Card
James Deans from DEF – Yorktown won a CSEA Unit 9200 jacket

New Business

The next monthly meeting is scheduled for Tuesday, February 5th, 2008, but there was some discussion about changing the date since this is Primary Day and people may want to vote after work or be working at the polls.

Note: The Feb 2008 monthly meeting date has been rescheduled for Feb 12.

A light dinner @ 5:30pm – meeting starts at 6:00 p.m..