

## **June 7, 2017**

**Quorum:** (15) members were present. A motion was made by Argjent Kala, second by Brandon Jones and passed to accept the minutes of the previous meeting as printed.

### **Communications:**

A letter was read from President Rolando announcing a June RAP Session in Atlantic City to explain the tentative agreement.

### **New Business:**

- ❖ President Daniels reported that the May LCPF drive ended with 182 members contributing \$17,436. Checks totaled \$3,169 with automatic payroll and annuity raising \$14,267. Drawings for the two sweepstakes prizes were then held. Brandon Jones drew the first prize winner of \$300 who was Meriden retiree Dennis Redican. Billie-Jo Romano then drew the second prize winner of \$200 who was Middletown retiree Maurice Robitaille, Jr.
- ❖ NALC's Food Drive was May 13<sup>th</sup>. Branch 20's 31 offices collected 125,653 pounds of food.
- ❖ There was no further estimates to replace the meeting hall door. Motion by Kate Tavernier, second by Mitch Dingle and passed to have Norke Builders replace door for \$2,700.
- ❖ President Daniels reviewed tentative national agreement. He advised that ballots for ratification would be sent out June 19<sup>th</sup>. Motion by Kate Tavernier, second by Argjent Kala and passed to send two officers to the National RAP session on the new tentative agreement with all expenses paid.
- ❖ Motion by Billie-Jo Romano, second by Robert Ponzio and passed to pay lost time, mileage and lunch for all stewards' and officers' for the June 28<sup>th</sup> stewards' meeting.
- ❖ Motion by Kate Tavernier, second by Robert Ponzio and passed to purchase pre-paid fuel oil for office at \$2.19 a gallon totaling \$1,843.
- ❖ President Daniels reviewed a Meriden forced overtime grievance that the "B" team resolved favorably for the union and paid 27 carriers.
- ❖ Motion by Billie-Jo Romano, second buy Brandon Jones and passed to suspend the July and August union meetings.

**Treasurer's Report** was handed out to all members present. Motion by Ben Sakowich, second by Kate Tavernier and passed to accept the Treasurer's report as printed.

**Motion to Adjourn** was made by Argjent Kala, second by Brandon Jones and passed.