

RETIREES NEWS AND NOTES

July 2010

A&R Retiree Council, Local 4200R

Officers: Joella Bouchard Mudry, President; Mary Ann Goggin, Vice President;
Win Heimer, Secretary; Yvette Lévesque, Treasurer

Constitution Receives Final Revision:

Members present at the June 18 General Membership Meeting approved and ratified the final version of our A&R Retiree Council Constitution. The document had been in the works for more than two years and the Constitution Committee headed by Mary Jo Herbst worked diligently to produce a great product.

AFT Grant to Assist Retiree Council Organizing Efforts:

We have received a \$2,500 grant from AFT to help us organize new members. Our first efforts will be aimed at recruiting retirees of our sister local, the University Health Professionals.




Logo Design Contest Announced:

The Retiree Council needs a distinctive logo that we can proudly display. (The logo will be used for T-shirts, buttons, pencils, etc. that we can use in our effort to increase our membership while we are organizing.) We invite all members to submit a design to Council President Joella Bouchard Mudry. Entries must be submitted electronically no later than July 24, 2010, to Joella at JoellaHunter@sbcglobal.net The winner will be announced at our September Executive Board Meeting on Monday, September 13, 2010. The winner will receive the first article with that logo and a picture in the A&R Retirees News and Notes.

Elections Committee Announces New Members:

The following individuals have been appointed to the Elections committee: Don Levenson, Chair; Brian Scully, Paul Gibb, Sue Robinson, Joella Bouchard Mudry, Mary Ann Goggin, May Tyson. Council election rules have been adopted and will soon be available on this webpage. Nominations for officer and delegate positions must be received by July 27, 2010 at the A&R Union office. Only members of the Council can vote in the election. For other requirements and election provisions see the Rules on the webpage. The Election Committee encourages all Council members to participate in the election and looks forward to a fair and vibrant election process.

Upcoming Happenings:

-  **July 24, Thursday** – Last day to enter Retiree Council logo contest (see above).
-  **July 27, Tuesday.** – Last day to receive nominations for officers and delegates (at A&R Office, see above).
-  **July 28, Wednesday at 7:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m.** - Location: Block Island Day Trip.

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