

GENERAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING – May 11, 2021

The meeting was called to order via Zoom at 7:02 p.m. by President Serop Karchikyan. The pledge of allegiance was led by Sergeant-at-Arms Ric Roldan and there was a moment of silence for departed brothers and sisters since the last meeting, and for Barbara Gillespie of Ybarra & Gillespie, our Branch CPA firm. The roll call was answered by thirteen officers and stewards in good standing. President Karchikyan announced the training of Amy Lee for the position of Financial Secretary.

Motion (Siechert/Rhodes) passed to waive the reading of minutes from the previous meeting and accept as printed in the Mail Call. Motion (Siechert/Trieu) passed to waive the reading of the bills and accept as emailed to members present at the meeting. Motion (Siechert/Roldan) passed to waive the reading of Treasurer's Report, accepted as printed in the Mail Call. Motion (Burskey/Aghakhanyan) passed to accept and welcome the applications for membership: Derrick Avila, Enrique Bautista, Victor Castaneda, Kevin De Anda, Elizabeth Diaz, David Genova, Jill Grayson, Scott Kim, Eddie Park, Diana Rosales.

MDA/Carolyn Zorn reported on upcoming Branch raffle of Lucille's gift cards to raise funds for MDA. Legislative Liaison Zorn reported on the USPS Board of Governors and numerous HR and Senate bills regarding USPS issues. Audit Committee Chair, Leroy Collier, updated on audit scheduled for May 13th at 7 a.m.

Newly converted career carrier, Robert Howe, from Pasadena was introduced. President Karchikyan announced and congratulated the Mikita Scholarship winner, Stanley Liu, son of Pasadena Carrier Pui Ng.

President Karchikyan reported on the CCA conversions to full-time (FT) and part-time flexible (PTF) status, and highlighted the numerous differences between CCAs and PTFs. President Karchikyan also addressed issues regarding COVID vaccinations and Emergency Employee Federal Leave. Discussion followed on discontinuing MSP street scans, mandatory overtime, special route inspections, and on future zoom vs in-person union meetings.

Motion (Siechert/Roldan) passed to adjourn the meeting at 8:47 p.m

Submitted by,



Nancy Norman
Secretary-Treasurer