GENERAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING – April 9, 2025

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 Gabriel Gonzalez and there was a moment of silence for our departed brothers and sisters since the last meeting and for Janette Dolabson of Branch 2462. The roll call was answered by ten officers and stewards in good standing. Motion (Siechert/Trieu) passed to excuse Keith Lineman from the membership meeting. Thank You letter was read from NALC Disaster Relief for Branch contribution. Motion (Siechert/Trieu) passed to waive the reading of the minutes from the previous meeting and accept as emailed /printed for members at the meeting. Motion (A Gonzalez/Germann) passed to waive the reading of the bills spreadsheet, accepted as emailed/printed, warrants be drawn and bills be paid. Motion (Siechert/Qua) passed to waive the reading of the Treasurer's Report and accept as emailed/printed for members. Motion (Siechert/Trieu) passed to accept and welcome the following applications for membership: J Blow, C Finder, A Garcia, I Marin, J Nelson, M Sandoval, I Santa Isabel, T Taylor, E Tovar and J Valenzuela Vasq.

MDA coordinator Zorn, reported on basket fundraiser for next month. Carolyn Zorn and Leroy Collier reported on the Letter Carrier Political Fund, attempts to privatize USPS and on NALC rallies to save USPS. President Karchikyan gave Food Drive updates, including t-shirts for sale and coordinator meeting on April 18th. Audit report of Feb 25th was read and motion (Trieu/Chong) passed to accept the report as read.

Executive Board recommendations were accepted as follows #1 (Siechert/A Gonzalez) the Branch send the President and HB Representative to the seminar in November. Branch to pay registration, travel, lodging, per diem and pay HB Rep up to 24 hours at the By-Law hourly wage #2 (Siechert/Trieu) that cost to the Branch for the picnic not exceed \$25 per person and that the 2025 Picnic tickets be sold at \$10 each for ages 6 to adult and children under 6 years are free. Each member may receive 5 tickets (including children under 6 years), with additional tickets sold at the rate of \$25 per person.

President Karchikyan reported on the Committee of Presidents meeting that was held in our city of Pasadena and thanked all the volunteers from our Branch. The members thanked President Karchikyan for the meeting meal and a motion (Siechert/Trieu) passed to adjourn the meeting at 9:09 p.m. Submitted by,

Nancy Norman

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