



12th BIENNIAL CONVENTION 2008
 HILTON ANCHORAGE HOTEL
 500 West Third Avenue, Anchorage AK
 FEBRUARY 21, 22, 23 & 24, 2008

CONVENTION PROGRAM

Subject to change

WEDNESDAY, February 20, 2008

<u>TIME</u>	<u>ACTIVITY</u>	<u>LOCATION</u>
8:30am – 5:00pm	Workshop: OFFICER TRAINING Chapter Presidents, Secretaries, Treasurers & Delegates are welcome to attend	Katmai/Dillingham (2 nd Floor)

THURSDAY, February 21, 2008

NOTE: Lupine Room - Administrative Office for the Union, 24-hour staff access

<u>TIME</u>	<u>ACTIVITY</u>	<u>Anchorage Hilton Rooms</u>
7:00 a.m.	BREAKFAST ON YOUR OWN	
8:00 – 9:30	Convention Delegate Workshop	Bristol Bay Ballroom, 2 nd Flr
9:45 a.m. – 12 noon	PRE-CONVENTION WORK SESSIONS Resolutions Committee Constitutional Amendments Committee Rural Committee Class I Committee Legislative Committee Women's Committee	Illiamna Room, 2 nd Flr King Salmon Room, 2 nd Flr Katmai Room, 2 nd Flr Cook Inlet Board Room, 1 st Flr Prince William Board Room, 1 st Dillingham Room, 2 nd Flr
12 noon	LUNCH ON YOUR OWN	
1:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.	PRE-CONVENTION WORK SESSIONS Resolutions Committee Constitutional Amendments Committee *Legislative Committee *Class I Committee *Rural Committee *Women's Committee *Wrap-up and submit any proposed resolutions to the Resolutions Committee by 5:00pm	Illiamna Room, 2 nd Flr King Salmon Room, 2 nd Flr Prince William Board Room, 1 st Cook Inlet Board Room, 1 st Flr Katmai Room, 2 nd Flr Dillingham Room, 2 nd Flr
5:00 p.m.	DINNER ON YOUR OWN	
6:00 p.m. - until	PRE-CONVENTION WORK SESSIONS Resolutions Committee Constitutional Amendments Committee	Illiamna Room, 2 nd Floor King Salmon Room, 2 nd Flr

FRIDAY, February 22, 2008

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<u>TIME</u>	<u>ACTIVITY</u>	<u>Anchorage Hilton Rooms</u>
7:00 a.m.	BREAKFAST	Denali Ballroom, 2 nd Flr
8:00 a.m. - 12 noon	PRE-CONVENTION COMMITTEE WORK SESSIONS Resolutions Committee (Wrap-up) Constitutional Amendments Committee (Wrap-up) Budget Committee Credentials Committee Tellers Committee Rules & Sergeant-At-Arms Committee	Illiamna Room, 2 nd Flr King Salmon Room, 2 nd Flr Prince William Room, 1 st Flr Dillingham Room, 2 nd Flr Portage Room, 2 nd Flr Katmai Room, 2 nd Flr
12 noon	LUNCH BUFFET	Denali Ballroom, 2 nd Flr
1:00 p.m.	PLENARY SESSION Announcements by ASEA Secretary Michael Williams	Alaska Ballroom, 2 nd Flr
1:00 p.m. - 1:45 p.m.	DELEGATE PRE-CONVENTION ORIENTATION Parliamentary Procedure and Delegate Handbook Review	Alaska Ballroom, 2 nd Flr
2:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.	SPECIAL GUEST SPEAKERS: PAUL BOOTH Assistant to Gerald McEntee, International President, AFSCME International GUEST SPEAKER: JIM SCHMITZ Director of Organizing and Field Services	Alaska Ballroom, 2 nd Flr
3:00 p.m. - 3:30 p.m.	POLITICAL ACTION ASEA Lobbyist Report ASEA Political Action Committee Report	Alaska Ballroom, 2 nd Flr
3:30 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.	ASEA COMMITTEES - STATUS REPORTS Bush Community Committee Chief Stewards Committee Class I Committee Grievance Review Committee Judicial Panel Women's Committee Probation/Parole Committee ASEA SPONSORED TRUSTS – STATUS REPORTS ASEA/AFSCME Local 52 Health Benefits Trust ASEA Legal Services Trust Fund	Alaska Ballroom, 2 nd Flr
5:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.	REGISTRATION (Credentials Committee)	Promenade, 2 nd Flr
5:30 p.m. - 7:30 p.m.	RECEPTION and No-Host Bar Candidates from AFSCME, National, and State are invited	Katmai/King Salmon, 2 nd Flr
7:00 p.m. – until	Credentials Committee	Dillingham Room, 2 nd Flr

SATURDAY, February 23, 2008

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<u>TIME</u>	<u>ACTIVITY</u>	<u>Anchorage Hilton Rooms</u>
7:00 a.m.	BREAKFAST	Denali Room, 2 nd Flr
8:00 a.m.	WELCOMING CEREMONIES Secretary Michael R. Williams Announcements Call for the Assembly to rise for the Presentation of Colors Presentation of Colors (AJ Dimond J.R.O.T.C. Color Guard) Invocation (Reverend Dr. William Greene) National Anthem Welcome Comments by ASEA President Fred Brown Introduction of Mark Begich, Mayor, MOA Welcome by Mayor Mark Begich, MOA	Alaska Ballroom, 2 nd Flr
8:45 a.m.	AFSCME GUESTS, with Introductions by ASEA President Fred Brown Ken Allen, IVP, AFSCME International Greg Devereux, IVP, AFSCME International Vinnie O'Connor, Business Representative, Council 2	
9:30 a.m.	KEYNOTE ADDRESS: Introduction by Northwest Area Field Services Director Tam Tocher AFSCME International Guest Speaker: William Lucy Secretary-Treasurer, AFSCME International	
10:15 a.m.	BUSINESS SESSION CALL TO ORDER by ASEA President Fred Brown APPROVAL OF THE AGENDA CONVENTION COMMITTEE REPORTS Credentials Committee: Seating of the Regular Delegates Rules/Sergeant-at-Arms Committee: Adoption of the Rules Credentials Committee: Seating of the Irregular Delegates STATE OF THE UNION President's Report Secretary's Report Treasurer's Report: Presentation/Approve Budget FY 2009 Business Manager's Report	Alaska Ballroom, 2 nd Flr
12 noon	WORKING LUNCH BUFFET	Denali Ballroom, 2 nd Flr

SATURDAY, February 23, 2008 (continued)

1:00 p.m.	CONVENTION COMMITTEE REPORTS Oral Presentation and Floor Dialogue: Legislative Committee Rural Committee Class I Committee Women's Committee Resolutions Committee Constitutional Amendments Committee	Alaska Ballroom, 2 nd Flr
5:00 p.m.	EVENING RECESS	
7:00 p.m. - until!!	DINNER (w/Door Prize Distribution)	Chart Room, 15 th Flr

SUNDAY, February 24, 2008

NOTE: Lupine Room - Administrative Office for the Union, until 6:00pm

<u>TIME</u>	<u>ACTIVITY</u>	<u>Anchorage Hilton Rooms</u>
7:00 a.m.	BREAKFAST	Denali Ballroom, 2 nd Flr
7:30 a.m.	Ecumenical service available for delegates Dr. Rev. Greene	Illiamna Room, 2 nd Flr
8:00 a.m.	GENERAL SESSION (Reconvenes) Announcements	Alaska Ballroom, 2 nd Flr
	CONVENTION COMMITTEE REPORTS (Continued) Oral Presentation and Floor Dialogue	
12:00 noon	WORKING LUNCH BUFFET	Denali Ballroom, 2 nd Flr
	CONVENTION COMMITTEE REPORTS (continued) Oral Presentation and Floor Dialogue	
	GOOD AND WELFARE	
5:00 p.m., or earlier	ADJOURNMENT	