ASEA Call To Convention Critical Timelines

The 16th Biennial Convention of ASEA/AFSCME Local 52, AFL-CIO, will be held at the Hotel Captain Cook in Anchorage on March 9 - 13, 2016.

Critical Timelines:
- **Chapter Delegate certification and delegate/alternate credentials must be received at ASEA Anchorage Headquarters no later than 5:00 p.m. on January 27, 2016**
- **Proposed Constitutional Amendments and Resolutions must be received at ASEA Anchorage Headquarters no later than 5:00 p.m. on January 27, 2016**
- **Committee Appointments will be made by the Executive Board President and announced in the delegate packet on February 26, 2016**
- **Resolutions Committee meets Thursday, March 10, 2016 from 1:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.**
- **Constitutional Amendments Committee meets Thursday, March 10, 2016 from 1:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.**
- **Work Sessions of the following Committees: Thursday March 10, 2016**
  - **Rules:** 10:45 a.m. - 12:00 Noon
  - **Class 1, Legislative - Next Wave**
  - **Rural/Bush - Women’s Committee:** 10:45 a.m. - 5:00 p.m. Friday, March 11, 2016
  - **Budget** 8:00 a.m. - 10:00 a.m.
  - **Credentials** 8:00 a.m. - 12:00 Noon
  - **Sergeant - At Arms** 8:30 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.
  - **Tellers** 10:00 a.m. - 12:00 Noon
- **Registration of delegates, alternates and invited guests will take place on Friday, March 11, 2016 from 8:00 a.m. to 7:30 p.m.** (All delegates, alternates and invited guests are welcome.)
- **Welcoming ceremonies begin on Saturday, March 12, 2016 at 8:00 a.m.**
- **Convention Business - The Convention will remain in session until 5:00 p.m., Sunday, March 13, 2016 unless the business of the Convention is completed earlier.**
- **Any delegate whose credential is not received at ASEA/AFSCME Local 52 Anchorage Headquarters by 5:00 p.m. on January 27, 2016, shall be considered an IRREGULAR DELEGATE. No irregular delegate shall be seated until the Credentials Report seating regular delegates has been presented, passed and received into the record. Regular delegates of the Convention may seat irregular delegates by a majority vote AFTER they have been seated by the Credentials Committee.**

**Constitutional Amendments / Proposed Resolution forms must be received no later that 5:00 p.m. on January 27, 2016. (NOTE: Official Proposed Constitutional Amendment / Proposed Resolutions submittal forms may be reproduced as needed and are available at www.aseaafscmelocal52.org**

Ketchikan Chapter Holiday Party

The Ketchikan Chapter Holiday Party was an adult evening out event. Approximately 65 members and their guests attended.

Thank you to all those that helped make this such a wonderful event.

Martin Luther King, Jr. Observed Monday, January 18

“In our glorious fight for civil rights, we must guard against being fooled by false slogans, as “Right to work”. It provides no rights and no work. Its purpose is to destroy labor unions and the freedom of collective bargaining. We demand this fraud be stopped.”

CBS Chapter Contribution To The ANB/ANS Dinner Committee

ANB (Alaska Native Brotherhood) Event Coordinator Kerry MacLane, receives a $250 contribution toward the ANB/ANS Community Christmas Dinner from the City of Sitka Chapter of the Alaska State Employees Association. MacLane said more than 20 volunteers prepared approximately 400 Christmas meals made possible through contributions like this one from Sitka’s rank-and-file municipal employees. He added that a limited delivery program providing take-out food to the police and fire departments, elders and people without transportation was extending the community dinner program well beyond the ANB Hall where most dinners met on Christmas Day.

Juneau Chapter Holiday Party

The Juneau Chapter had a wonderful holiday party with approximately 510 members and their families attending. A multitude of gifts were given out, a 40” and a 32” smart TV, laptops, wireless head phones, fitbits, cameras, home theater systems and Keurig coffee makers.

Thank you to all those that worked so hard to make this a wonderful event.