

ASEA Digest Minis

Stay up-to-date on Matters of Union Member Interest!

Important Dates:

Alaska AFL-CIO Convention Aug 24-25Midnight Sun Board Meeting - Aug 24Worksite Meeting at the Airport - Aug 30ASEA Executive Board Meeting Aug 31 - Sep 1Labor Day - Monday, Sep 5



ASEA President Dawn Bundick shares her President's update for July & August. In this edition, check out:

- AFSCME's 45th Convention re-cap
- ASEA leadership updates
- Upcoming events and activities

• Three goals: re-energize, recruit, retain! Read her full newsletter on our website: https://www.afscmelocal52.org/asea-files/ASEA_Pres_Bundick_Message_Jul_Aug_2022.pdf



ASEA members may notice a new friendly face - or hear a new friendly voice - in the ASEA AFSCME Local 52 office in Anchorage. Nikki joined the ASEA team on July 25 to serve members as ASEA Receptionist and Mail Clerk – but as members know – she will be on the front line to answer and assist members with their questions and needs. Please give her a warm welcome the next time you see or speak with her.

Some fast facts about Nikki:

She is from Anchorage

She is a mom, and is close with her family

This is her first Union job!

She is pre-majoring in the dental hygiene program at UAA

She is on a bowling league!

Her favorite color (right now) is tiffany blue

Tea or Coffee? Coffee

Favorite place in AK: Seward

Cats or Dogs? Dogs

Favorite food: Thai and Vietnamese



Over the past three years, the Juneau Chapter of ASEA/AFSCME/Local 52 has not been as active during the pandemic, and have found many opportunities to economize. Our membership comprises state workers who live and work in Juneau. At a recent Chapter membership meeting, Juneau Chapter Member Kelly Moore proposed that we make a meaningful investment by donating \$5,500 towards the renovation of the Glory Hall facility. Her proposal passed unanimously. These funds would support the Glory Hall's efforts in building an office for a new mental health clinician who would provide services to our Juneau neighbors that are without homes. Pursuant to that decision by the membership; President Paul R Kelly, Secretary Supanika Ordóñez, and Board Member John King presented a \$5,500 check on Friday, August 19.



ASEA Executive Board Seeks Applications for Executive Director - The Deadline to apply is Tuesday, Sep 6

The ASEA Executive Board is seeking applications from public service advocates that are interested in directing ASEA AFSCME Local 52 and continuing to uphold

quality service for more than 8,000 public professionals across the state of Alaska. Visit our website for more information.



ASEA is looking for a Business Agent/Organizer in Juneau - The deadline to apply is Fri, Sep 2

Know anyone in Juneau that would make a welcome addition to the ASEA AFSCME Local 52 team? Have them check out the job announcement on our website. The Deadline for applications is **September 2, 2022**



Worksite meetings are picking back up, starting at the end of August with some scheduled into September. The following are scheduled in Anchorage:

- Tuesday, August 30 in the Susitna Room at the Airport for DOT Members.
 Come any time between 11 am and 1 pm. More details will be sent as the date nears.
- **Tuesday, September 13** in the *5th Floor break room* at the Anchorage Pioneer Home. Come **between 2 3 pm**.
- Wednesday, September 14 in the 5th floor conference room of the Brady Building from 11:30 am 1:00 pm for ASEA Dept. of Law members. ASEA members working in the Whale building and Boney Courthouse are all welcome to join this worksite meeting.



The ASEA/AFSCME Local 52 Executive Board Quarterly Business Session will start on **Aug. 31 at 8:30 am** and continue on Sept. 1, if needed.

MEMBER COMMENT PERIOD

Thursday, Aug 31, starting at 12 pm

Members can join via Zoom. The link will be posted on our webpage as the meeting date nears. Visit https://www.afscmelocal52.org/news/492-exec-board-quarterly-sessionaug-31-sep-1



Month of Guns

The Alaska AFL-CIO is selling tickets for their annual month of guns raffle. 5 entries max. \$100 per ticket. In Anchorage - head to the IBEW 1547 to purchase. Want to purchase outside of Anchorage? *Contact the Alaska AFL-CIO to find ticket sales near you:* **907-258-2684**

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