

OPEIU Local 8 Chapter Meeting Minutes

Chapter meeting location: Olympia Date: 6/4/11

The Chapter was called to order at: 10:00 a.m. By: Jan Abberger

Initiation of New Members: none

Nomination and election of Chapter Chair:

Nominee(s): _____

Elected: n/a

Nominations and election of Chapter Chair-Elect:

Nominee(s): _____

Elected: n/a

Officer Roll Call as follows: Chair: Jan Abberger - present

Chair Elect: Michelle Ruiz - present

Executive Board Member(s)/Officers: Michelle Ruiz

Staff: Benita Hyder

Minutes of the previous meeting were read and: approved

REPORTS FROM OFFICERS AND STAFF

Discussion about how to get more Members to attend Chapter Meetings. We talked about
combining the Aberdeen and Olympia Chapter Meetings for one time on Saturday, October 29,
2011. We would have a guest speaker and the subject would be "How to Handle Workplace
Stress."

REPORTS OF DELEGATES AND COMMITTEES

Benita talked about the contracts she's bargaining with good results. We talked about the
upcoming Membership Assembly in Arlington on Saturday, September 24.

REPORTS/ANNOUNCEMENTS FROM MEMBERS

Further discussed the combined Chapter Meeting on October 29. We could have a
challenge/contest between the Chapters as to which one can recruit the most Members to
attend. Jan is going to arrange providing the prize.

We talked about the upcoming training for Shop Stewards and Activists. We also discussed
getting involved with the community.

RECOMMENDATIONS FOR BOARD APPROVAL

None.

The meeting was adjourned at: _____

Minutes submitted by: Michelle Ruiz