Membership Assembly





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Saturday September 23, 2023

9:30 am Coffee/Sign-in 10:00 am to 4:00 pm Assembly (lunch provided) 4:00 pm to 7:00 pm Social Hour/Auction

Hilton Garden Inn Yakima Downtown

401 E Yakima Ave Yakima, WA 98901

Hotel Registration Information:

Hilton Garden Inn Yakima

401 E Yakima Ave Yakima, WA 98901 (509) 454-1111

Local 8 members may be eligible to be reimbursed for gas and/or a hotel room at the block rate of \$159 in accordance with our Member Expense and Time Loss Reimbursement Policy. The deadline to book at this rate is August 22 or until our blocks are full. Local 8 can only reimburse at the negotiated block rate which is significantly lower than the regular rate, so please make any needed reservations ASAP. Reserve a room at this link or by calling the hotel directly at 509-454-1111 and asking for the OPEIU Local 8 rate (\$159/night).

Register Here

Official Local 8 union business is conducted and decided by members at two Membership Assemblies held on the fourth Saturday of January and September each year. All members are welcome.

Agenda

- Nominations and election of two (2)
 Regional Executive Board Members from
 the North Region to complete a 3-year term
 until January 2025.
- Nominations and election of three (3)
 Alternate Regional Executive Board
 Members for the North Region to complete

- a 3-year term until January 2025.
- Nominations and election of seven (7)
 Alternate Regional Executive Board
 Members for the Central Region to
 complete a 3-year term until January 2025.
- Nominations and election of three (3)
 Alternate Regional Executive Board
 Members for the East Region to complete a
 3-year term until January 2025.
- Nominations and election of six (6)
 Alternate Regional Executive Board
 Members for the South/West Region to complete a 3-year term until January 2025.
- Nominations and election of one (1)
 Trustee to serve a three-year term until September 2026.
- Nominations and election of four (4)
 Election Board Members
- Nominations and election of six (6)
 Hardship Committee Members and three
 (3) Alternates.
- Nominations and elections of all vacant Central Labor Council delegate positions to complete a 2-year term until January 2024.
- Second reading and vote of modifications to the Local 8 Constitution and Bylaws to align our initiation fee and member-in-good standing practices.
- Approval of the Education Curriculum for 2024 Regional Meetings.
- Approval of the donation(s) to be collected at Local 8 events in 2024.

* Nominees attend the Assembly or declare in writing their willingness to accept the nomination. Written declaration must be presented before the close of nominations and must be in the form of a hard copy email or other written material that clearly identifies the nominee and includes a date. Text messages and emails from an electronic device without written hard copy provided will not be accepted. Self-nominations are allowed. Nominations do not need a second.

Executive Board Members shall be nominated and elected only by those members who reside in the same region.

A 50% rebate on your Initiation Fee will be given if you attend the Membership Assembly within one (1) year of your date of hire or the Shop Steward Incentive Program will apply for attending (initiation fee rebate not available to members paying a \$20 or waived Initiation fee).

To participate, please RSVP by Wednesday, September 20 to richard@opeiu8.org, or online

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