

Shenendehowa CSEA General Membership Meeting
September 20, 2017
HSW Auditorium
Clifton Park, NY

Attendance: Sherrie Peat, President, Barbara Jones, Executive VP, Bettina Morrissey, 1st VP, Jeff DeMarco, 2nd VP, Ann Louden, Treasurer, Sharon Tibbitts, Secretary, Deb Picerno, LRS, Erin Bazinet, EBF
The Pledge was led by Jeff DeMarco.

Meeting was called to order by Sherrie Peat, President at 5:36 pm.

Sherrie Peat introduced the Negotiating Team consisting of Bettina Morrissey, Debbie Picerno, Sharon Lanchak, Pomp Ferracane, Andy Casucci, Karen DiPalma, Steve Galick, Doug Jones. The Team met with the District for a total of 29 meetings.

Next, Sherrie introduced the Executive Board. Sherrie Peat, President, Barbara Jones, Executive VP, Bettina Morrissey, 1st VP, Jeff DeMarco, 2nd VP, Ann Louden, Treasurer and Sharon Tibbitts, Secretary. Sherrie then turned the meeting over to Deb Picerno, LRS.

Deb Picerno, LRS, thanked the Negotiating Team for all their hard work. Negotiations started in March 2016 and they got nowhere! On May 17, 2017 the Team filed for impasse. They had 2 meetings with Kevin Flannigan, Mediator and finally moved on.

Debbie handed out copies of the Tentative Contract Agreement and copies of the tentative pay scale. She proceeded to go through all sections that were affected. Debbie answered questions after each section. She advised that a vote on the contract would take place on October 3, 2017 and details would follow.

Erin Bazinet from EBF advised members that there is a new Vision benefit should the contract be ratified. Erin said it is a great benefit with no cost to members. Should they want to add their spouse/family, if applicable, it would be \$16.39/month. It would be effective 7/1//18.

Debbie Picerno then spoke directly with a few Transportation members to discuss some of the changes under the new contract. She advised them that if a section or wording was not mentioned then it was not changed.

Motion to adjourn Bettina Morrissey 1st, Ann Louden 2nd. Carried.

Meeting adjourned at 7:20 pm.

Respectfully Submitted,

Sharon Tibbitts
Secretary, CSEA Unit 8458