

FALL/
WINTER
2012
MEMBERSHIP
MEETINGS

October 20th

Fairbanks

Laborer 942 Hall

12:00—2:00 pm

November 17th

Soldotna

Aspen Hotel

12:00—2:00 pm

December 15th

Anchorage

Laborer 341 Hall

12:00-2:00pm



Public Employees Local 71

OCTOBER 1, 2012

Working Hard for Alaska

The weeks have flown by since my tenure began as the PE Local 71

Business Manager/ Secretary Treasurer on July 1st, 2012. The seamless transition between Business Managers was made possible by the overwhelming support of our brothers and sisters along with the dedication and

professional commitment from the staff and our new Executive Board members.

I am looking forward to initiating some improvements for PE Local 71 members in the coming months. My immediate focus will be to provide more timely communications with members, to increase the frequency of duty station visits by the Business Representatives and to create a benevolent fund for members and their families.



**Local 71 Business Manager
Dennis Moen**

To move the communications plan forward we have created a PE Local 71

Facebook page. This is YOUR story...how do YOU want to tell it? Please email photos and comments to tracy@local71.com.

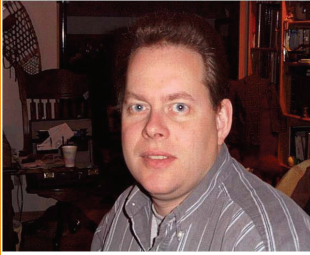
Another key component for our new communications plan hinges on gathering cell phone numbers from

members for texting pertinent reminders and updates. Texting has proven to be a fast and effective way to send crucial, time sensitive information. However, we will keep messaging to a minimum to avoid unnecessary texting charges.

Local 71 plays a vital role in our great state. There are so many ways our members enhance the lives of the communities they live in. I am proud of the work we do and the members who serve. I hope to see you all very soon.

~Dennis J. Moen

A Message from your President



Richard Tweet
Local 71 President

Greetings Brothers and Sisters,

I would like to take this opportunity to introduce your new Local 71 Executive Board. Linda McCray (ASD) is the Local Vice President, Todd Peplow (DMVA) - Recording Secretary, Dennis Moen (Local 71) - Business Manager/Secretary Treasurer, Executive Board Members at Large – Mary Suter (DOT), Cathy Lavender (Local 71) and Billy Meers (Local 71) and I, Richard Tweet, serve as the Local 71 President (DOT). Local 71 members are well represented by this Board by its

duty station diversity.

The written minutes of the Executive Board meetings are read to the membership at that months Membership meeting where the actions of the Executive Board (expenditures, motions, etc) are put before the Members for approval in the form of a motion.

Please take the opportunity to introduce yourself to your Executive Board at the next Membership meeting in your area.
-Richard Tweet, President

Serving the Central Region

2510 Arctic Blvd., Anchorage, Alaska 99503 Phone: 907.276.7210



William Meers
Business Representative
Executive Board at Large



Dale Johnson
Business Representative
District Council Delegate



Catherine Lavender
Business Representative
Executive Board at Large
District Council Delegate

Central Region Shop Stewards Are:

Todd Peplow
Desiree Wilson
Joseph Hansmeyer
Brian Newman
Mike Markiel
Alden Carhart
Steve Litton
Woody Coots
Ed Corbin

Linda McCray
Robert McDonald
Rex Sharp
Chuck Gielow
Richard Wilson
Craig Tallman
Sandra Potvin
George Yang
Joseph Laroux

Phillip Hunter
Glen Richard
Shaun Glenn
Jason West
Gary Hammond
Phillip Petrie
Daniel Painter
Matt Cruikshank
Chris Woods

"Through collective bargaining and grievance procedures, (our labor unions) have brought justice and democracy to the shop floor."

JOHN F. KENNEDY,
speech, Aug. 30, 1960

Serving the Northern Region

2122 Airport Road, Fairbanks, Alaska 99701 Phone: 907.452.5024



We are currently recruiting for a Northern Region Business Representative. This position will independently staff the Fairbanks based office with the support of Administrative Assistant, Bonnie Sullivan.

This position serves approximately 600 members spread from Prudhoe Bay to Northway, Cordova to the City of Eagle and the Seward Peninsula.

We are seeking candidates who possess a strong desire to enhance the lives of Local 71 members. Energetic self-starters with a strong service attitude can apply by submitting a resume and cover letter to:

Dennis Moen, Business Manager
Public Employees Local 71
2510 Arctic Blvd
Anchorage, AK 99503

Northern Region Shop Stewards Are:

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| Scott Miller | Dale Kneiszel |
| John Poirrier | Allan Mortenson |
| Amanda Bowen | Scott Babcock |
| Timothy Doval | Melvin Matthews |
| Denise Corell | Charles Coulman |
| Gary Powers | Brian Goss |
| Michael Dykema | David Talerico |
| Julian Norville | |

Serving the Southeast Region

722 West 9th, Juneau, Alaska 99801 Phone: 907.586.6993



Tom Brice
Business Representative

Southeast Shop Stewards Are:

- Donald Derego Sr
- Ronald Wyman
- Wade Washke
- William Bloom



Local 71 Health Trust News

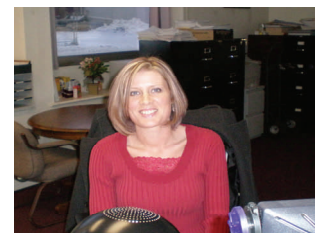
Upcoming Health Fairs

Anchorage: October 6th, 20th & 21st
Alaska Regional Hospital, 2801 DeBarr Rd

Soldotna: October 6th
Central Peninsula Hospital, 250 Hospital Place

Mat-Su Valley: October 13th
Mat-Su Regional Hospital,
2500 S. Woodworth Loop- Palmer

Juneau: September 22nd
Centennial Hall, 101 Egan Drive



Serenity Saggs
Trust Executive Assistant



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Proudly Serving Members from

- * State of Alaska * Anchorage School District *
- * Municipality of Anchorage * City of Haines



We Must ACT! We MUST Vote!

“We must really participate. We can’t just talk. We have got to act...And we must see improvement for masses of people, not for the little group on top.”

Eleanor Roosevelt, CIO Convention, 1954

Look for the PE Local 71 endorsement cards to identify the candidates that support you and your Union.