

BRANCH MEETING

BRANCH 343, ST. LOUIS, MISSOURI
MARCH 10, 2022

Summary of Branch Action

MSC To pay the branch bills.

AMENDMENT TO JANUARY MINUTES:

MSC That Branch 343 purchase a pair of Blues tickets for six games at a cost of no more than \$1,000 and that these tickets be given away as attendance prizes at the branch meetings.


New Members

Cortez Anthony.....	Clayton	2/11/2022
Dornell Bolin.....	Kirkwood.....	2/25/2022
Latoria Davis.....	Jennings	2/25/2022
Yomar DeJesus Atanacio ...	Affton	2/18/2022
Camdem Dunn.....	Olivette	2/11/2022
Niyarah Gilcrease.....	Oldham.....	2/18/2022
Henry Hanks	University City	2/25/2022
Karl Harbor	Veto Reid	2/11/2022
Charlotte Harper.....	Veto Reid	2/18/2022
Whitley Hawkins	West County.....	2/18/2022
Melissa Henniger	Des Peres	2/18/2022
Nina Johnson.....	Creve Coeur	2/5/2022
Shylanda Jones.....	University City	2/11/2022
Andrew Kelly.....	Southwest	2/5/2022
Alonna Liddell.....	Jennings	2/19/2022
Denisha Lockett	Coyle	2/11/2022
Dominique Marmon.....	Jennings	2/25/2022
Destiny McCoy.....	Kirkwood.....	2/18/2022
Leslie Miller	Coyle	2/5/2022
Jamaih Mitchell.....	Creve Coeur	2/5/2022
Khezri Mohammed.....	Clayton	2/25/2022
Roosevelt Railey	Veto Reid	2/5/2022
Roxanne Rattler.....	Jennings	2/11/2022
Andrew Rucker.....	Creve Coeur	2/5/2022
Christian Sanchez Perez....	Mackenzie Pointe...2/18/2022	
Darnell Smith Jr	Carrier Square.....	2/11/2022
Octavia Swapshire.....	Mackenzie Pointe...2/11/2022	
Ebony Whitter	Carrier Square.....	2/18/2022
Malik Yahya.....	Maplewood.....	2/18/2022



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**Here's to
Strong Women
May we know them
May we be them
May we raise them**

Happy International Women's Day

Recently Retired Member

Philip P. Treis..... Sappington

2/28/2022

Deceased Members

Gerard Giammanco

Retired

Vernon E. Goede

Retired Gold Card

Highlights

The meeting was called to order at 7:34 p.m. The invocation and pledge of allegiance were led by Chet Drain and the minutes were read and accepted.

NBAs Report, Dave Teegarden: Dave reported that after 16 years of perseverance by letter carriers, postal reform was finally passed with a vote of 79-19. This bill eliminates the Postal Service's obligation of pre-funding, ensures six-day delivery, and Medicare Part B integration. Dave remarked that this is what unions can do through solidarity.

Legislative Report, Mike Weir: Mike asked all members to go to NALC.org and thank their Senators for their support on the passage of the postal reform bill.

Retirees Report, Tom Schulte: Tom sent greetings from the retirees and reported that Ole Timers Day is tentatively being set for June.

Labor Council Report, Pam Stepney: Pam reported that the Labor Council has published recommended endorsements by ward and district.

MBA Report, Saronda Sutherland: No Report

Health Benefit Report, Barry Linan: Barry reminded HBP members that MRIs and CT scans need to have preauthorization before these procedures can be done.

Mound City Carrier Report, Tom Schulte: Tom reported that phone numbers of both Senators Hawley and Blunt will be printed in the April edition. Please call them and thank them for their support on postal reform.

Haake Scholarship Report, Pam Stepney: Pam reported that four winners will be announced in April.

Safety and Health Report, Richard Thurman: Richard reported that the actual postal vehicle approved by the Postal Service is not the vehicle that was originally tested.

OWCP Report, Barry Linan: Barry reported that despite what postal management says, employees filing COVID-19 claims are entitled to COP.

Trustees Report, Frank Enlow: The books were audited and found to be in good order.

Political Action Committee Report, Mike Weir: Mike read the names of contributors and urged members to give President Biden credit for his accomplishments in his first year of office.

Executive Vice President/Treasurer Report, Brian Litteken: Brian reported that Form LM-2, Labor Organization Annual Report has been filed with the Department of Labor.

Vice President/Financial Secretary Report, Marvin Booker: Read financial report for February. Marvin reported that if National decides to do an in-person food drive, veteran carriers will be asked to help new carriers who have never participated in a food drive event.

President's Comments, John McLaughlin: President McLaughlin reported that NALC is helping to unionize Amazon drivers in Atlanta, and that while Amazon packages only account for 5% of our mail volume, these packages account for 40% of our revenue.

Respectfully Submitted,
Tina M. Hunt, Recording Secretary