



March 23, 2018

To: All Local Union Presidents, Recording Secretaries and
Financial Secretaries – Region 4, UAW

Re: International UAW Community Services Conference – June 24-29, 2018

Greetings:

The International Education Department will hold its 2018 UAW Community Services Conference at the UAW Walter and May Reuther Family Education Center beginning Monday, June 24th through Friday, June 29, 2018. Delegates will learn how to assist with plant closing, strikes and layoffs. Delegates will also participate in a Globalization 101 workshop and take part in a community service project.

Eligibility to Attend: This conference is open to UAW members in good standing who are interested in learning more about community services, along with strike and plant closing assistance, as well as Local Union Community Service Committee members.

Registration/Lodging: Delegates must complete the enclosed conference registration form and return it to their Regional Office, along with a check or money order of \$515, **payable to International Union, UAW**. This registration fee covers the cost of lodging, meals and materials and is non-refundable. All housing is based on double occupancy. Andrea should receive all Conference registration forms at the Regional Office by Monday, May 28, 2018. Registration forms without payment cannot be processed after this date.

Transportation: Locals Unions are responsible for delegate transportation costs. All delegates are expected to arrive at the Center by noon on Sunday, June 24th and remain until the conference concludes at 9:00 a.m. on Friday, June 29th, so arrivals and departures should be arranged accordingly.

- For those driving, the UAW Walter and May Reuther Family Education Center is located at 2800 Maxon Road, Onaway, MI 49765.
- For those traveling by air, Pellston Regional Airport is the most convenient airport, located about one hour from the Education Center. Please use the following link to make air reservations: <http://www.cvent.com/d/1tqx2p>. Transportation from the airport to the UAW Walter and May Reuther Family Education Center must be arranged with the Community Services Department as soon as possible by calling (989) 733-8521.

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Special Delegates and Scholarships: The International Union will provide housing and meals at the conference for five delegates from each Region whose local unions are selected by the Regional Director to receive additional financial support. Special delegates are still required to pay a \$43 registration fee.

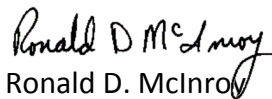
Cancellation and Refunds: Registration fees are non-refundable. Local Unions should select alternates to replace delegates who cancel. This conference is an investment in the future of your local union.

Miscellaneous Information for Delegates:

- We are planning an exciting, interactive conference. Delegates should plan on being outside of their comfort zone.
- Delegates should bring a complete detailed report on any and all local Community Services projects implemented in the last year.
- The first meal of the conference will be dinner on Sunday, June 24th and the last meal of the conference will be breakfast on Friday, June 29th.

I encourage each of you to participate in this excellent training program.

In solidarity,



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