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**INTERNATIONAL UNION, UNITED AUTOMOBILE, AEROSPACE AND AGRICULTURAL IMPLEMENT WORKERS OF AMERICA-UAW**

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**RAYMOND CURRY, PRESIDENT****FRANK STUGLIN, SECRETARY-TREASURER****VICE-PRESIDENTS: CHUCK BROWNING • TERRY DITTES • CINDY ESTRADA**

February 1, 2022

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

Greetings:

Region 4 UAW will hold a Political Activist Training Conference on April 11-14, 2022, at the UAW Pat Greathouse Education Center, 1000 East Center Street, Ottawa, IL 61350. As it relates to COVID-19, we will continue to adhere to the guidance provided by the CDC, state, and local officials.

This conference will include workshops to recruit and energize activists to help build our union for the future. On-site registration will be on Monday, April 11<sup>th</sup> from 8:30 a.m. to 9:45 a.m., with the conference beginning at 10:00 a.m. The conference will conclude by noon on Thursday, April 14<sup>th</sup>. Sunday, April 10<sup>th</sup> will be allowed as a travel day for locals with long-distance commutes.

Attendees should be any member or local leader who has an interest in beginning or increasing their union involvement. As with all of our training opportunities, we welcome first time attendees to jump start their union involvement.

**Registration:** The cost is \$195 per delegate (which includes the cost of meals and materials). Please send the non-refundable fee and the enclosed registration form to the following:

**Region 4 UAW Pat Greathouse Center  
900 E. Center Street  
Ottawa, IL 61350  
Attn: P.A.T.**

Registration forms and fees must be received by the Regional Office no later than Friday, March 25, 2022.

On-site registration will take place in the Education Center which is the building located across the parking lot from the hotel.

**Meals:** The first provided meal will be lunch on Monday and the last will be breakfast on Thursday.

**Note to Financial Secretaries:** Checks should be made payable to "UAW Region 4 Activity Fund" and the notation part of the check should mention "P.A.T."

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**Financial Assistance:** Scholarships are being offered by the UAW Region 4 Retired Workers, which will provide up to \$750 for each member attending. This covers registration, lodging, and the remainder will help offset mileage or lost time. To be considered for financial assistance, locals must make a written request to me and attach their last three (3) monthly financial statements.

You will be notified by my office if you are chosen for this program. Lost time will be the responsibility of the Local Union.

**Lodging:** Rooms at the Pat Greathouse Center are available at \$70.00 per room, per night. Each room has two (2) beds; we urge members to double-up, when feasible, to ensure that as many delegates possible can stay on the property. Please contact Tamara at 815-433-2500 to make room reservations for the Center.

**If you get the office voicemail, please leave a message with your request and your email address for confirmation and/or follow-up.**

You will be emailed a confirmation number once your reservation has been received. When making reservations, please indicate if the delegate(s) has special room requirements (PGC management will not change rooms during the check-in process).

**PGC Hotel check-in will begin on Sunday, April 10, 2022, at 3:00 p.m. and will resume on Monday, April 11<sup>th</sup> at 8:00 a.m. Please do not arrive before 3:00 p.m. on Sunday, as we will not have any staff on the property until 3:00 p.m. Check-out will be by 12:00 p.m. on Thursday, April 14, 2022.**

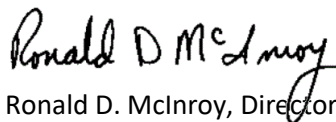
It is imperative to fill the hotel rooms at the PGC, before seeking area lodging. However, in the event rooms at the PGC become sold out, we also have negotiated rates at the Comfort Inn (815-433-0029), Fairfield Inn (815-431-8955), the Hampton Inn (815-434-6040) and the Super 8 Motel (815-434-2888). Ask for the UAW rate – All rates are subject to availability.

**Please Note:** A copy of this call letter has been posted on the UAW Region 4 website.

You may visit <http://region4.uaw.org> if extra copies of this call letter and registration form needs to be downloaded.

Additional questions should be directed to Bradley Schwanda, our Region 4 Education Representative, at 847-459-3888.

Fraternally,



Ronald D. McInroy, Director  
Region 4, UAW

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Enclosure

cc: Brad Dutcher  
All Region 4 Staff  
PGC Staff

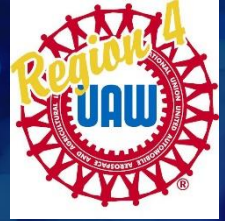
**ATTENTION FINANCIAL SECRETARIES**

The LM2 for this conference is:

Representation	<u>90</u>
Administrative	<u>          </u>
Political	<u>10</u>



# WORKSHOP REGISTRATION FORM



## Political Activist Training

April 11-14, 2022

Pat Greathouse Education Center – Ottawa, IL

Local Union Number \_\_\_\_\_

Delegate Names	PGC Confirmation # (if applicable)	Local or Member Email Address

(If more room is needed, please make more copies.)

Name

*Name of the Person Submitting this Form (print)*

Signature

*Signature of the Person Submitting this Form*

Registration Total Enclosed* \$195 Per Delegate	\$	Check #	
PGC Lodging Total Enclosed* (If applicable) \$70 Per Room, Per Night	\$	Check # (if different from above)	

Make your check payable to "Region 4 UAW Activity Fund" and mail to:

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Ottawa, IL 61350  
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**\*All delegates must be registered, with the fees being received, no later than March 25, 2022. Remember, registration/lodging fees are non-refundable. Alternates should be chosen to fill in for last-minute cancellations.**