

REGION 4



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January 25, 2022

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

Greetings:

Region 4 UAW will hold a Standing Committees Conference on April 5-8, 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 on various standing committees that will teach you strategies on how to grow your committee and/or become more effective. On-site registration will be held on Tuesday, April 5, 2022, from 11:00 a.m. – 12:45 p.m. The conference will begin thereafter at 1:00 p.m. and will conclude by noon on Friday, April 8th. April 4th will be allowed for a travel day for locals with a long-distance commute.

Attendees should include, but not be limited to, members and leadership involved in a standing committee(s) within their local. Locals should also consider sending new members or new leadership who wish to get involved with a committee.

Registration: The cost is \$180 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: Standing Committees

Registration forms and fees must be received by the Regional Office no later than Friday, March 18, 2022

Meals: The first provided meal will be dinner on Tuesday and the last will be breakfast on Friday.

Note to Financial Secretaries: Checks should be made payable to “UAW Region 4 Activity Fund” and the notation part of the check should mention “Standing Committees.”

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.

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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 Monday, April 4th at 3:00 p.m. Check-out will be by 8:00 a.m. on Friday, April 8, 2022.

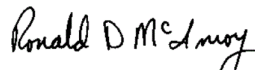
It is imperative to fill the hotel rooms at the PGC, before seeking area lodging. However, in the event rooms at the PGC become sold out, we also have negotiated rates at the Comfort Inn (815-433-0029), Fairfield Inn (815-431-8955), the Hampton Inn (815-434-6040) and the Super 8 Motel (815-434-2888).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

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Enclosure

cc: Brad Dutcher
All Region 4 Staff
PGC Staff

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The LM2 for this conference is:	
Representation	<u>90</u>
Administrative	<u> </u>
Political	<u>10</u>

