

REGION 4



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UAW Sub-Region 4
Moline, IL

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

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July 8, 2024

**To: ALL LOCAL UNION PRESIDENTS, FINANCIAL SECRETARIES AND RECORDING SECRETARIES,
REGION 4 UAW**

RE: UAW REGION 4 WOMEN'S FALL CONFERENCE: SEPTEMBER 25-28, 2024

DETAILS FOR THE ABOVE REFERENCED EVENT ARE AS FOLLOWS:

- Conference & PGC Hotel Registration: Now through September 6th.
- Travel Day: Tuesday, September 24th, (PGC Hotel guests should arrive no earlier than 3 pm).
- Event Check-in: Tuesday, September 24th, from 3 pm - 4:30 pm.
- Event Opens: 9:00am Wednesday, September 25th.
- Event Adjourns: Saturday, September 28th, at 10am (PGC Hotel guest should checkout by 8am).
- Travel Day: Saturday, September 28th.

CONFERENCE REGISTRATION:

- REGISTRATION WEBSITE - <https://conference.uaw.org/region4/wfc.php>
- Username: 2024region4/Password: registerWFC
 - Enter your PGC lodging confirmation number (if applicable).
- **If staying at the PGC**, complete hotel reservation step *before* the conference registration.

HOTEL RESERVATIONS:

- PGC hotel rooms will be available on a first come first serve basis for \$70 nightly.
- Reserve rooms by contacting Stephanie at sfuhr@uaw.net or call (309) 764-3584. If you get the office voicemail, leave a message with the room request and email address for confirmation and/or follow-up. When making reservations, indicate if the delegate(s) has special room requirements. A confirmation number will be emailed to you once the reservation has been received.
- Each room has two beds. We encourage double occupancy whenever possible.
- PGC Hotel check-in begins: Tuesday, September 24th, at 3 pm. Check-out: 8 am Saturday, September 28th.

REGISTRATION FEE: \$300 per delegate (which includes the cost of meals and materials). Please send non-refundable fees by September 6, 2024, to the following address:

**UAW Sub-Region 4 Office
1530 46th Avenue, Suite 4
Moline, IL 61265
Attn: Women's Fall Conference**

Make checks payable to "**UAW REGION 4 ACTIVITY FUND**". Notate *Women's Fall Conference* on the memo line.

MEALS: The first provided meal will be breakfast on Wednesday and the last will be breakfast on Saturday.

Please ensure the PGC Hotel is full before seeking area lodging. When PGC Hotel Rooms are sold out, reduced rates have been arranged at the following Ottawa hotels:

- Fairfield Inn – 815-431-8955
- Hampton Inn – 815-434-6040
- Quality Inn – 815-433-9600
- We STRONGLY encourage avoiding the Holiday Inn as it was built by non-union labor.

FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE: Scholarships are being offered by the UAW Region 4 Retired Workers, which will provide up to \$1,000 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.

PLEASE NOTE: This call letter has been posted on the UAW Region 4 website: <http://region4.uaw.org>.

Additional questions should be directed to Kelli Harrison, our Region 4 Women’s Coordinator, at (309) 764-3584 or kharrison@uaw.net.

** Each member should bring a yoga mat for one of our evening activities*

**There will be a live auction for the Region 4 Women’s Council and a silent auction for the area councils/local committees. Each area council or local should bring an item for both auctions. All items must be made in the USA, and if possible, union made. Please have all items to the hall by 5:30pm on Friday, September 27th.*

**As is customary, there will be a food drive held during the conference. Each member should bring non-perishable food items to be donated to the Ottawa Food Pantry.*

In Solidarity,



Brandon W. Campbell, Director
Region 4 UAW

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Enclosures
cc: Lucas DeSpain
Kelli Harrison

ATTENTION FINANCIAL SECRETARIES

The LM2 for this conference is:

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

UAW Region 4 Women's Council Election Notice

Friday, September 27, 2024

In following the Region 4 UAW Bylaws of the UAW Region 4 Women's Council, Article V, Sec. 1-9, we will be holding an election for all positions (*Chairperson, First Vice-Chairperson, Second Vice-Chairperson, Recording Secretary, Financial Secretary, Three (3) Trustees, Sergeant-At-Arms, Guide*) at the Region 4 Women's Conference held September 25 - 28, 2024.

Region 4 delegates interested in running for this position will need a letter of approval from their local union, indicating the position the member is running for, and must be in good standing.

The election will be conducted per the provisions of the International Union, UAW Constitution and UAW Region 4 Women's Council Bylaws.

The term of office shall be for three (3) years.

Voting shall be by secret ballot and winners will be determined by a plurality vote of the delegates present. Only those serving as official paid delegates to the conference are eligible to vote.