

## INTERNATIONAL UNION, UNITED AUTOMOBILE, AEROSPACE AND AGRICULTURAL IMPLEMENT WORKERS OF AMERICA-UAW SHAWN FAIN, PRESIDENT MARGARET MOCK, SECRETARY-TREASURER

VICE-PRESIDENTS: MIKE BOOTH • RICH BOYER • CHUCK BROWNING

June 6, 2025

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

RE: UAW REGION 4 WOMEN'S FALL CONFERENCE: SEPTEMBER 3-6, 2025

#### **DETAILS FOR THE ABOVE REFERENCED EVENT ARE AS FOLLOWS:**

- Conference & PGC Hotel Registration: Now through August 20th
- Travel Day: Wednesday, September 3<sup>rd</sup> (PGC Hotel guests should arrive no earlier than 3 p.m.)
- Meeting for Executive Board Members only on Wednesday, September 3<sup>rd</sup> at 1 p.m.
- Event Check-in: Wednesday, September 3<sup>rd</sup> from 4 p.m. 5 p.m.
- Event Opens: 5:00 p.m., Wednesday, September 3<sup>rd</sup>
- Event Adjourns: Saturday, September 6<sup>th</sup> at 12 p.m. (PGC Hotel guests should check out by 8 a.m.)
- Travel Day: Saturday, September 6<sup>th</sup>

#### **CONFERENCE REGISTRATION:**

- REGISTRATION WEBSITE https://conference.uaw.org/region4/wfc.php
- Username: 2025region4 / Password: registerWFC
  - o 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 <u>sfuhr@uaw.net</u> 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: Wednesday, September 3<sup>rd</sup> at 3 p.m. Check-out: 8 a.m. Saturday, September 6th.

**REGISTRATION FEE**: \$260 per delegate (which includes the cost of meals and materials). The fee also includes registration in the Breast Cancer Awareness Poker Walk and t-shirt. Please send non-refundable fees by August 20<sup>th</sup>, 2025, to the following address:

UAW Sub-Region 4 Office 1530 46<sup>th</sup> Avenue, Suite 4 Moline, IL 61265

**Attn: Women's Fall Conference** 

Make checks payable to "<u>UAW REGION 4 ACTIVITY FUND</u>". Note *Women's Fall Conference* on the memo line.

MEALS: The first provided meal will be breakfast on Thursday 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 <u>STRONGLY</u> encourage avoiding the Holiday Inn as it was built by non-union labor.

<u>FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE:</u> 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: <a href="http://region4.uaw.org">http://region4.uaw.org</a>.

Additional questions should be directed to Kelli Harrison, our Region 4 Women's Coordinator, at (309) 764-3584 or <a href="mailto:kharrison@uaw.net">kharrison@uaw.net</a>.

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- \* Each member should bring supply donations to contribute to the Illinois Valley PADS, a shelter providing services to men, women, and children experiencing homelessness in the Ottawa area. Frequent supply needs include bottled water, sack lunch snack items, paper products, and cleaning products.
- \* There will be a live auction for the Region 4 Women's Council to raise funds for the Polly Byrne Scholarship Fund. A silent auction will also be held for the area councils/local committees. Each area council or local should bring an item for both auctions. Items in value of \$50+ are appreciated for the live auction. All items must be made in the USA, and if possible, union made. Funds raised through the silent auction will be sent back to local unions by ACH payment following the conference.

\*The Women's Council would like to host a t-shirt swap on Wednesday, September 3<sup>rd</sup>, at the opening of the Conference. Anyone interested should bring a UAW, Union, or Local Union t-shirt they would like to contribute to the swap.

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In Solidarity,

Brandon W. Campbell, Director

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Region 4 UAW

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cc: Lucas DeSpain Kelli Harrison

ATTENTION FINANCIAL SECRETARIES

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# REGISTRATION FORM WOMEN'S FALL CONFERENCE

September 3 - 6th, 2025

### Pat Greathouse Education Center - Ottawa, IL



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

Delegate Names	PGC Confirmation # (if applicable)	Member Email Address	T-Shirt Size

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

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

Registration Total Enclosed* \$260 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:

UAW Region 4 Sub-Regional Office

1530 46<sup>th</sup> Ave., Suite 4 Moline, IL 61265

Attn: Women's Fall Conference

\*All delegates must be registered, with the fees being received, no later than August 20, 2025. Remember, registration/lodging fees are non-refundable.

