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**UAW Region 4
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August 4, 2026

TO: ALL LOCAL UNION PRESIDENTS, RECORDING SECRETARIES, FINANCIAL SECRETARIES, BARGAINING COMMITTEE CHAIRS, CAP CHAIRS AND AREA CAP CHAIRS – REGION 4 UAW

RE: FALL REGIONAL CONFERENCE – SATURDAY, OCTOBER 3, 2026, 1000 E. CENTER ST., OTTAWA, IL

DETAILS FOR THE ABOVE REFERENCED CONFERENCE ARE AS FOLLOWS:

- 7-10:00 a.m. – Coffee/tea and donuts at the clubhouse.
- 10:00 a.m. - Conference will begin promptly.

CONFERENCE & PGC HOTEL RESERVATIONS:

- Hotel rooms will be available on a first come first serve basis for \$70 nightly.
- For reservations contacting Yolanda at yespinosa@uaw.net or call 847-459-3888.
- Each room has two beds. We encourage double occupancy whenever possible.
- Room payment – check payable to “**UAW REGION 4 ACTIVITY FUND.**” Include a copy of your room confirmation with your payment and mail to: **UAW Region 4, 900 E Center St., Ottawa, IL 61350.**
- Check-in will be Friday, October 2nd from 11:00 a.m. until 7:00 p.m. If a delegate is unable to check-in during the above-mentioned hours, contact Regional Coordinator, Brad Schwanda at bschwanda@uaw.net, to make special arrangements for room key pick-up.
- Conference registration is not required.

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.

MEALS - LUNCH

- We will be selling Regional Conference **meal tickets for \$15.00 each** to help defray expenses.
- Tickets will be available from your International Representative.
- Meal ticket payments should be made payable to: “**UAW REGION 4 ACTIVITY FUND**” and mailed to: UAW Region 4, 900 E. Center St., Ottawa, IL 61350.

Even if a local is not attending the conference, purchasing tickets is encouraged. Failure to purchase a ticket for the conference will not prevent a member from attending. If income from the event exceeds expenses the surplus will be deposited in the Region 4 Activities Fund and be used at the discretion of the Regional Director. Contributions or gifts to the UAW are not deductible as charitable contributions for Federal Income Tax purposes.

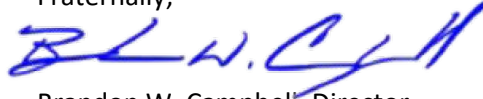
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On Friday, October 2nd, at 7:00 p.m. we will have a solidarity event for all delegates who come in the evening before the conference.

For your convenience a copy of this call letter is available on the Region 4 website:
<https://region4.uaw.org/regional-call-letters>.

We look forward to seeing you at the conference.

Fraternally,



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cc: Lucas DeSpain, Asst. Director
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Region 4 Retired Staff