

AFGE Local 2578

Minutes: The members of AFGE Local 2578 met at 12:05 p.m., Tuesday, April 24, 2012. The monthly meeting was held in room 5220, at Archives II, with audio-conference connections to the NARA facilities at Archives I, Chicago, Lee's Summit, Suitland, and Bush 43 Library. A quorum of members was present.

Roll Call of Officers: Officers present Vice President Ted Hull, Secretary Sharmila Bhatia, and Treasurer Nancy Fortna.

Meeting Minutes: Bhatia read the March monthly meeting minutes of AFGE Local 2578. The minutes were approved.

Treasurer's Report: Bhatia gave the treasurer's report (see attached report) reporting balances and expenses for March. Membership stands at 324. The report was approved.

REPORTS:

Health and Safety Committee: Anne Witty (Archives II) reported that posters have been delivered for Safety and Health Week, May 8-11. A NARA Notice has been issued and a blog entry will be posted on the Declarations Blog. Witty also reported that the charter for the National Committee is almost complete.

Legislative Committee: No report.

Organizing Committee: No report.

Representational Activities: Martin Tuohy (Chicago) reported on issues with performance ratings.

Communication Committee: The deadline for the newsletter has been extended to June.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS:

Hull stated that members should have received ballots for the upcoming election. Members should contact Hull if they have not received a ballot.

Sharon Culley reported that the Benevolence Fund Committee has developed a form.

NEW BUSINESS:

Myron Fleming (Archives II) reported on his experience with participating on the video for the Employee Viewpoint Survey.

Comments for the Good of the Local: None.

The meeting was adjourned at 12:32 PM. The next regularly scheduled meeting of AFGE Local 2578 will be on Tuesday, May 29, 2012.

Respectfully submitted May 21, 2012:

SHARMILA BHATIA

Secretary

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Amended May 29, 2012

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