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CWA Local 4340

Mobilization 2008

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Here we are, October is in full swing. The weather is getting cooler, the days are a bit shorter and we draw nearer to the elections, local and national. Through it all, we must applaud the stability and dedication of our Local officers, Directors, Committees and staff in getting the word out and making sure the resources are available for you as members to be successful. THANK YOU!!

We are also up to 18 issues of the “CWA History – A Brief Review” and quickly approaching the beginning of the mobilization efforts geared toward a successful contract with AT&T in April. Here is a bit on CWA Organizing and its importance to us all:

1965: The Triple Threat Program – Organizing Growth Resolution #1
In 1965, convention delegates, at President Beirne’s urging, adopted CWA Growth Resolution #1, which endorsed the Triple Threat program and clearly stated that organizing was a top priority of the union. It was Beirne’s program for broadening the membership base and expanding CWA’s influence in the areas of politics and legislation as well as collective bargaining. For Beirne believed – and it has remained CWA’s philosophy – that all these activities are mutually dependent and equally vital to CWA’s overall success in representing its members.

Only a few weeks left to get as many family and friends (and anyone you may talk to) on board for the Presidential election. We have Legislative walks scheduled each Saturday and other mobilization efforts ready to implement in an effort to make sure we are well represented after this election.

It is no good to wait and see. We must act, all of us. Get out there and spread the word. Let us help each other and together we can send a message to the government who is supposed to represent and support us. We can show the entire country that it can work...

Have a great day,
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