



UFCW LOCAL 1000 NEWSLETTER



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PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Over the past few months UFCW Local 1000 has been very busy preparing for 2013. This year holds another busy schedule; in the coming months we will begin training for our Homeland

Stewards on ESOP Education through a series of meetings as well as a shop steward training seminar. Over a year ago the Homeland members voted to become "owners" of their Company and with that comes a big responsibility. Further out we will be preparing for Kroger Negotiations which will take place at the end of this year with over 90+ stores in the DFW area. Proposal meetings will be held around September or October 2013. We have also updated our webpage; check out the "Join Our Union" tab. If you would like to make a statement or just write a few comments on how your Union has helped you please contact your Business Agent.

Until Next Time,

Ricky Burris

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**See page 2 for Delegate
Nominations to the UFCW
International's Convention**



President Burris and Homeland CEO Darryl Fitzgerald handing over the keys of a new car to Local 1000 member Lynn Redd. Also pictured are Homeland District Manager Marty Kaufman and UFCW Local 1000 Secretary-Treasurer Casey Williams.



Homeland Employee Raffle winner and Local 1000 member Lynn Redd stepping into his new car.

Please Update any Address Changes at www.ufcw1000.org or by calling the office at 817-421-1003.



NOMINATION TO DELEGATES

In accordance with International Constitution Article's 14(B), you are hereby notified that the International Convention will be held in Chicago, IL beginning Monday, August 12, 2013 at 9:30am and concluding on Friday August 16, 2013.

Below please find the date, time and place in which Local 1000 will hold nomination meetings for Delegates and Alternates to the Convention. Based on Local 1000's average archive membership the number of delegates apportioned is 13.

In accordance with Article 15 you are notified that Local 1000 is going to be recommending we send two (2), President Burris and Secretary/Treasurer Williams rather than the allotted 13 due to economic impact on other local Programs.

April 22nd, 2013 11:00am & 7:00pm

Sheraton Grand Hotel
4440 W. John Carpenter Frwy.
(HWY 114 & Esters Rd.)
Irving, TX 75063
(972) 929-8400

April 23rd, 2013 11:00am & 7:00pm

Embassy Suites Hotel
1815 S. Meridian
Oklahoma City, OK 73108
(405) 682-6000

Sherman Inn
1831 Texoma Pkwy
Sherman, TX 75090
(903) 892-0433

Holiday Inn Express
900 W. Access Rd.
Longview, TX 75602
Exit #596 ~ Eastman
(903) 247-3000

Holiday Inn Express
1800 W. Henderson St.
Cleburne, TX 76031
(817) 641-5300

April 24th, 2013 11:00am & 7:00pm

Comfort Inn & Suites
410 Railway Expressway St.
Ardmore, OK 73401
(580) 490-9996

Clarion Inn
101 Meadow Ridge
Elk City, OK 73644
(580) 225-6637

Holiday Inn Express
4702 W Owen K Garriott Rd.
Enid, OK 73703
(580) 237-7722

Comfort Suites
201 SE Interstate Dr.
Lawton, OK 73501
(580) 248-2200

Tulsa Square Hotel
3209 S. 79th E. Avenue
Tulsa, OK 74146
(918) 663-1000

MOVING?

Don't forget to let
your Local know!
and address!



Contact your
Business Agent or
update your address
on our website at
www.ufcw1000.org

GETTING MARRIED?

Don't forget to let us
know your new name!



2013 Quarterly Membership Meeting Schedule

Dallas-Fort Worth Area

Sheraton Grand	Monday April 22, 2013 at 7pm
4440 W. John Carpenter Fwy.	Monday July 22, 2013 at 7pm
Irving, TX 75063	Monday October 21, 2013 at 7pm
972-929-8400	

Oklahoma City, OK Area

Embassy Suites	Tuesday April 23, 2013 at 7pm
1815 S. Meridian	Tuesday July 23, 2013 at 7pm
Oklahoma City, OK 73108	Tuesday October 22, 2013 at 7pm
405-682-6000	

Tulsa, OK Area

Tulsa Square Hotel	Wednesday April 24, 2013 at 7pm
3209 S. 79th E. Ave.	Wednesday July 24, 2013 at 7pm
Tulsa, OK 74146	Wednesday October 23, 2013 at 7pm
918-663-1000	

UFCW Local 1000 Executive Board Officers

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CIGNA 24/7 Nurse Line 1-800-768-4695
CIGNA website: www.mycareallies.com (Password: MED1000)

Dental 1-877-816-3596

Homeland & United Meat Cutters Pension 1-800-531-2385
Homeland & United Meat Cutters Pension Fax 1-312-649-1245

Kroger Health & Welfare 1-800-842-5899

Oklahoma Health & Welfare Care - 1000 1-877-550-8055
Oklahoma Health & Welfare Care - 1000 www.care1000.healthplan.com/

Kroger & Homeland Clerks South Central Pension: 1-800-241-7701

Optical 1-800-638-3120

Texas Office of Injured Employee Counsel 1-866-393-6432

United Pension 1-800-753-8339

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A MESSAGE FROM SECRETARY TREASURER CASEY WILLIAMS

Brothers and sisters of Local 1000 it has truly been a blessing working with the membership and staff of this fine Local Union. This past quarter has been quit a busy one. President Burris and I have had several meetings with Homeland trying to grow our membership. As part of my duties President Burris requested that I oversee the local organizing department. We have two full time organizers on staff, Anthony Elmo, who is located in our Oklahoma area, and Abe Wangnoo, who is over our Texas area. We currently have several programs we are engaged in, but never too busy to start another, so if you have a family member who is struggling at their place of employment, you can always refer them to our organizing department. The Texas branch just filed for an RC election in Weatherford; it's a food warehouse employing about fifty people. Our Local is doing great financially and is growing. Hopefully by the next quarterly newsletter we will be able to report an organizing victory.

Casey Williams

Secretary-Treasurer



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