

**Carpenters Local 1503  
Executive Committee Meeting  
September 26, 2017**

Called to order @ 6:04pm by President Dale Dvorak

**Roll Call of Officers:**

All present except Trustee Bill Lewis (excused), Trustee Amber McCoy (absent)

**Communications:**

Sunrise Dental mailer reviewed

**Reports:**

Frank Kimmel (Political Committee)- Saturday the 7<sup>th</sup> is the next Political Committee meeting. Spoke on the Longview school bond. November should start interviewing candidates. Vancouver Mayor race may end up a one candidate race. Carpenters Day of Action is coming up October 14<sup>th</sup>  
Joe Figueroa (Picnic Committee)- Picnic was great. Took in \$4500 at the door. May need to get a "Square" reader for use of cards.

Dale Dvorak (Privilege of the Chair)- reported on the picnic

Michael Brassell (Communications Committee)- The software and plug ins for the website are old. Needs to be rebuilt

Joe Figueroa (Finance Committee)- Spoke on the \$2500 donation to Jobs with Justice dinner on September 30<sup>th</sup>.

Krista Farmer (Financial Secretary)- Reported on the recent audit, and the upcoming International Foundation Employee Benefits Conference. Amanda is going to grad school so will be leaving soon.

**Good of the Order:**

1. Frank Kimmel (special privilege) Spoke on the recent CNN Healthcare debate and nationalized health care
2. Spoke on the Freedom Foundation fundraiser
3. Spoke on AntiFa and the recent resolution passed at the Local regarding opposing Hate Groups. AntiFa is a community defense organization that does good work standing up for many of our community friends.
4. Spoke on advertising for the Union
5. Spoke on endorsing a political party that supports the Unions and the working class, and nationalized health care
6. Received a membership/ apprenticeship report

**Unfinished Business:**

7. None

**New Business:**

8. M/S/C Motion to approve the Sunrise Dental mailer
9. M/S/C Motion to upgrade the Local 1503 website at a cost of up to \$3,000

Meeting adjourned at 7:03pm seeing no further business before the body

Respectfully submitted by,

Ben Basom

Recording Secretary - Local 1503