

## AFSCME LOCAL 517

General Membership Meeting Minutes  
February 18, 2025 - 12:00-1:00pm  
Virtual: WebEx - See instructions below



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### Agenda

- Call to Order:
- Treasurer's Report
  - Prior Month(s) review and approval
  - Delayed to next month
- Secretary's Report
  - Prior Month(s) review and approval
  - Shannon Feeney motion to approve, Madeline Nyvold second
- President's Report
- Business Rep's Report
- Old Business
  - Contract Negotiations Updates
    - The county requested their offer proposal be brought to the membership. The offer was a three-year contract with varying cost-of-living adjustments.
    - Positive changes included increased bilingual pay and additional PTO days for newer employees.
    - Concerns arose over rising healthcare costs and insufficient mental health support in the proposal.
    - Discussed healthcare costs and coverage details, revealing high deductibles and out-of-pocket maximums.
    - Emphasized the importance of member participation in decision-making regarding contract acceptance or rejection.
- New Business
  - Executive Board Nominations
    - Nominations uncontested. There will be three open executive board positions: Vice President, and 2 Executive Board At-Large
- Good & Welfare
  - Gift Card Drawing: Carsten Knoche
- Adjourn

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**Executive Board:**

President: Ben Henry

Vice President: Vacant

Treasurer: Shannan Hendricks

Chief Stewards: Carrie Genereux (non-exempt) and Vacant (exempt)

Recording Secretary: Kaitlyn McCarthy

New Member Secretary: Heather Vandenheuvel

Communication Liaison: Alexea Cheatem

Executive Board Members At-Large: Shannon Feeney, Alex Calero

Trustees: Carissta Arndt, Robbin Rosen

AFSCME Business Representative: Paul Schwarz

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