

International Longshore and Warehouse Union

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FIDELITY INVESTMENTS FINANCIAL CONSULTATIONS

As a service to Local 13 members, the individuals who manage the money for the Local will make themselves available for free consultations on investments and finances.* Fidelity Investments will be at ILWU Memorial Hall, 231 W. "C" Street, Wilmington on **Wednesday, September 5, 2007 and Thursday, September 6, 2007 from 9:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.** To schedule an appointment, call Joe Matthew at (800) 779-8750 ext. 53406 (leave a message if no answer along with your name, address and phone number). What to bring to an appointment? Most recent 401(k) statement along with any other financial information you want taken into consideration.

Scheduled appointment will be honored first. Those without an appointment will be accommodated on a first come, first serve basis. There is no cost for these consultations.

**The opinions expressed and the investment advice discussed by the advisors are deemed to be independent and of no affiliation with the ILWU and Local #13. Their opinions are not to be construed as the opinion of the Union.*

NOMINATIONS OPEN FOR 2007 FALL ELECTION

Nominations will open at the Regular Membership Meeting on Thursday, August 2, 2007, for the following offices and committees:

Secretary/Treasurer (1), Labor Relations Representative (1), Health Benefits Representative (1), Trustee (1), Day Dispatchers (5), Day Business Agent (1), Night Business Agent (1), Night Dispatcher (1), Flex Dispatcher (1), Sgt-At-Arms (1), and District Council (10), Political Action Committee (6), and Caucus Delegates (10). Nomination papers will be available at the dues office on Friday, August 3, 2007.

The deadline for the submission of nominees is Saturday, September 8, 2007 at 10:00 a.m. Nomination papers must be turned in at ILWU Local 13, 320 Golden Shore Drive, Suite 320, Long Beach, CA 90802

Elections will be held on Tuesday, September 11th, Wednesday, September 12th and Thursday, September 13th. Run-off elections will be held on Tuesday, September 25th, Wednesday, September 26th, and Thursday, September 27th. Voting will take place at the ILWU Memorial Hall, 231 W. "C" Street, Wilmington, 90744. The polls will be open from 6:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. on each day.

ELIGIBILITY TO RUN FOR OFFICE

Effective for the Spring 2006 elections and hereafter, any member must be in compliance with the following:

Article IV, Section 1, Sub-Section f

“In order to have their name placed on the ballot and to hold any office or position, each candidate must have been in good standing and an active Longshoreman in the industry in this Local or working in the ILWU for the previous twelve (12) months.”

Article XI, Section 1, Sub-Section b

“Dues are due and payable on the first day of each month. A member is in good standing only when his dues, assessments or other indebtedness are paid on or before the delinquent dates, as determined by the Local.”

For a member to be considered in good standing, they shall have their dues, fines, and assessments paid in full every month, for twelve consecutive months prior to picking up an application. No application shall be issued to the member if these criteria have not been met. **NO EXCEPTIONS!!**

BLOOD DRIVE

ILWU Local 13 will be hosting a Kaiser Permanente Blood Drive at the ILWU Memorial Hall in conjunction with the 2007 Fall Elections. Historically, we have always given generously, from the heart. Please help us continue the tradition of sharing our health and many other blessings with our communities. If you would like to make an appointment, please call (323) 783-6667, or walk-ins are welcome. Join the Pensioners and the Ladies Auxiliary on the dates listed below to make this a record setting event.

8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. on Tuesday, September 11, 2007
7:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. on Wednesday, September 12, 2007
7:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. on Thursday, September 13, 2007

Snacks, sandwiches, salads, and drinks will be served along with
Souvenir T-Shirts and door prizes!

Revised...SCHEDULED MEETINGS FOR AUGUST 2007

Date	Day	Time	Meeting	Location
16-Aug-07	Thursday	9:30 a.m.	Class B 70%	PMA
22-Aug-07	Wednesday	9:30 a.m.	Regular LRC	PMA
23-Aug-07	Thursday	12:30 p.m.	E-Board Meeting	ILWU Local 13
20-Aug-07	Monday	5:30 p.m.	M&R LRC	ILWU Memorial Hall
27-Aug-07	Monday	9:30 a.m.	Casual LRC	ILWU Memorial Hall

Fraternally,
Mike Mitre
President

Ray Benavente
Vice President

Frank Ponce De Leon
Secretary/Treasurer