



**General Membership Meeting Minutes
May 21, 2018**

- I. Call to Order at 4:31**
- II. Roll Call**
- III. Approval of Agenda – approved with no objection**
- IV. Approval of Minutes from April meeting – approved with no objection**
- V. Reports**
 - a. President
 - i. Janus
 - 1. Ask fair share to join
 - 2. Ruling expected anytime
 - b. Treasurer
 - i. Financial report
 - 1. 4 Dave Nitti Scholarships awarded, \$500 each
 - ii. Building Rep Stipends
 - c. Member Rights
 - i. Make sure to be on time and not leave before duty day is over
 - d. Membership
 - i. As of May 15th # of members 1386 full members 35 fair share
 - e. Government Relations
 - i. Legislative Update
 - 1. Pension bill passed at end of session
 - 2. Education MN will send out a summary
 - ii. Campaign 2018
 - 1. Education MN endorsed Tim Walz for Governor
 - f. Negotiations
 - i. Mediation May 22
 - ii. Possible action May 24
 - 1. More details will follow after mediation on the 22nd
 - 2. If there is a TA the event will be changed
 - iii. Work to Rule

VI. Information/Discussion/Action Items

- a. Bylaws revision - added language about how a strike vote would take place
- b. Building representative elections/notification – let Marty know by May 31st
- c. Retiree Membership – retirees can join Ed Mn retired for free
- d. Summer Seminar July 30-August 1 – flyers available for sites, UTSWC will cover costs
- e. Volunteer at NEA RA in July - informational postcards available
- f. Parades = CG on June 16; Newport on Aug. 12; SPP on Aug. 18
 - i. If anyone is interested in organizing something for the Afton parade on July 4th let Marty know

VII. Open Forum

- a. Burnsville’s teacher union is holding a rally on May 24th at 3:30. If our event is changed on the 24th members are asked to go and support them if possible
- b. If a TA is reached on Tuesday the plan is to have a couple of meetings about the TA and still vote before the end of the school year
- c. Happy Retirement to long time building reps Patty Allman and Bill Rahn

VIII. Adjournment