MAPE Local 1601 Meeting Minutes September 25th, 2018

Place: Central Lakes College Room C237

Time: 12pm

1. Vice-President Christine Sundgaard called the meeting to order.
2. The minutes were approved from previous meeting.
3. Time was taken for members to introduce themselves to the group.
4. Regional Director Darren Hage was unable to attend.  There was no director report.
5. Message from President who is out on medical leave till 10/31/18 stated that an E-newsletter is going to be starting for Local 1601.  More to come.

1. Treasurer Kevin Martini -
2. We will again this year do the $20 Membership Gift Cards.
3. We are financially sound.

1. Membership Secretary –
2. Laura was unable to attend.  She emailed that there was no report.

1. Susan Sunde – Delegate Assembly recap:
2. Overall it was a great success.  The DA was switched to a 1 day format this year which saved the Union money.
3. See attached handout for the recap from the assembly.

1. Old Business –
2. No old business

1. New Business –
2. Christine motioned to donate $50 gift card to member Brittany.  She is assisting with her sister’s care who was just transferred into hospice.  Sister is fighting Non-Hopkins Lymphoma.  Motion was seconded by Susan Sunde and voted to approve.
3. Winner of Gift Card was Tim Plude, DNR
4. There was discussion brought up by member in attendance to ask if we can try and get a better connection or how we can assist our retired members to help them get their benefits they are entitled to.  Christine provided good communication for them to reach out to our MSRS representative for this area (**Michelle M Redfield**).

Next meeting: Central Lakes College

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October 23rd, 2018

12 noon