

**Thursday, june 15, 2023. 11:30 a.m. to 12:30 noon**

Meeting location: TEAMS

**brief UPDATES**

* **PRESIDENT’S WELCOME** **– Kent Barnard**
* **SECRETARY’S REPORT** [**https://mape.org/locals/1001**](https://gcc02.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Fmape.org%2Flocals%2F1001&data=05%7C01%7Ckent.barnard%40state.mn.us%7C4b4a01c29bc94c95dbfd08db24bcb858%7Ceb14b04624c445198f26b89c2159828c%7C0%7C0%7C638144165184145974%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=ac%2B3JihL7PW4mc3lB5ROkXKSTGRbS7SjgRs9d9kNDUQ%3D&reserved=0)**– Mike Samuelson**
  + **Contact the governor and tell him we need a fair contract:** [**https://mn.gov/governor/connect/contact-us/contact-form.jsp**](https://mn.gov/governor/connect/contact-us/contact-form.jsp)
  + **Action taking place on 6/21 at 7:30:** [**https://mape.org/getinvolved**](https://mape.org/getinvolved)
  + **Log into the MAPE portal to update your contact information:** [**https://portal.mape.org/Login.aspx?ReturnURL=/EventDetails.aspx?EventID=2998**](https://portal.mape.org/Login.aspx?ReturnURL=/EventDetails.aspx?EventID=2998)
* **TREASURER’S UPDATE** – **Shannon Thompson**
  + **Total amount is bank is about $22k**
* **MEMBERSHIP UPDATE – Jim DeLuca**
  + **Membership still at about 65-66%**
  + **Always a great time to talk with coworkers about joining MAPE**
* **SUPPLEMENTAL BARGAINING AT LOTTERY**
  + **Tentative agreement to clean up language around flex time scheduling and codifying language in the contract rather than doing an MOU each year for sales incentives. Big wins!**
* **CONTRACT UPDATE/NEGOTIATIONS – Axelina Swenson**
  + **Push week is next week**
  + **Won’t be updating rapid response text list until after push week, but contact Axelina if you’d like updates**
  + **Keep communication on the contract with fellow MAPE members**
  + **Be prepared for additional actions next week**
  + [**Negotiations Updates online**](https://mape.org/news/mmb-refuses-meaningful-discussion-mapes-economic-contract-proposals)
* **BOARD OF DIRECTORS’ UPDATE from** **Jackie Blagsvedt**
* **BUSINESS AGENT UPDATE –** **Dan Engelhart**
  + **Wage and equity bargaining for MnDOT planners and landscape architects**
  + **At Delegate Assembly this fall, we expect discussion and a potential vote on changes to dues structure. Dues haven’t changed since the Janus decision, which had about a $2m annual impact on MAPE’s budget. Dues cannot change without a vote at Delegate Assembly. Right now we are right on the cusp of an annual budget in the red. Trying to figure out the best path forward for financial stability. We are aiming for high level of transparency.**
* **NEW BUSINESS**
  + **Strike Education Training: Final session tonight!!** [**June 15, 5-6 p.m.**](https://mape.org/events/strike-education-session-6-15) (signup). Learn about what it means to strike, what the process will look like, what the next steps are and bring your questions. This is an informative session with a focus on the decisions before the membership and to get a snapshot of what members are thinking.
  + **MAPE action** at the MnDOT Training and Conference Center in Shoreview on Wednesday, June 21, at 7:30 a.m. while negotiators are arriving for the day. More specific information will be available soon.[**Registration is open in the portal.**](https://portal.mape.org/EventDetails.aspx?EventID=2998)

**Next meeting: Thursday, july 20, 2023. 11:30 a.m. to 12:30 pm**