# IATSE LOCAL 665 General Membership Meeting July17, 2022

CALL TO ORDER: to order at 9:33

**ROLL CALL:** 

President:

Vice- President:

**Business Agent:** 

Secretary-Treasurer:

**Executive Board Members:** 

Tuia'ana Scanlan

Nohea Nihipali

Irish Barber

Shawn Christensen

Kay Carter, Charley Ka'eo

Jeff Nihipali Day, Christopher Wiecking,

Melissa Lenz

ABSENT: Charley Ka'eo, Troy Scanlan, excused

Attendance by 20 or more members of local 665 in good standing (3 of whom shall be members of the executive board) shall constitute a quorum necessary to conduct union business. A quorum was present.

Pule:

<u>MINUTES:</u> Motion made by Kevin Kersting, seconded by Chris Wiecking to accept minutes. Motion passes.

<u>FINANCIAL REPORT:</u> Motion to accept by Kevin Kersting, seconded by Keola Jones, motion passes See attached financial report. \* June amended Report\*

<u>SECRETARY-TREASURER'S REPORT CORRESPONDENCE:</u> Miller Kaplan Letter, State of Hawaii Department of Education thank you letter (Iao Valley Middle School Project)

**BUSINESS AGENT'S REPORT: see attached** 

PRESIDENT'S REPORT: see attached

<u>COMMITTEE REPORTS:</u> Health and Welfare see report attached. Dave Wallace asks to have a consultant come and report to the members and explain our health care/annuity system.

AFL-CIO cope meeting report by Jeff Nihipali Day, see attached District 2 reports: see attached

District 2 June 2023 location scout; Ocean Lawn at the Sheraton Waikiki

### **TRAINING COMMITTEE:**

### **POLITICAL REPORT:** See attached list

Motion by Kevin Kersting, seconded by Ben Schafer to offer Local 665 union support for those candidates who had submitted replies to our questionnaire. Motion passes

<u>NEW BUSINESS:</u> Computer upgrade budget of \$6500.00. Motion was made by Henry Fordham, seconded by Ben Schafer. Discussion ensues and the motion is voted on and passes. (See attached estimate)

Motion made by Melisa Lenz, seconded by Dan Garab to contribute \$500.00 to support The CLEAR Labor Fest on Sept. 16, 2022. Discussion then ensues, with Al Omo calling for the question, seconded by Kevin Kersting. The call for the question passes, ceasing debate and the main motion is voted on and passes.

Motion is made by Al Omo, seconded by Ben Schafer to accept the Executive Board's recommendation of \$5000.00 to support the Labor Unity Picnic at the Shell on September 4, 2022. The motion passes.

Motion is made by Jeff Nihipali Day, seconded by Kevin Kersting to support the AFL-CIO Charity golf Tournament September 16, 2022 at Pearl Country Club and to support the T. George Paris Ironworkers Scholarship Golf Tournament September 23, 2022 at The Pearl Country Club. With a contribution of \$1,500.00 to the AFL-CIO tournament and \$2000.00 to the Ironworker's tournament. Total contributions for both. \$3500.00 Motion passes.

Motion is made by Henry Fordham, seconded by Al Omo to purchase a quarter page add in Local 311's 100th anniversary program. Motion passes

Irish reports on the job responsibilities and who will be responsible for what activities per Article 10 of the constitution and bylaws.

Appointing job stewards: Business Agent (Irish)

Community outreach: Business Agent (Irish) and President (Tuia'ana)

Organizing: President (Tui)
Training: President (Tui)

Negotiating Contracts: Business Agent (Irish) and President (Tui) Film and Television (BA) Stage

(President)

Good and Welfare:

Passing of Margret Doversol
Passing of Frank Mitchell's father
Passing of Lizby Logsdon's mother

### **Shawn Christensen**

From:

Tuia'ana Scanlan

Sent:

Tuesday, July 19, 2022 3:18 PM

To:

Shawn Christensen

Subject:

L665 Political Endorsements

### Whatup!

Here's the list of candidates that we voted to endorse at the July 2022 GMM:

Amy Perruso (incumbent) – Hawaii State House of Representatives HD-46 (Wahiawa, Whitmore Village, Launani Valley) Roy Takumi (incumbent, but is running against Gregg Takayama due to re-districting) – Hawaii State House of Representatives HD-34 (Pearl City, Waimalu, Pacific Pali)

Jeanné Kapela (incumbent) – Hawaii State House of Representatives HD-5 (Naalehu, Ocean View, Capt. Cook, Kealakekua, Kailua-Kona)

Natalia Hussey-Burdick – Hawaii State House of Representatives HD-50 (Kailua, Kaneohe Bay) Gil Keith-Agaran (incumbent) – Hawaii State Senate SD-5 (Wailuku, Waihe'e, Kahului) Anthony Makana Paris – Hawaii State House of Representatives HD-42 (Kapolei, Makakilo)

Candidates we voted to endorse at the May 2022 GMM:

Joelyn Prieto – Hawaii State House of Representatives HD-35 (Pearl City, Manana, Waipio)
Wayne Kaulula'au – Hawaii State House of Representatives HD-41 (Ewa, Ewa Beach, Ewa Gentry, Ewa Villages, Hoakalei, Ocean Pointe)

In Solidarity,

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## **BANK REPORTS FOR JUNE 2022**

| OF 155        | MONTH | PREVIOUS BALANCE | TOTAL DEPOSITS   |
|---------------|-------|------------------|------------------|
| GENERAL FUND  | JUNE  | \$631,476.64     | \$57,048.75      |
|               | YEAR  | ENDING BALANCE   | TOTAL WITHDRAWLS |
|               | 2022  | \$616,431.78     | \$72,093.61      |
|               | MONTH | PREVIOUS BALANCE | TOTAL DEPOSITS   |
| BUILDING FUND | JUNE  | \$206,172.66     | \$0.00           |
|               | YEAR  | ENDING BALANCE   | TOTAL WITHDRAWLS |
|               | 2022  | \$205,922.66     | \$250.00         |
|               |       |                  |                  |
|               | MONTH | PREVIOUS BALANCE | TOTAL DEPOSITS   |
| BUILDING      | JUNE  | \$261,118.87     | \$263.03         |
| SAVINGS       | YEAR  | ENDING BALANCE   | TOTAL WITHDRAWLS |
| <i>5,</i> ( ) | 2022  | \$264,381.90     | \$0.00           |
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| TDAINING      | MONTH | PREVIOUS BALANCE | TOTAL DEPOSITS   |
| TRAINING      | JUNE  | \$137,766.57     | \$3,702.97       |
| TRUST FUND    |       |                  |                  |
| INOSTIOND     | YEAR  | ENDING BALANCE   | TOTAL WITHDRAWLS |
|               | 2022  | \$141,469.54     | \$0.00           |
|               |       |                  |                  |
| BOH           | MONTH | PREVIOUS BALANCE | TOTAL DIVIDENS   |
|               | JUNE  | \$2,954,371.67   | \$1,412.98       |
| INVESTMENTS   | YEAR  | ENDING BALANCE   | SECURITY BUYS    |
|               | 2022  | \$2,955,113.17   | \$0.00           |
|               | YEAR  | TOTAL FEES PAID  | NET CASH MGMT    |
|               | 2022  | \$671.48         | \$0.00           |

### **BANK REPORTS FOR JULY 2022**

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|-----------------|------------------|------------------|------------------------------------------------|
| GENERAL FUND    | JULY             | \$616,431.78     | \$94,197.21                                    |
|                 | YEAR             | ENDING BALANCE   | TOTAL WITHDRAWLS                               |
|                 | 2022             | \$351,906.50     | \$358,722.49<br>MOVED \$300,000 TO INVESTMENTS |
|                 | MONTH            | PREVIOUS BALANCE | TOTAL DEPOSITS                                 |
| BUILDING FUND   | JULY             | \$205,672.66     | \$0.00                                         |
|                 | YEAR             | ENDING BALANCE   | TOTAL WITHDRAWLS                               |
|                 | 2022             | \$205,922.66     | \$250.00                                       |
|                 | MONTH            | PREVIOUS BALANCE | TOTAL DEPOSITS                                 |
| BUILDING        | JULY             | \$264,381.90     | \$263.49                                       |
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| SAVINGS         | YEAR <b>2022</b> | ENDING BALANCE   | TOTAL WITHDRAWLS                               |
|                 | 2022             | \$264,645.39     | \$0.00                                         |
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| TRAINING        | JULY             | \$141,112.63     | \$2,120.48                                     |
| TRUST FUND      | YEAR             | ENDING BALANCE   | TOTAL WITHDRAWLS                               |
|                 | 2022             | \$143,233.11     | \$0.00                                         |
| DOLL            | MONTH            | PREVIOUS BALANCE | TOTAL DIVIDENS                                 |
| BOH             | JULY             | \$3,271,862.09   | \$3,957.62                                     |
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| INVESTMENTS     | YEAR             | ENDING BALANCE   | SECURITY BUYS                                  |
|                 | 2022             | \$3,575,111.43   | \$277,100.11                                   |
|                 | YEAR             | TOTAL FEES PAID  | NET CASH MGMT                                  |
|                 | 2022             | \$708.28         | \$26,142.23                                    |

### July 2022 President's Report

### **Organizing and Political Activism**

State Political Candidate Questionnaires -

The State AFL-CIO Committee on Political Education (COPE) met on Thursday, May 26th, 2022 at the Homer Maxey International Trade Resource Center. It was attended by myself, Irish, and Jeff NihipaliDay. Discussions ensued regarding the upcoming primary elections. What I've noticed at these meetings is that HGEA dominates much of the conversation. As a result, much of the decisions are made through the lens of HGEA's priorities and experiences. It's no surprise that, as they represent nearly 37000 members, which is nearly half of the AFL-CIO, they have close ties to state legislators who decide on the state budget. So it is understandable that they support the candidates that they feel will advance their interests. We have the power and ability to endorse the candidates that we feel will advance our interests.

Encore university - National negotiations continue with Encore. I've recently been invited to a meeting of the minds of Locals that are stakeholders in the conversation. At the moment, meetings are scheduled monthly. I will update the membership as details emerge.

Set visit - DKMD Fri, 07/15

HIFA - Met with Dexter Gomes and Koki Nishitani via Zoom to discuss the ongoing uphill battle to renew the HIFA program. There is a glimmer of hope, but we'll have to see how it pans out. I'll be reaching out to the West Coast office to ask them to support the HIFA program in whatever form it takes.

It's important to get active this election cycle. Our voices are powerful when we activate them. Voting in local political elections has a wide range of effects on our daily lives. Here are a few resources that will be helpful:

IATSE Voter Toolkit - Here's a handy tool to check your voter registration status, election dates, deadlines and more. Visit <a href="https://iatse.net/political-legislative/iatse-voter-toolkit/">https://iatse.net/political-legislative/iatse-voter-toolkit/</a>

To confirm your district for the various elections, go to: <a href="https://histategis.maps.arcgis.com/apps/MapSeries/index.html?appid=c2454fb6ce6e4bc1a553fa2991abb6d5">https://histategis.maps.arcgis.com/apps/MapSeries/index.html?appid=c2454fb6ce6e4bc1a553fa2991abb6d5</a>

And to see the incumbent legislator for State House and Senate, visit: <a href="http://www.capitol.hawaii.gov/members/legislators.aspx?chamber=all">http://www.capitol.hawaii.gov/members/legislators.aspx?chamber=all</a>

**Training and Development -**

District 2 - I was again selected as the chair of the D2 Young Workers Committee. Committee assignments are just that - assignments. Committee members and chairs are selected based on the District 2 Constitution and Bylaws. And though I've expressed several times that a younger delegate should be selected to chair the D2 YWC, it's still an honor to be selected as a committee chair from the more than 250 delegates. The majority of the committee members were from Local 839, The Animation Guild, with only one each from Local 80 and Local 728.

In a bit of a surprise, I was also asked to give the invocation. I had originally planned on doing a poem, but ultimately, it was more important to be in the moment. With the "Supreme" Court's decision to overturn Roe v Wade, I thought of my family - my wife, my daughter, my siblings. I thought of my co-workers, my union kin, and everyone capable of bearing a child. I've said it before and I'll say it again - I am so grateful to be a father. There is so much joy in my life because of my child and my wife. And I have room in my heart for as many children as my wife will give me. But it is her right to choose if and when she has that child.

Reproductive rights issues are workers rights issues. They are human rights issues. It's our job to fight for each other and use our power to protect those who are under duress. And we will do everything in our power to ensure that we do just that.

Several resolutions have been referred to the DEI committee specifically #'s 5, 11, and 16, which deal with employer sponsored implicit bias training, "Together we Shine" initiative, and Anti-ageism respectively. The DEI committee will be giving a report at the 2022 Midsummer GEB in Seattle. Our next committee meeting is scheduled for early August, and I will share the results of the resolutions discussion at the following meeting

We were invited by Local 16 to march with them in the SF Pride parade. The sheer number of people was staggering. Several of us attempted to join the march, but as you can imagine, the streets were blocked off for several miles. We attempted multiple times to reach the rendezvous point by crossing underground through the BART stations to no avail. So for a span of time, Chris Wiecking, Shawn Christensen, a delegate from Local 33 named Anthony Sacks, and I just cheered on from the sidelines. When the IA banner became visible, we walked with them up the street until we found a gap in the barricades. And so, we jumped the fence to break into the SF Pride march, a bucket list item that I didn't know I had.

#### Music Supervisors -

An overwhelming majority of film and tv Music Supervisors signed union authorization cards to form a union and become part of the International Alliance of Theatrical Stage Employees (IATSE). However, the major Hollywood studios and streaming companies indicated they will not voluntarily recognize, and will not begin negotiations.

To aid in this effort, the following link will be shared in the chat. It takes 30 seconds to sign the petition. Take a moment out of your day and help these folks in their fight for recognition.

Congratulations to Ron Evans on his marriage

Motion to adjourn made by Keola Jones, seconded by Chris Wiecking. Motion passes and meeting is adjourned at 12:19

Submitted by

**Secretary-Treasurer** 

**Shawn Christensen July 2022**