

## **AFSCME Retirees' Subchapter 161 June 2024**

### **Executive Board Meeting Minutes**

The June 12, 2024, executive board meeting was called to order at 12:10 p.m.

Diane, John, Dave, Tony, Jesse, Ida, and MacArthur were the officers and executive board members present. Diane presided.

Tony read the minutes for the May 2024 executive board meeting, Dave moved to accept them, John seconded the motion, and it passed.

Jesse gave the June 2024 secretary/treasurer's report, Dave moved that we approve it, John seconded the motion, and it passed.

Diane said the Illinois Alliance for Retired Americans (IARA) will have a free senior power celebration on September 30, opening at 11:30 a.m. with lunch at noon, at the Chicago Teachers Union Building, at 1901 West Carroll. There will be free parking.

Diane said the Executive Board in Springfield had endorsed Biden for president. She said that starting in September, we will do mailing and phone banking. She also said the Springfield Executive Board had talked about legislation campaigns to increase the pay of home healthcare workers and university employees and is working to end the two-tier pension.

We discussed the picnic we're planning to have in September at Indian Boundary Park, which is on the 2600 block of West Lunt. Diane said she didn't know if there should be a membership meeting at the picnic, and Dave said the picnic should be just for letting our hair down.

Diane said Anthony Robinson, an instructor at the City Colleges of Chicago, would speak at our next membership meeting.

Jesse said we had gotten permission to leave plastic boxes marked “AFSCME” at the church at 1020 West Bryn Mawr.

John said everyone should bring items they want stored to every e-board meeting.

Dave moved to adjourn, John seconded the motion, and we adjourned around 1:50 p.m.

Tony Zappia

Recording Secretary