

AFGE Local 2823 March 2023 Monthly Meeting Minutes

March 22, 2023

Conference line was in use.

CONFERENCE CALL DIAL IN:

720-740-9694

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Conference was called to order at 11:46 am by Jim Swartz

If you want to review the financials, please contact Daphne Coleman, treasurer for an appointment on your personal time.

President's Report:

- Lots of hiring
 - Call center (if you know someone tell them to apply)
 - Schedule A hiring authority - disabilities that impact ADLs (get the form and have a medical provider complete it). This is the best route to apply.
- Arbitration held yesterday
 - Assisted by national VA Council
 - VIP temporary promotion – we should know the outcome by June 2023
 - Special thanks to those that attended the arbitration as witnesses

Volunteers requested:

- We have one volunteer and need more to volunteer
- Training will be provided and does not require personal leave
- Once you are trained, duties will be on your own time

Misc:

- Please take a look at our new website. Updates and other valuable information will be available for your reference. The site is located at: www.afgel2823.org
- Membership drive is ongoing. End date will be forthcoming. Both parties will receive \$50.
- We are still working on absorbing the local in Louisville, KY

- Reminder: please keep your personal emails current. Contact Cecelia Gray with updates.
- Tangela: any information on mitigating PACT Act errors after April 1, 2023?
 - No updates
- Shane B.: Any additional information on the DFAS hack?
 - Nothing other than you should check you MyPay to ensure everything is still accurate.
- Unknown: Any idea on how long mandatory overtime will last?
 - No
- Alex I.: is officer voting going on today?
 - No voting because each officer nominated won by default
 - James (Jim) Swartz – president
 - Dwayne Walker – vice president
 - Daphne Coleman – treasurer
 - Cecelia Gray – secretary
 - (Keyamonte Pickings – chief steward)
- We are soliciting volunteers to plan a summer outing. Please contact a member of the executive committee if you would like to volunteer.

Motion to adjourn: Anthony S.

Second: Daphne C.

Meeting adjourned at 12:06