



Local 211, UAW
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NOTICE

APPLICATIONS ARE NOW BEING ACCEPTED FOR THE FOLLOWING
STANDING COMMITTEES FOR LOCAL 211, UAW

**RECREATION COMMITTEE
WOMEN'S COMMITTEE
COMMUNITY SERVICE COMMITTEE
BY-LAWS COMMITTEE
SCHOLARSHIP COMMITTEE
LEGISLATION COMMITTEE
VETERANS COMMITTEE
EDUCATION COMMITTEE
CIVIL RIGHTS COMMITTEE
ORGANIZING COMMITTEE**

THE DEADLINE FOR SUBMITTING APPLICATIONS IS FRIDAY JULY 24, 2026 AT 4:00 P.M.

ALL MEMBERS OF LOCAL 211, UAW ARE ENCOURAGED TO SUBMIT THEIR APPLICATIONS FOR THESE STANDING COMMITTEES THROUGH THEIR CHAIRPERSON, MAIL OR EMAIL TO: secretary@uawlocal211.com

A DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF EACH COMMITTEE'S DUTIES IS POSTED ON THE MAIN BULLETIN BOARDS.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Ben Sabins".

Ben Sabins
President
Local 211, UAW

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LOCAL 211 STANDING COMMITTEES

EDUCATION COMMITTEE/CONSUMER AFFAIR/UNION LABEL

THIS COMMITTEE IS RESPONSIBLE FOR PUBLISHING THE LOCAL 211 NEWSLETTER. THEY ALSO FUNCTION DURING STRIKES AS THE EDUCATIONAL ARM OF THE UNION WHICH CONVEYS INFORMATION TO THE MEMBERSHIP PERTAINING TO YOUR RIGHTS AND OBLIGATIONS SO THAT YOU CAN RECEIVE STRIKE FUNDS. THIS COMMITTEE ALSO STRIVES TO KEEP THE MEMBERSHIP INFORMED ON TRUTH IN LENDING, TRUTH IN PACKAGING AND TRUTH IN ADVERTISING ALSO; THIS COMMITTEE HELPS TO EMPHASIZE THE IMPORTANCE OF SUPPORTING THOSE GOODS PRODUCED IN "UNION SHOPS", BY UNION MEMBERS UNDER UNION-WON WORKING CONDITIONS. "BUY AMERICAN" IS A COMMON BATTLE CRY OF THIS COMMITTEE.

LEGISLATIVE

THE LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEE IS THE IN-PLANT POLITICAL/LEGISLATIVE ARM OF THE LOCAL UNION AND IS A VITAL WORKPLACE POLITICAL ACTIVATOR. THIS COMMITTEE IS THE BASIC LINK WITH OUR MEMBERS AT WORK IN ASSISTING THE IMPLEMENTATION OF VOTER REGISTRATION, LETTER WRITING CAMPAIGNS, AND IS RESPONSIBLE FOR PUBLICIZING THE ISSUES AND POSITIONS OF PUBLIC OFFICIALS AND "GET OUT TO VOTE" CAMPAIGNS. THE COMMITTEE ALSO WORKS CLOSELY WITH THE DEFIANCE AREA UAW CAP COUNCIL AND WILL BE UTILIZED HEAVILY IN THE UAW "WORKER TO WORKER" PROGRAM.

RECREATION

THE RECREATION COMMITTEE WORKS TO PROMOTE MEANINGFUL RECREATION AND LEISURE-TIME ACTIVITIES FOR LOCAL 211 MEMBERS AND THEIR FAMILIES. CURRENTLY THIS COMMITTEE OFFERS SUCH ACTIVITIES AS FAMILY DAY AT 211 PARK, FISHING DERBY'S, DISCOUNTED TICKETS TO CERTAIN SPORTING EVENTS AND THE KIDS' CHRISTMAS PARTY TO NAME A FEW.

VETERANS

THE VETERANS COMMITTEE PROVIDES NEEDED INFORMATION TO VETERANS AND THEIR FAMILIES. THEY ALSO MONITOR ALL LEGISLATION DEALING WITH VETERANS. OUR COMMITTEE FUNCTIONS DURING LAYOFF AND STRIKE SITUATIONS TO ASSIST OUR VETERANS WITH GOOD AND WELFARE PROGRAMS AVAILABLE TO THEM. OUR COMMITTEE HAS RECENTLY SERVED OUR VETERANS AT THE SANDUSKY VETERANS HOME, SPONSORED NEEDY FAMILIES AT CHRISTMAS TIME, HELPED RAISE MONEY FOR THE DEFIANCE COUNTY WAR MEMORIAL, AS WELL AS NUMEROUS OTHER WORTHWHILE PROJECTS.

ORGANIZING

TO CONTINUE TO GROW THE DENSITY OF OUR UNION, OUR LOCALS NEED A COMMITTEE THAT CAN PROVIDE THE RESOURCES AND STRATEGIES TO OTHER WORKERS WHO WANT TO JOIN OUR UNION. COMMITTEE MEMBERS ARE TRAINED AND FOCUSED ON ASSISTING THESE NEW MEMBERS IN THEIR ORGANIZING CAMPAIGNS.

COMMUNITY SERVICE

THE COMMUNITY SERVICE COMMITTEE PERFORMS THE IMPORTANT TASK OF GETTING HELP FOR OUR MEMBERS AND THEIR FAMILIES IN TIME OF NEED. THIS COMMITTEE WORKS THROUGH PUBLIC AND PRIVATE ORGANIZATIONS TO ASSURE THAT OUR MEMBERS RECEIVE HELP IN EMERGENCY SITUATIONS. THE LOCAL 211 COMMUNITY SERVICE COMMITTEE IS FAMOUS THROUGHOUT THE ENTIRE UAW FOR THE WORK THEY DO TO HELP OUR MEMBERSHIP. MANY LOCAL UNIONS NOW THROW BENEFITS FOR MEMBERS SUFFERING FROM CATASTROPHIC ILLNESSES, A PROGRAM PIONEERED BY THE LOCAL 211 COMMUNITY SERVICE COMMITTEE AND COPIED BY OTHER LOCALS THROUGHOUT THE UAW. THE LOCAL 211 MEMBERSHIP IS EXTREMELY CHARITABLE AND SUPPORTS THIS COMMITTEE IN THEIR ENDEAVORS.

WOMEN'S

LOCAL 211 WOMEN'S COMMITTEE CONDUCTS PROGRAMS WHICH ARE OF SPECIAL INTEREST TO WOMEN, MONITORS ALL LEGISLATION PERTAINING TO WOMEN'S ISSUES AND ENCOURAGES THEM TO BECOME ACTIVE IN THE LOCAL UNION. THEY ALSO PROMOTE GREATER UNDERSTANDING OF THE UAW'S POLICIES AND OBJECTIVES. OUR COMMITTEE IS VERY ACTIVE AND CONDUCTS MANY PROJECTS THROUGHOUT THE YEAR, WITH PROCEEDS BEING DONATED TO A CHARITABLE ORGANIZATION.

SCHOLARSHIP

LOCAL 211 PROVIDE SCHOLARSHIPS ANNUALLY. MEMBERS OF THIS COMMITTEE SCREEN THE ENTRIES AND ARE RESPONSIBLE FOR MAKING SURE THE SCHOLARSHIPS ARE AWARDED FAIRLY. THEY ALSO REVIEW AND UPDATE THE RULES AND QUALIFICATIONS NECESSARY TO BE ELIGIBLE FOR THE SCHOLARSHIPS.

BYLAWS

THE BYLAW COMMITTEE PERFORMS THE DUTIES OF SETTING UP AND MONITORING THE LOCAL UNION BYLAWS, ALONG WITH FOLLOWING THE APPROVAL PROCEDURES. THE LOCAL UNION EXECUTIVE BOARD IS CHARGED WITH INTERPRETING THOSE BYLAWS.

CIVIL RIGHTS

THE CIVIL RIGHTS COMMITTEE SERVES AS GUARDIAN OVER THE LOCAL UNION'S INTEREST TO ASSURE MEMBERS FULL RIGHTS REGARDLESS OF RELIGION, RACE, CREED, COLOR, SEX, POLITICAL AFFILIATION, NATIONAL ORIGIN, AGE OR HANDICAP. THE COMMITTEE INFORMS MEMBERS OF STEPS AND PROCEDURES, INCLUDING FILING OF COMPLAINTS AND HEARINGS, WHENEVER A MEMBER OR MEMBERS BELIEVE THEIR RIGHTS HAVE BEEN VIOLATED BY MANAGEMENT OR OTHER UNION MEMBERS. THE COMMITTEE WORKS TOWARD THE ELIMINATION DISCRIMINATION IN THE WORKPLACE AND THE COMMUNITY. THE COMMITTEE IS ACTIVATED BY THE PRESIDENT OR CHAIRMAN OF THE LOCAL UNION.