

**Stewards Meeting**  
**7/16/2026**  
**(Final)**

The meeting was called to order at 4:30pm.

The minutes from June's meeting were read and accepted.

**The Presidents' report is as follows –**

**Grievance Summary Under the Presidents' Report**

- Filed a grievance for 2 Electricians who took approved vacation time and then the University rescinded it when they found out they were going to work out of the hall for a call.

**Arbitration Under the Presidents' Report**

- None

**Other Business Under the Presidents' Report**

- We had a Special conference concerning Maintenance Mechanics doing licensed Trades work on July 8<sup>th</sup>.
- Paul Brown, who is a U of M Regent, was at the Washtenaw County Skilled Building Trades Council meeting this past Tuesday. He is very supportive of Unions, and I talked to him about getting Pro Decorating, Gemini, and I2G out of here and named all the managers that were not helping with this process. He gave Ty his cell # and said he will investigate it and get back with Ty.

**Questions about the Presidents Report**

- There was further discussion and details about the Special Conference regarding maintenance mechanics doing licensed trades work.
- There was a question about why does the University have any say of what someone does while on vacation.
- There was a question about the status of the nurses union contract.

**Stewards Report**

- Student Life promoted a concert.
- There was a discussion about what can be done with the upcoming concerts and the shifts they will be possibly flexing or requiring.
- There was a discussion about the Utility Electricians being granted and denied vacation.
- There was a discussion about an electrician CVL running work at NCRC.
- There was a request to add OT to the retirement match.
- There was a discussion about Vac Truck guys not having enough staff.

### **Unfinished Business**

- Golf outing is scheduled for August 22<sup>nd</sup>. (\$12k budget)
- September 26<sup>th</sup> is Union Day at Tiger Stadium. (\$4k budget) We purchased 2 buses that hold 112 people. We purchased a block of 112 tickets that are for sale, first come, first serve for members and their family \$30 per ticket. You must have the MLB App before purchasing the ticket.
- Negotiations will start in about a year, please help us with any ideas and verbiage to better our contract. In June, new contracts for our outside Unions take effect. I will be figuring out each trade's pay in respect to the outside. I am also working on a negotiation list.

### **New Business**

- None

### **Adjournment**

- The meeting was adjourned at 4:56pm.