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AFGE Local 910 Newsletter

Why should I sign a document if I disagree with the content?

Short Answer: <u>YES</u>

- You need documentation that you were made aware of the document
- You need a timestamp to track timelines for the document (i.e. if you are filing a grievance, you need the date it was received in writing)
- If you disagree with the content, you may sign the document this way: <u>Signature:</u> *John Doe* <u>Date:</u> 02/25/2022

I am signing this document for record of signature only, I do not agree with the contents of the material.

View the AFGE Master Collective Bargaining Agreement (MCBA) by following this link:

https://www.afge.org/globalassets/documents/cbas/c53---nvac-contract.pdf

CONTACT US

Appointments are recommended to ensure availability. Please contact us to schedule an appointment with a steward!

> Office: (816) 922-2040 Cell: (816) 924-4440 910AFGE@910AFGE.org VHAKANAFGE910Stewards@va.gov VHAKANAFGE910Officers@va.gov Office Location: M11-244

Local Website: https://www.afge910.com/ National Website: https://www.afge.org/

MEMBER BENEFITS CORNER

Discounted Movie Tickets

Local 910 members can purchase \$5 movie tickets to AMC or B&B Theaters. Members may purchase up to twelve (12) tickets per year. Tickets are available first-come -first-serve in the union office, M11-244. Cash or credit card accepted (Please Note: There is a \$2 fee for credit transactions). Members are encouraged to purchase their tickets early!

AFGE National Benefits

A comprehensive list of benefits for AFGE members can be found by following this link: <u>https://www.afge.org/</u> <u>member-benefits/</u>

#RedForFeds Wednesday, March 2nd 2022

NVAC is weeks away from the start of negotiations with the VA to update portions of the 2011 Master Agreement.

Show up and wear red on Wednesday, March 2nd, 2022 to show that we are united in our commitment to protecting and improving our contract.

Have you bought your official Red For Feds shirt? They can be purchased for \$5 in the union office. Cash or credit cards (\$2 fee for credit).

Upcoming Events

AFGE Worlds of Fun Day May 14th, 2022

Online purchase of tickets coming soon. will be \$20 each. Pass includes the follow

- Parking
- Park Entry
- All you can eat lunch
- All you can drink tickets
- Six (6) tickets per dues paying member

AFGE Day at the Park August 6th, 2022

McCoy Park (Pavilion) 800 N. Bess Truman Pkwy. Independence, MO 10:00am - 2:00pm Includes lunch, playground, raffle. Free entry, ticket required.

AFGE Day at the KC Zoo September 11th, 2022

Tickets coming soon. Tickets will be sold in the office for \$5 each (M11-244). Additional \$2 charge if paying with a credit card. Mailed tickets will be an option. Pass includes the following:

- Parking
- Park entry
- Unlimited ride wristband
- One gift card per member to use toward food/drink
- Six (6) tickets per dues paying member

Local 910 Officers:

Chris Smith, President Janet Constance, Exec VP

Jill Folsom, Secretary Treasurer

Debbie Brackenbury, Title 38 President

Shelley Barney, Title 5 President

George Lollis

Corrin Heesch Frankie Morgan Ashley Wilson

Tiffany Taylor

Local 910 Stewards:

Ron Peters

Dallan Hamman



AFGE Quarterly Lunch & Learn 2022 Dates

March 16 June 15 September 14 December 14

Process to Request Overtime

1. Before working overtime, communicate with your supervisor and timekeeper including the date, time and location.

2. Make sure the timekeeper knows to post the overtime to the "alternate" T&L to make sure the budget is adjusted correctly

Recruitment Bonus! New members <u>and</u> their recruiters receive a \$50 bonus.





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