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TO: All CWA Locals in District 7

FROM: Garry Jordan, CWA District 7 Education Coordinator

SUBJECT: First and Second-Year Leadership School

First and Second Year Leadership Schools for 2022 will be held at the University of Iowa in Iowa City the week of September 26, 2022. Classes will be limited to a maximum of 75 participants with a minimum of 30 participants required for classes to be held.

Leadership School is a five-day residential program for local leaders which provides in-depth training by university staff, with assistance from CWA. Local Officers, Executive Board Members, Stewards, and Committee Members who have completed CWA Steward's Training are eligible to participate in the First Year School. In addition to these qualifications, participants of the Second Year School must have attended First Year School.

Housing is provided at the Iowa House Hotel, a non-smoking establishment. *This year we have a limited number of sleeping rooms and ask participants to double up, if possible*. Please indicate on your application if you are willing to share a room. Once we have received the registrations, we will give those who volunteer to share rooms a \$100 break on the tuition.

The cost of some meals is included in the program tuition. These include the Sunday evening banquet and the graduation lunch on Friday and meal tickets for breakfast (\$9.00) and lunch (\$10.00), Monday through Thursday. Other expenses, including dinners with the exception of Sunday evening, transportation and personal charges at the Iowa House, must be paid by the conference participant.

The tuition for each student is \$1100. District 7's Lumen bargaining unit has a negotiated tuition aid program known as Partners in Education that will pay for this program. All PIE participants will need to bring any paperwork including letter of credit, etc. to the class. (AT&T tuition assistance does NOT pay for these classes.)

Below is the information for the classes: School: University of Iowa

Program or Course number/name: 75-00062 CWA Leadership School First Year 75-00063 CWA Leadership School Second Year

District 7 will provide a few scholarships for applicants who are not eligible for tuition assistance through their employer. The scholarships will be for tuition only; they will not include transportation, lost time or incidental meal expenses. If you are interested in a scholarship, please indicate so when completing your application. Scholarship applicants will be asked to share rooms and should submit their applications by July 28, 2022.

Applications will be processed in the order they are received. Please register as early as possible. <u>Applications may be</u> <u>completed by clicking here</u>. The cutoff date for registering for First- and Second-Year Leadership School is August 19, 2022.

Unless you are covered by Partners in Education, complete the attached form, and send payment to Elle Robery, CWA, 8085 East Prentice Avenue, Greenwood Village, CO 80111. Specific information will be e-mailed to the participants prior to class beginning.



If you have questions concerning this educational opportunity, please contact Garry Jordan, or Elle Robery at 303-770-2822.

Thank you,

Garry Jordan GJ/er opeiu30, afl-cio

Attachment

cc: CWA District 7 Staff Stan Gosch, District 7 Counsel Sarah Clark, University of Iowa Guy Bosworth, AFA Ameenah Salaam, Assistant to the President Angela Wells, CWA Director of Human Rights, Education, Health & Safety Rose Levy-Rubinett, CWA Staff Rep – Human Rights, Education, Legislation

