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Local 2627

District Council 37

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General Membership Meeting

July 31, 2018

Election Result

President Report

1st Vice President Childs called the meeting to order at 6:25 P.M. There was a quorum. He encouraged the members to attend the Labor Day Parade on September 8th. 8:30 am located on 44th Street between 5 and 6 Avenue. He mentioned that there were over 50 people last year and encouraged everyone to come out. Brother Kellam stated that even though it is called for 8:30 am, it is not really the time people will walk. Sister Leibowitz suggested people who are attending bring their own food and water. He then turned over the meeting to Brothers Gopaul and Gellineau of the Election Committee with DC37 legal advisor Erica Gray Nelson.

Election Result

Brother Durham presented the report to the membership. 5,070 ballots were mailed. 1,658 ballots were received and 18 ballots were set aside. 1,640 ballots were counted. Sister Leibowitz – 786 votes. Sister Morand – 840 votes. Sister Morand is the newly elected President of Local 2627.

Brother Arte Kellam (HRA) requested the count of the voids. The election committee reported they consisted of voids, not on the list, no id and walk ins.

One sister stated she did not receive anything in the mail, and she walked it over. She was informed that she would have to check her address in the system. Tyler Hemmingway, Director of White Collar requested that anyone who had that issue to see him and he would try to resolve why the mailings are not reaching the members.

Brother Charles McClain (HRA) made a motion to accept the Election Committee Report. Sister Julie Leibowitz seconded. A vote was taken. The motion passed. The motion was passed.

President Morand, Trustee Gellineau and Trustee Villegas were sworn in to office.

President Report

President Morand addressed the membership. She thanked people for her support and thanked the Election Committee for their work. As her first duty as President, she disbanded the Election Committee. She stated that going forward she would like to rule by Committee. She stated that she would like to set up a Membership Committee, a Contracting Committee, a Constitution Committee stating that it can be changed and include cost saving issues like changing the mailing from paper to email, saving the Local over \$2,000. She encouraged people to join and sign up.

A motion to adjourn was made by brother Chowdhury and seconded. The meeting was adjourned at 6:36pm.

