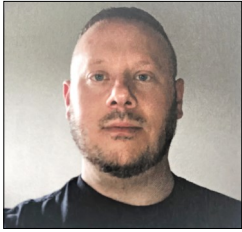




JOINT LEADERSHIP REPORT



Dear Members of UAW Local 2164, the timing for this edition of *The Assembler* is primarily to share with you the importance of the UAW Kentucky CAP (Community Action Program) endorsed candidates. These candidates are all interviewed by the Kentucky CAP Council on their views and voting record toward organized labor and family values in the state of Kentucky. Our biggest endorsement is for Andy Beshear to be reelected for the second term as Governor. Andy is 100% a friend of the UAW.

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One important example I would like to point out is when Chairman Watson was re-elected, and I was elected

President for our Local, we approached the Governor's office about the mess with Kentucky's unemployment benefits for our Members. The Governor sent his Unemployment Director to us with the e-file system. Jason and I brought it to our local management and negotiated it to be used here for our Membership. At times of temporary layoffs, this system gets the benefits to us within days of claiming our benefit, instead of weeks, months, and in some cases, not at all. Folks, this is not to scare you, but if Governor Andy Beshear is not reelected, the e-file system will be in jeopardy of going away. Thank you all for taking time to look over and consider this list of endorsed candidates.

Brian Ferrett, UAW 2164 President

Jason Watson, UAW 2164 Shop Chairman



The Kentucky Community Action Program (CAP) conference was held in Bowling Green during the first week of October where candidates for the upcoming election were discussed and approved. As the conference convened, attendees toured the Corvette plant and held a celebratory dinner at the UAW 2164 Union Hall.



Region: 8 CAP Representative: Mark Dowell

State: Kentucky

Year of Endorsements: 2023

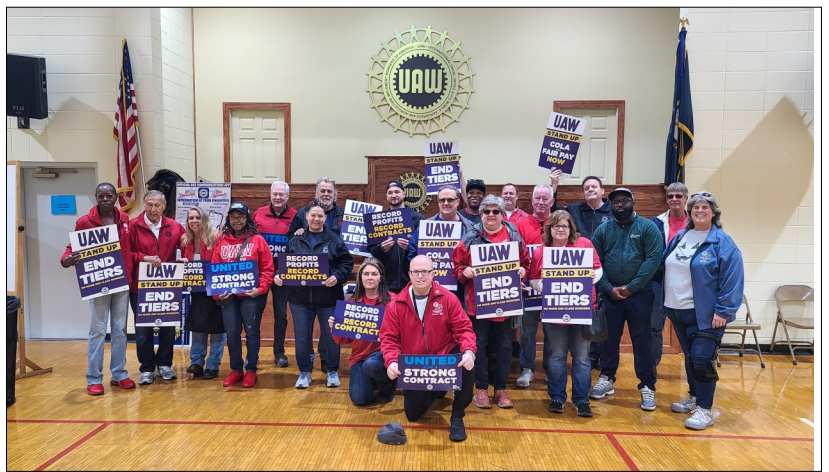
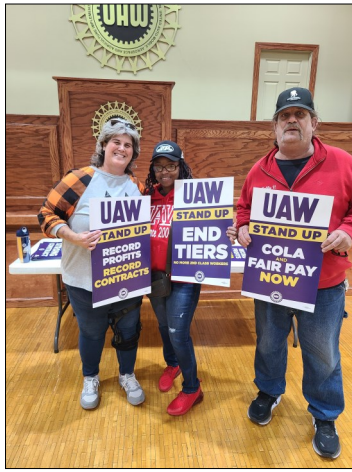
Name	Party	Office	District
Andy Beshear	D	KY ST Governor	KY
Jacqueline Coleman	D	LT Governor	KY
Colonial Pamela Stevenson	D	Attorney General	KY
Michael Bowman	D	State Treasurer	KY
Sierra J Enlow	D	Commissioner of Agriculture	KY
Kim Reeder	D	Auditor	KY
Ben Reno- Weber	D	Louisville Metro Council	18
Mason Trenaman	Bi-Partisan	Louisville Circuit Court Judge	KY
Buddy Wheatley	D	Secretary of State	KY

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SHOUT OUT

On Sunday, October 22, Members from UAW Local 2164 traveled to Kentucky Truck Plant UAW Local 862 to join them in solidarity for the Stand Up Strike.



VETERANS COMMITTEE

The Veterans Committee would like to honor and recognize all Veterans in the plant. Snacks will be served at lunchtime in the cafeteria on November 9 for both first and second shifts. Also, the Veterans Committee will again be marching in the Veterans Day Parade in downtown Bowling Green. We invite all Veterans to come walk with us or to ride on our float. The parade starts at 10 AM on November 11, 2023 with line-up time starting at 8:30 AM. Line-up location will be announced when information becomes available.

COMMUNITY SERVICES COMMITTEE

The Community Service Committee is looking for volunteers to participate in the Adopt-A-Highway road clean up on Saturday, November 4, 2023. We will be meeting at the Union Hall at 9:30 AM. Road cleanup will be on Louisville Rd between Plum Springs Loop and Dollar General near Scottys Way. Work is usually completed by noon. If you have any questions, please contact the Union Hall. We hope to see everyone on Saturday.



NEXT UNION MEETING- NOVEMBER 14, 2023 AT NOON AND 3:00 PM



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Retirement Planning

You are invited to attend:

Maximizing Social Security:

Transforming Social Security into a Winning Strategy!




In this workshop on Social Security Benefits, we will discuss:

- ✓ What role does Social Security play in your retirement?
- ✓ When should you begin taking Social Security?
- ✓ How do spousal benefits work?
- ✓ How does working during retirement affect your benefits?
- ✓ How can I maximize my benefits?

Where: UAW Local 2164 Union Hall (*Refreshments will be served*)
When: Monday, November 13th, 2023
Times: 1:00PM or 3:00PM
RSVP: Ted Macri @ (615) 786-9618 or ted.macri@ampf.com

Please remember to RSVP for this event. Spouse's are welcomed to attend!



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November

November 4th
Adopt-A-Highway
Community Service
Meet at the hall - 9:30am

Union
Meetings
November
14th

November 11th
Veterans Parade
Veterans Committee 10:00 am



December

Union
Meetings
December
12th

December 2nd
Christmas Parade
Downtown Bowling Green

December 3rd
Brunch with Santa
Noon till 2:00
at the Union Hall

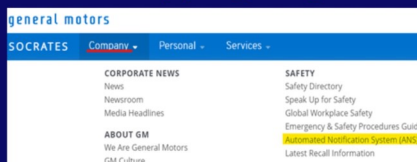
December 9th
Adult Christmas Party
6:00 till 11:00
at the Union Hall



Are you are not getting ANS Messages but use to?

- If your contact information changed go to the ANS site to update.
- NOTE: ANS DOES NOT USE THE WORKDAY INFORMATION**
- If nothing has changed but you stopped getting ANS Messages, please email ANSOffice@gm.com and include:

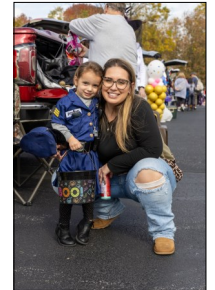
1. I am from BGA and have stopped getting ANS messages.
2. Your Name
3. GMIN



Don't forget to set your clocks back one hour on Sunday!

TRUNK OR TREAT

HOSTED BY THE RECREATION COMMITTEE



DONATIONS NEEDED

Trinity Baptist Church (200 Center St. in BG) will be hosting a Thanksgiving luncheon for the homeless on Saturday, November 11, 2023. The Lions Club will be coordinating with Trinity Baptist Church to provide needed items for the homeless. We are looking for donations of the following items:

- Gently Used or New Coats
- Gloves
- Hats/Toboggan Hats
- Scarves
- Socks
- Toothpaste
- Toothbrushes
- Feminine Hygiene Products
- Deodorant
- Water Bottles
- Blankets
- Umbrellas

These same items will continue to be collected throughout December-March and placed at the Warming Tree at Riverfront.

We look forward to working with you and appreciate any donations.

The Women's Committee
would like to thank
everyone who purchased
t-shirts in honor of
Breast Cancer
Awareness month



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