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MEETINGS 2021

November 30, 2020

TO: All Retired Workers International Area Council Chairs

RE: Drop-In Centers and Meetings Greetings:

As the persistent surge of COVID-19 cases increase throughout our country, hospitals near capacity and multiple state restrictions, we are requesting that all IAC meetings and events continue to be suspended and Drop-in Centers remain closed until April 15, 2021, due to these Coronavirus concerns.

I will communicate any adjustments or modifications to the above policy if encouraging changes occur with the status of the pandemic.

Rory L. Gamble, President

International Union, UAW

Drop-in Center

Phone: (727) 548-4380 or (727) 548-4319 Fax (727) 548-4380 Tuesday and Thursday <u>10:00 A.M. to 2:00 P.M.</u>

The Drop-in Center is presently closed. The answering machine will remain on, to instruct you where to call, if you need help.

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Dear Brothers and Sisters,

As documented on page one, and due to the on-going pandemic, UAW President, Rory L. Gamble, and the International Executive Board (IEB) made the decision to cancel all RWIAC monthly membership meetings and special events through April 15, 2021. Additionally, the Drop-in Centers will remain closed until then also. These decisions will be re-evaluated if changes occur with the status of the pandemic.

I hope all of you are staying safe, and planning to get the vaccine, when it's available. At this time our **earliest** date for a meeting would be in May, 2021. As you know, we never schedule summer meetings (June, July, August), so **realistically**, we will probably not be restarting until September, 2021. This has been a long, difficult year for everybody. I promise you this, whenever we start meeting again, we will make it a "special celebration".

*** Notice***

If you would like to be included in our "monthly meeting reminder" email, please email me at <u>davisrc11@aol.com</u>, and I will include you in our Florida Sun Coast list. This monthly email is sent in a "blind copy" mode. I respect your privacy, and I only mail monthly meeting reminders, updates, or official UAW announcements.

I urge all of you to get updated on your dues. It is necessary to fill out a new card to increase your dues from \$2 to \$3.

If you are not on payroll deduction, and pay your dues by check, you should mail them to the UAW Retired Workers Department, 8000 E. Jefferson Ave., Detroit, MI 48214.

Make the check payable to:

UAW Retired Workers Dues Fund

Stay safe! We'll get through this! God Bless you all!

In solidarity,

Ray Davis, Chairman

