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Executive Board Meeting Highlights

From the July 12, 2014, board meeting.

President

There have been no solid decisions made regarding AB60. Meeting scheduled with the Governor regarding the form DL44 update was cancelled and will be rescheduled. Previously community hearing held in Los Angeles and Oakland were ended too early and individuals travelling in to appear at the hearings filed complaints. Additionally hearings will be held in Los Angeles on July 28, 2014, and Oakland on July 29, 2014.

Issuance Unit has been remodeled, however their staff is still in the old HRB swing space as RSIU moved into their unit. However RSIU will be moving back to their original space followed by Issuance moving back to their original unit space. At that time, both Issuance and RSIU will be on VOIP.

DMV Day at Raley Field will be Saturday, August 16, 2014, against Oklahoma City RedHawks.

LOD and ROD are working diligently to update the medical records using new TTCs for CDL drivers as part of the CDLIS upgrade.

On July 9, 2014, Governor Brown announced the appointment of Sandra Zamaniego, DMV Labor Relations Officer to Senior Labor Relations Officer at CalHR.

Terry Price, Manager of Customer Communication Section will be retiring in October 2014.

Terry Maestas from LOD is having one of her retirement dinners on August 9, 2014.

Past President

Provided information regarding the upcoming elections that will be held for the offices of Secretary, Treasurer and Area Representatives. The final filing date for candidacy is August 16, 2014, ballots will be sent out to

all members on September 14, 2011, and must be returned no later than September 24, 2014. New elected board members will be announced at the conference on October 11, 2014.

George Torres and Odilia Villalazo will serve once again on the election committee.

Vice-President

Presented the Treasurer's Report with the exception of the Employee Assistance Fund.

Treasurer

Treasurer's Report presented by Bruce Brown, Vice-President in Gary's absence. No other reports available.

Consultants

These past few months have not visited any DMV field offices. Larry and Linda have been busy working on other personnel issues.

Salary compaction issue is still floating but hasn't gone anywhere.

Sandra Zamaniego, DMV's Labor Relations Officer, has accepted a position with CalHR.

Northern Area Rep

CDL/Diversity training classes are being held in Region I, in their efforts to prepare for AB60.

The new AKTE Test Screen machines are being tested in Region I

There are currently two vacant Office Manager positions in Region I (Colusa/Truckee). Additionally, there are many rank/file vacancies due to retirements and upward mobility.

The Oroville Field Office will be opened on August 11, 2014.

Headquarters' Area Rep

The final re-organization has been finalized there are no longer RPU's. Consolidation created two new units. Registration Suspense Processing Unit, Specialized Registration Processing Unit, Credit Card and Refund Unit.

Evelyn Carr is retiring in September 30, 2014. Retirement Party at the Dante' Club on September 10th. Data Entry Manager, Paula Keith, Retired, interviews to fill her position have been conducted.

Pilot program training was developed by UCD for ROD on coaching employees. (This is not the same as mentoring employees)

There are several vacancies within ROD (Data Entry, RSSU, Manager V, Manager IV RAD).

SNF/Coastal Area Representative

No report available

Central Area Rep

Received new machines for AKTE and issues are being work on. These Touch Screen machines will be roll out to 33 field offices.

CDL/Diversity training must be completed by all offices by 12/31/2014.

Carol Rozeira, Manager III, from Manteca will be retiring on August 1, 2014.

Los Angeles Area Rep

Region V is working on the preparations to open the Lompoc, and LA, Driver License Processing Center (DLPC). The LA DLPC will be located in the Granada Hills. AB60 "hiring team" assembled and in the process of hiring new employees to staff the DLPCs. Velma Edmond is the team lead.

An Office Managers meeting is scheduled on July 23, 2014 to discuss strategies and CDL/Sensitivity training for AB60.

During August 2014, AKTE roll out with Touch Screens should be completed.

Attended a second leadership class for mid managers and highly recommends this class.

Congratulations to Merri Nakaba, she has been promoted to Manager V of the LA DLPC.

Manager of Lompoc DLPC has not yet been named/announced.

Manager IV (Office Manager) of Oxnard Field Office is vacant.

Southern Area Representative

Onslaught of vacancies throughout Region VIII

The following list of vacancies exit in the management classifications:

San Diego Normal, Manager V

San Marcos, Manager IV

San Marcos, Manager III

Temecula, Manager II

Oceanside, Manager III

Oceanside, Manager IV (not vacant/advertised. Office Manager retires 7/31/2014)

East Riverside, Manager IV

San Bernardino, Manager IV (vacant – not yet advertised)

*"Sing like no one is listening
Love like you've never been hurt
Dance like nobody is watching
And live like it's heaven on earth"
Mark Twain*

MVMSA Membership – What Do You Get?

Membership in a fantastic organization which has great members. Ask your co-workers who are managers and supervisors to see how many are MVMSA members. We are continuing to recruit and working to make MVMSA better for all.

MVMSA Area Representatives and Board Members are always available and ready to assist with your member or departmental needs. Throughout the history of the association, member's needs and issues have always been the number one priority of your elected representatives.

Access to MVMSA's Mentor Program. The program is designed to assist interested members with direction and information on Manager or Supervisor performance criteria, career building and promotional opportunities within the department.

Access to information affecting membership and departmental issues. Area Representatives and Executive Board Members are well trained and connected to advise members or assist with problem resolution in departmental, career, or personal areas.

Free Term Life Insurance Policy. With your membership, you are automatically enrolled for \$10,000 term-life coverage.

Member Benefit Discounts!

- Discount to Gilroy Gardens Family Theme Park ~ (New June 2012).

To access discounted tickets log onto website www.gilroygardens.org and at the bottom of the webpage (Corporate Partner Tickets) it will ask for your company ID. Insert MVMSA and it will direct you to the discounted ticket page where you can purchase and print your tickets from your computer.

- Discount coupon book for Folsom Premium Outlets
- Pier 39 Fun Pack (discounts galore!)
- Discount to Sea World (San Diego)
- Discount to Pirate's Dinner Adventure in Buena Park
- Discount to Medieval Times Dinner & Tournament in Buena Park

Discount tickets from Bodies the Exhibition (www.BuenaParkExhibitionns.com), and Titanic the Experience

- Discount Admission to the Alpine Club (Palm Springs Aerial Tramway)
- Discount on vehicle rental from Hertz
- Discount for paint and products at Kelly-Moore Paints
- Discount on admission to Universal Studios (Orlando-Hollywood-Spain-Japan)
- Discount on admission to Ripley's Believe It Or Not (San Francisco & Hollywood)

- Discount to the Los Angeles Zoo
- Discount admission to the Monterey Bay Aquarium
- Discount to Roaring Camp Railroads

Discounted Movie Ticket Sales. Discount tickets for the Regal Entertainment Group (Regal Cinemas, Edwards Theatres, and United Artists Theatres). No "first run" restrictions, no black-out dates. Tickets are \$8.00 each, purchased direct from MVMSA through Cory Keaulana.

Regional (Area) Association Meetings. Meetings held in your area to provide timely information regarding issues which are important to us as supervisors, managers, and members. All managers and supervisors are welcome. Members are entitled to reduced rates for meals or lodging, when the event includes those activities.

Advocacy and Advisement. Hughes Svetich Associates (HSA) has over 37 years of experience in labor relations and related activities in the public sector. They will provide the following benefits to our members: "Meet and Confer" and representational support on behalf of our members with the State; organization and member representation in grievances, disciplinary appeals and other work-related claims and appeals; member and leadership education and training on different phases of adverse actions.

AFLAC Cancer Insurance. Cancer insurance coverage is available to our members and their families at very reasonable group rates. Rates vary depending on coverage selected, etc. Convenient monthly payroll deduction.

Annual Conference for current and retired members. The MVMSA Annual Conference is held in different locations within the state, typically on a rotational basis between northern, central and southern parts of the state. The conference is held to provide training, social functions, and information sessions for current and retired members. Conferences typically include participation by the DMV Director, Deputy Directors, project leaders and/or outside specialists.

Fun, Entertainment, and Educational.

