

Field Coordinator Expenses QRTR 4 2017

Payroll:	
04/26/2017	\$1979.17
05/12/2017	\$1979.17
05/24/2017	\$1979.17
06/07/2017	\$1979.17
Total:	\$7916.68

Field Coordinator QRTR 4 2017 Progress Report

Julia continued to attend the regular chapter meetings and formalized relationships with the leaders of the organization. We've gathered information from the five chapters on affiliated unions and locals, and have begun outreach to introduce the Great River in hopes to have full delegate representation at the chapter meetings, or to at least bring in new affiliates down the road. Julia and a few other leaders met with SMART 445 to begin formulating a relationship into the Labor Council and have begun working with UAW.

The Great River Constitution was approved and Julia completed the Annual Report, and made sure all documents were filed and reported on time. This took extensive resources as to make sure all board members completed their designated tasks.

Many events took place in the Great River region including but not limited to Stewards' Class, Workers' Rights in Crisis workshop, Workers' Memorial Day, and other community meetings focusing on the contract negotiations after the devastating attack on lowans over the 2017 general session. More classes are being offered in the coming months, mainly focusing on candidate recruitment and preparing for school board and municipal elections. Julia is directly involved in making sure unions and locals participate and to engage members of the community.

In the immediate future, Julia will spend time submitting the Solidarity Grant to ensure the grant funds for the next year. She will also work on the Great River Retreat that is coming up October 7th, in addition to the many events that will arise. As contingent in the Great River constitution, Julia has been maintaining the website and compiles all agenda items for meetings.

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