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The President's Report

Each May, Columbia Typographical Union 101-12 pauses to honor our members who have passed away in the previous year, reflecting on their years of commitment and contributions to our Union.

GOVERNMENT PUBLISHING OFFICE

Wage Negotiations and Recent Contract Actions

Wage Negotiations

Bargaining unit employees did not receive the 1% raise provided to GS employees at the start of the first pay period for the 2026 calendar year, as contract negotiations are currently ongoing. Our goal is to secure enhanced wage terms through these discussions, and we will share an update once a final agreement is reached. Union membership offers valuable opportunities to remain informed and actively participate in negotiations that impact compensation, working conditions, and your future.

Contract Enforcement

We have successfully resolved a grievance that ensured management adhered to the established transfer and vacancy system, thereby preventing out-of-order employee assignments. This outcome underscores the strength and integrity of our contract, which has safeguarded employee rights for over 150 years. Union members will receive further information regarding this decision in an upcoming newsletter sent to their personal email addresses. If you are interested in becoming more actively engaged or joining the union, your participation is

highly valued. Employees at all levels are encouraged to contribute to protecting our contract and promoting improved working conditions. For further information regarding membership, please contact your shift chairman listed below or email the Local at LocalCTU10112@gmail.com.

Shift Chairmen

1st Shift Proofroom: Shawn Moore.
1st Shift Keyboard: Kevin McGill.
2nd Shift Proofroom: Nate Sample.
2nd/3rd Shift Keyboard: Jacqueline Duval-Jackson.
3rd Shift Proofroom: Mary Stanfield.
Capitol Hill: Wanda Green.
Chairmen's Chapel Chairman: Lawrence Sibiski.
Chairmen's Chapel Secretary: Reggie Scott.

CTU 101-12 / CWA LOCAL 14200 WEB SITE

<https://cwad2-13.org/14200>



The Local respectfully reminds members who are unable to attend meetings to visit the CTU 101-12 webpage via the provided address or by scanning the QR code above. The site contains Bulletins from previous months as well as minutes from earlier meetings for your reference.

Fraternally, Michael Maher,

President



REMEMBER UNION STARTS WITH YOU

In Memoriam

The following is dedicated to those members of
Columbia Typographical Union, No. 101-12
who passed away during 2025

James Bender (83)
Lewes, DE

Dale Cooney (88)
Berlin, MD

Frederick K. Doering (85)
Severn, MD

David Hoffmaster (93)
La Plata, MD

George W. Jones (84)
Bowie, MD

Reginal J. Kalinowski (84)
Arnold, MD

Gerald R. King (90)
Tampa, FL

Margart Jean Williams (95)
Westminster, MD

"Gone But Not Forgotten"

Contributions to the General Fund since last Bulletin

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| Clifton Atkinson | \$13.00 | Harry Duckworth..... | 12.00 | George Rutledge | 26.00 |
| John Beary | 48.00 | Donald Finch..... | 50.00 | Larry Stickler | 13.00 |
| Edward Blackwell | 20.00 | Charles Fleet..... | 13.00 | Richard Threlfall | 38.00 |
| Patrica Bridges | | Kenneth Gaddy..... | 6.00 | Terrence Truman..... | 38.00 |
| <i>In memory of:</i> | | Larry Hoffman | 26.00 | Ronald Turley | 38.00 |
| <i>Jeffrey J. Bridges.....</i> | 50.00 | Richard Jedlicka | 8.00 | James Wainwright..... | 8.00 |
| James Caddell | 6.00 | James Lafferty | 13.00 | Joseph Weidner | 8.00 |
| Michael Childs..... | 8.00 | Richard Moore | 13.00 | | |
| Quentin Cleveland | 38.00 | Robert Petersen..... | 100.00 | | |
| Thomas Coulston | 30.00 | Edward Platz | 20.00 | | |
| Joseph Deremer | 15.00 | Darius Prather..... | 38.00 | | |
| George Dittmer..... | 8.00 | Thomas Richardson | 78.00 | | |
| Michael Divver | 26.00 | Robert Rowles | 38.00 | | |

To All Our Members

The Chairmen's Chapel Officers feel that we should publish a list of "**Do's**" for your information.

It is our hope that all Members will follow them and in so doing you will strength the position of all our Chairmen. Through this show of unity your individual Chairmen will be better equipped to deal with all matters in your Chapel.

DO carry out all orders given to you by those in charge of your section. The names of those in charge are posted in your section. If you are dissatisfied with any order consult your Chairman immediately.

DO consult your Foreman in all matters concerning leave (annual, sick, etc.). If you feel you are being treated unfairly in these matters notify your Chairman immediately.

DO obey all office rules to the best of your ability. If you do not understand any rule or you feel a rule is unjust, consult your Chairman. NEVER consult your Foreman in these matters.

DO use your Chapel meetings to let your Brother and Sister members know of any ill treatment you may have experienced and support your Chairman in his/her efforts to do away with these practices.

REMEMBER! It may be you tomorrow.

DO maintain your cool, as getting hot weakens your position.

DO consult only with your Chairman on all matters relating to priority details and overtime.

Columbia Typographical Union 101-12 needs your help in locating the following members. If you have any information about any of these members or their families, please call the local at (202) 362-9413 or send an e-mail to: LocalCTU10112@gmail.com

Richard Anderson

David Cowan

John Haigwood

Francis Langlais

Dennis Legler

Joseph McCulloch

William Mills

Ronald Voss

Jay Wolfson

Regular Union Meeting Saturday, May 16th, 9 a.m.

Graphic Communications International Union Local 285
1738 Elton Road, Suite 210 — Silver Spring, MD 20903

New Members

Steven John Corbett

Melissa Mae Sibiski

Government Publishing Office

Heather R. Slifer

Free State Printing

CONTINUOUS UNION MEMBERSHIP CERTIFICATES

The Local is pleased to recognize members who have achieved 25, 40, 50, 60, 70, or more years of continuous union membership by awarding certificates. To facilitate an efficient issuance process, members are kindly requested to provide their union membership details to the Local. Please submit this information either via U.S. mail or by email at: LocalCTU10112@gmail.com



Bargaining Units & Union Stewards

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| Chadick & Kimball Graphic Designs | Government Publishing Office <i>Chairman of Chairman's Chapel</i> |
| Chesapeake Typesetting | Lawrence Sibiski |
| Chuck's Printing and Blueline Services | <i>Secretary of Chairman's Chapel</i> Reggie Scott |
| Creative Print Services | Capitol Hill: Wanda Green |
| CWA Print Shop | EPD Keyboard I: Kevin McGill |
| Doyle Printing | EPD Keyboard II & III: |
| Evans Design | Jackie Duval-Jackson |
| Free State Printing | EPD Proof I: Shawn Moore |
| GO! Creative | EPD Proof II: Nate Sample |
| Kenefick Communications | EPD Proof III: Mary Stanfield |
| Lord Industries | |
| Precision Printing & Embroidery, LLC | |

Attention Retirees . . .

As part of the Local's ongoing initiative to manage expenses efficiently, membership cards for retired members will be distributed together with the *Bulletin*. If you do not receive your 2026 membership card, please notify the Local promptly.

Depending on what type of membership you selected for retirement, your 2026 Union dues are:

\$12.00 – Local Membership

or

\$24.00 – Full CWA Membership

Please detach the adjacent form and mail along with your check payable to:

Columbia Typographical Union 101-12

or

CTU 101-12

4626 Wisconsin Avenue, N.W., Suite 200

Washington, D.C. 20016-4625

All voluntary contributions will be listed in the Local *Bulletin* each month.

If you desire **not** to be listed, please let us know.

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Michael Maher, *President*

Dolores Slack, *Vice President*

John Mogavero, *Secretary-Treasurer*

Office Hours: 11 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Regular Union Meetings: 3rd Saturday, 9:00 a.m.

January, May, September, November

\$12.00 Local/Sector Membership ... \$ _____

\$24.00 Full CWA Membership \$ _____

Additional Contributions

General Fund \$ _____

Additional Donation \$ _____

Total \$ _____

Name _____

Address _____

Phone Number _____