



CSEA 9200 News June 23, 2017



June 12, 2017 [Unions Come into the Supreme Court Crosshairs, Again](#)

Unions again have a reason to be nervous. Having already determined that the issue in the case warrants the court's attention, the justices will probably agree to hear it. And if Justice Gorsuch votes with the court's more conservative members, which seems likely,

millions of government workers in more than 20 states could be allowed to opt out of paying for collective bargaining, depriving unions of vast sums of money and making them less powerful and effective. Unions without staff, legal counsel, and organizers are weaker.



Notice of Westchester Putnam Labor Body annual Labor Picnic

August 27, 2017 - Ridge Road Park
Hartsdale NY

11 – 4 pm - Free to CSEA 9200 Members
(and Teamster members also)

[Click Here](#) *see attached pdf file*



Labor History: May 26 1937 [This year is the 80th anniversary of The Battle of the Overpass.](#)

The United Auto Workers president Walter Reuther and union members were attacked, bloodied, and injured by hired Pinkerton private security guards from Ford Motor Co. as they tried to hand out union leaflets to workers at the Ford factory in Michigan. Front page photos of the beatings appeared in all newspapers and

the popularity of unions grew strongly.



Have you recently moved? Or did you move several years ago?

Did you move to another home address?

Please inform both your

department and your union.

If you wish to vote when CSEA 9200 reaches

an agreement on a new Collective

Bargaining Agreement (our contract)

we need to know your correct home

address. *The CSEA union office has a*

green information update form. Visit or

call the office at (914) 995-2151 to get the form. Fill it out completely and send or deliver it to the CSEA 9200 union office to insure you are included in the contract vote.



Are you Registered to Vote in political elections? Your Vote Counts! See the attached voter registration form. Print and fill out that form or call or visit the Westchester Board of Elections to complete and sign one of their forms. The Board of Elections is at (914) 995-5700. [Here is the link to register.](#) You will be registered to vote in the November 7, 2017 election if you register before Oct 13, 2017. The CSEA 9200 office also has forms if you want one. Call us at 914-995-2151 to get one. This is also

important if you moved or changed your name with marriage or divorce. Re-registration is required to vote with your correct name and address.



CSEA Union Contract Benefit: Our CSEA Collective Bargaining Agreement (CBA) provides a Tuition Reimbursement for our members who enroll and complete accredited college courses. This benefit is on page 26 of our CBA. For 2016 college year course expenses, 50 CSEA members applied and were approved for reimbursement. The tuition reimbursement amounts were issued on June 16, 2017. The Joint Union/County Committee on Education and Tuition is composed of CSEA, Teamster, Administration and

Human Resources employees. Your CSEA union will continue to defend this worthwhile benefit in our contract !



CSEA Unit 9200 Leadership Election Results from the American Arbitration Association (AAA). The votes were counted June 13, 2017 at 120 Broadway, New York NY by AAA staff.

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Karen Pecora has been elected President of CSEA Unit 9200 for the new 4-year term starting July 1, 2017.

Other than for the office of President, all other *Fair Contract Now* slate candidates were elected.

1,406 ballot envelopes were mailed back to AAA for this election; three ballot envelopes were deemed invalid and not opened.

See the attached 2 page pdf document from AAA.

Albany insiders are planning a taxpayer-funded party



to take away your rights, and you're not invited.

Lastly; another reminder to VOTE NO on the Constitutional Convention proposal that will be on the Nov 7, 2017 Election Day ballot. See the attached pdf file from our friends in the NYS AFL-CIO regarding the ConCon party. Please remind all your family members to vote NO also. Too much will be in jeopardy if a convention is held to open the NY State constitution. Our future pension, union rights, injured worker benefits, prevailing wage provisions in construction contracts and other important labor issues would be in jeopardy of being removed should this proposal get passed. Vote NO simply to protect your pension. <http://nysaflcio.org/noconcon/>