



Member Update

Article 24, 32, and 34 (BWS & Annual Leave MOU) Online Training Information

Sisters and Brothers,

We will be hosting an online training session on Articles 24, 32, and 34 for all Principal Facility Representatives and their negotiating teams covered by the Slate Book. The training will be conducted via Zoom and is scheduled by region for the dates and times listed below.

Please join us for one of the following training sessions (*note the time zones):

Alaskan, Northwest Mountain, and Western Pacific Regions

Tuesday, August 12; 12:30-2:30 p.m. PDT

Great Lakes, Central, and Southwest Regions

Wednesday, August 13; 2:30-4:30 p.m. CDT

New England, Eastern, and Southern Regions

Thursday, August 14; 3:30-5:30 p.m. EDT

**NOTE: We ask that you try to participate in the Zoom call for your region. However, if due to leave or other scheduling conflict you cannot, please join one of the other calls identified above.*

The training session will demonstrate and educate on the step-by-step process of building a Basic Watch Schedule (BWS) and Annual Leave agreements for your facility utilizing the provisions of the Slate Book. Specifically, the training will prepare for local negotiations by walking you through detailed examples. The goal of the training is to provide you with a practical understanding of Articles 24, 32, and 34 at the local level so you can efficiently and effectively collaborate/negotiate the agreements associated with these articles.

After registering, you will receive a confirmation email containing information about joining the webinar. If you cannot attend the webinar you registered for, you may go back and sign up for another date at any time prior to the training session.

****NOTE:** We have a limited number of lines available, so please do not distribute the meeting information beyond your E-Board and/or negotiating team.

It is suggested that you log in at least 10 minutes prior to the start time of the training in order to ensure your participation. We will reference the [Slate Book](#) so please make sure to have a copy with you during the training. We will also reference the joint guidance for Articles 24, 32, and 34, as well as the joint templates and associated instructions for these articles. These materials can be found at the links below for your convenience.

Joint Guidance

[Article 24](#)

[Article 34](#)

Instruction Sheet

[Article 24](#)

[Articles 32/34](#)

Templates

[Article 24](#)

[Article 32/34](#)

Thank you for your participation.

If you have any questions, please contact [Jamaal Haltom](#) or [John Bratcher](#).

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