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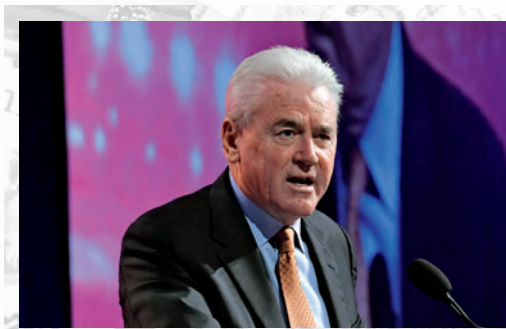
Legislative and Political Committee



Credentials Committee



Local 306 President June Harris welcomes attendees to Chicago



LIUNA General President Terry O'Sullivan delivers inspirational keynote speech



John Hegarty, National President Emeritus receives NPMHU memento from President Hogrogian



Local 310 President Pervous (Andy B.) Badilishamwalimu gives report on the Credentials Committee



LIUNA General Executive Board Member Terry Healy welcomes the NPMHU to Chicago

thanked all of LIUNA's attendees for showing their support, and pointed out that at present the NPMHU and LIUNA are working together better than ever before.

The Convention Parliamentarian Kirk Overbey was introduced next, followed by General Counsel Bruce Lerner. These experts serve as valuable resources during Convention week, fielding questions about convention proceedings or proposed amendments and resolutions.

After a quick break, U.S. Representative David Joyce addressed the crowd. A Republican Congressman from Ohio, Joyce has been a fierce advocate for postal reform and against privatization. He shared a little of his personal experience, and then delved into his praise of the Postal Service and its Mail Handler craft.

"You are the unsung heroes of the Postal Service," he said to warm applause. "I know you are the backbone of the system. Five hundred and nine million pieces of mail [processed] per day. That's incredible."

Monday's keynote speaker was LIUNA General President Terry O'Sullivan. His speech primarily consisted of praise for the Mail Handler craft, as well as a strongly worded political endorsement in this year's upcoming National elections.

"If it's a fight you want with the Mail Handlers, it's a goddamn war you'll get with LIUNA," O'Sullivan bellowed to a standing ovation. "Your LIUNA brothers and sisters are proud as hell of you."

O'Sullivan claimed that LIUNA's endorsement of Democratic Presidential candidate Hillary Clinton

came easily – not only is she "a staunch defender of the right to organize," she is an extremely qualified candidate for President. He also noted that Secretary Clinton happens to be running against a volatile opponent, one who is dangerous, unqualified, and wholly anti-Union. "I say Trump is a chump," said O'Sullivan. "It's time, with all due respect, to cut the bull; damn, it's time to elect Hillary."

President Hogrogian presented President O'Sullivan with "yet another empty wooden box," the gift of choice for all guest speakers. He