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NDPEA 48th Annual Delegate Assembly
September 20-22, Doublewood Inn, Bismarck, ND

Friday, September 21, 2012

- 8:00 a.m. **Registration** – Assembly Foyer
 Continental Breakfast – Assembly Hall
- 9:00 a.m. **First General Session** – Assembly Hall
- **Call to Order** – Gary Feist, NDPEA State President
 - **Color Guard** – Amvets Community Honor Guard
 - **Pledge of Allegiance** – Amvets Community Honor Guard
 - **Invocation** – Pastor Craig Schweitzer, Good Shepard Lutheran Church
 - **Welcome** – Gary Feist
 - **Greetings from Host City** – Josh Askvig, Bismarck City Commission
 - **Greetings from Missouri Slope Central Labor Council** – Renee Pfenning, President
 - **Appointment of Tellers, Timekeepers, Parliamentarian and Sergeant of Arms**
 - **Credentials Report** – Henry Riegler, NDPEA Board Member
 - **Adoption of Standing Rules** – Shirley Rux, NDPEA State Vice – President
 - **Approval of Agenda** – Gary Feist
 - **Minutes of the 47th Annual Delegate Assembly** – Carrie Smith, NDPEA State Secretary
 - **2011-12 Annual Audit Report** – Marella Krein, NDPEA State Treasurer
 - **2012 Resolution Assignments** – (Assignment of Resolutions to Committees)

- 9:30 a.m. **The Hay Study** – Laurie Steriotti-Hammeren, Director, State of North Dakota Human Resource Management Services
- 10:30 a.m. **Break**
- 10:45 a.m. **State Employee Compensation Commission** – Gary Feist
- 11:15 a.m. **The Federal Budget and Sequestration** – Jennifer Porcari, Associate Director – AFT Public Employees Division
- 12:00 p.m. **Lunch** – Judicial Room
- 1:15 p.m. **2011 Resolutions Review** – Shirley Rux
Late Resolutions Deadline
Committee Assignments
(Assignments of Delegates to Committees)
- 2:00 p.m. **North Dakota University System Update** – H. A. Shirvani, PhD, University System Chancellor
- 2:30 p.m. **Issue Based Organizing** – Eric Borlaug – Lead Organizer, NDPEA
- 3:00 p.m. **Break**
- 3:45 p.m. **Resolution Committee Work:**
Committee A: - Senate
Committee B: - Chamber/Congress
- 4:00 p.m. **2011 NDPEA Voting Record** – Stuart Savelkoul, NDPEA Executive Director
- 4:30 p.m. **Unity Talks** – Gary Feist



Friday Evening

6:00 p.m. **Social – Cash Bar** – *Judicial Room*
6:15 p.m. **Entertainment** – *Music by Mike Swenson*
7:00 p.m. **Banquet** – *Judicial Room*
Invocation – *Rev. Wade Schemmel, Conference Minister for Northern Plains Council of United Church of Christ*
Keynote: – *Gary Granzotto, President, North Dakota AFL-CIO*
Employee of the Year

Saturday, September 22, 2012

8:15 a.m. **Breakfast** – *Judicial Room*
9:00 a.m. **Second General Session** – *Judicial Room*
---**Credentials Report**---
9:15 a.m. **Chapter Reports**
9:30 a.m. **Resolutions Reports** – *Committee Chairs*
Swearing in – **New Board Members**
9:45 a.m. **Remarks** – *Dakota Draper, President, North Dakota Education Association*
10:00 a.m. **COPE and Legislative Update** – *Stuart Savelkoul*
10:45 a.m. **COPE Raffle Drawings**
Adjournment

Board of Directors Meeting will follow immediately after adjournment

Have a Safe Trip Home!

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