

Present: Al, Dave, Doug, Maceo, Mary, Olga, Paul, Peter

1. Shop

Al reported discussions of shop coordinating committee regarding commercial sales and shop staff needs. Commercial sales as well as general responsibilities are higher this fall than had been anticipated. Agreed with coordinating committee proposal that shop comrades work one or two Saturdays during next two months until staff can be increased. Decided that high priority should be given to getting the necessary personnel for the staff soon.

Also discussed nationally assigned comrades' participation in N.Y.-Northern N.J. educational campaign. Agreed to have further discussion with district leadership about trying to schedule classes at times nationally assigned comrades can participate.

2. Personnel

Maceo reported.

- a. Tony Austin will be taking assignment in shop beginning October 8.

3. Branches

Discussed personnel needs and general situation in Indianapolis, Cleveland, St. Louis, San Antonio, Salt Lake City.

Propose to discuss at next OC meeting schedule for comrades taking trips to several branches to have discussions with branch leaderships.

4. Cuba Demonstration

Peter reported on scheduled pro-Cuba demonstration at UN October 5 and anti-Castro demonstration on same afternoon nearby. Proposed Maceo discuss with district leadership nationally assigned comrades' participation.

Meeting adjourned.