



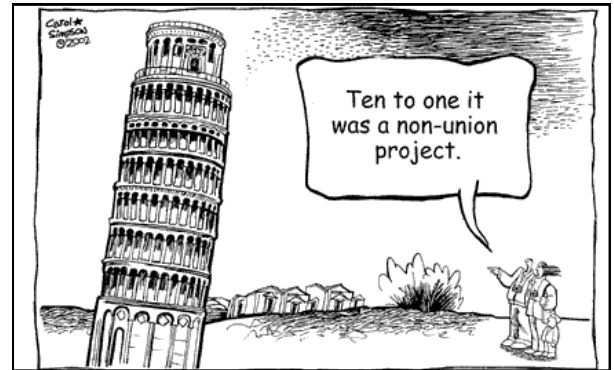
# NEWS AND NOTES

From the desk of President David A. Cook

KEEPING YOU INFORMED

FEBRUARY, 2017

Under our new **emPOWER** program, any Local 655 member that brings an organizing lead for a non-Union shop will be entered in to a monthly drawing of **\$400!** Contact Billy Myers at 636.736.2726 or Union Representative Nikki Rich at 636.736.2772



Find us on Twitter! We're @UFCW655! Don't miss out on anything!

UFCW Local 655 @UFCW655 - Jan 25  
We were happy to join our brothers and sisters in Machinists District No. 9 who are striking against American Pulverizer. Solidarity!

UFCW Local 655 @UFCW655 - Jan 24  
ATTENTION: Today only! Governor Greitens is taking a phone poll about Right-to-Work! Dial 1-573-751-3222. All you... [fb.me/7sHKOfBmE](https://fb.me/7sHKOfBmE)

UFCW Local 655 @UFCW655 - Jan 24  
Missouri created more jobs in the last year than #RTW neighbors KY, IA, AR, COMBINED. Are you hearing that, #moleg?

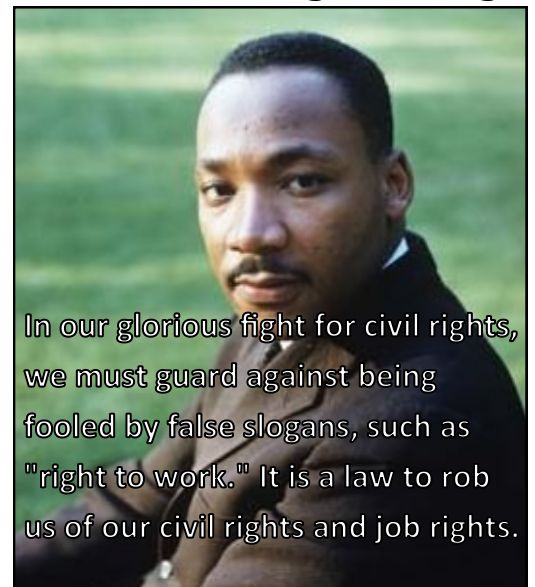
**Local 655 Members at Straubs have ratified a new 3-year contract! Congratulations!**



Follow us at Facebook.com/UFCW655!



## Remembering Dr. King



In our glorious fight for civil rights, we must guard against being fooled by false slogans, such as "right to work." It is a law to rob us of our civil rights and job rights.

## We want to celebrate your retirement!

If you or someone you know is retiring please let us know so we can celebrate your special day with you! Call 636-394-6500. Thanks to all of our retirees for their years of service!



## Join our **Active Ballot Club!**



**Did you know:** If you sign up to donate \$1 per week or more to **ABC**, you're automatically entered into a monthly drawing with UFCW International?

**Local 655 Member Scottie Edwards of Schnucks won \$250** in the December drawing. You can enter in for your own chance to win!

You and your family deserve a better life. Every dollar you donate to **ABC** helps UFCW members enjoy a better life.

Contact your Union Representative to sign up for **ABC** and get entered in for a chance to win!



## STOP RIGHT-TO-WORK!

We need your help to put a stop to Right-to-Work in Missouri! Visit our website ([ufcw655.org](http://ufcw655.org)) for information about how you can get involved. Contact your Union Rep if you'd like to join us in the state capitol to talk to lawmakers.

**"RIGHT  
TO WORK" IS  
WRONG**



**Surveys are coming! Keep an eye out for new, regular surveys from us. We want to hear from YOU!**

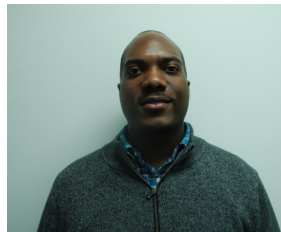
### CHANGING TERRITORIES, NEW UNION REPS!

Your Union Rep may be changing! Local 655 is redrawing servicing territories as February begins. Be on the lookout for a new Union Rep, and give us a call if you have any questions about your new Rep!

**Find us online at  
[ufcw655.org](http://ufcw655.org)!**

### David Williams Joins Staff

David Williams has joined Local 655 as a new Union Representative! The entire staff of Local 655 is excited to welcome him!



## Congratulations to our Education Grant Winners!

**Jack Selsor — Schnucks**  
**Joshlyn Davis — Schnucks**  
**LaRetha Johnson — Straubs**  
**Genesia Clay — Schnucks**  
**Samantha Schaefer — Schnucks**  
**Drew Foster — Dierbergs**  
**Kayla Dundon — Schnucks**  
**Kivonna Brand — Dierbergs**  
**Tytiona Midgett — Shop 'n Save**  
**Nijane Davis — Shop 'n Save**  
**Marisha Scott — Shop 'n Save**  
**Sarah Lance — Schnucks**  
**Ashley Johnson — Dierbergs**  
**Paige Hargiss — Dierbergs**  
**Joseph Stamburski — Schnucks**  
**Justice Hall — Schnucks**  
**Kate Hausner — Schnucks**  
**Tabarak Al-Gebory — Dierbergs**

We awarded 20 Education Grants in January! You can apply any time! Just ask your Union Rep or find the form online at [www.ufcw655.org/educational-grantsscholarships/](http://www.ufcw655.org/educational-grantsscholarships/)

### Get the most from your UFCW membership!

Members of UFCW get benefits like **cheaper movie tickets** and **low-cost cell phone plans**.

Visit [Ufcw655.org/](http://Ufcw655.org/) to learn how.



**Text Join to  
738-674 for  
the fastest  
updates!**

### UFCW LOCAL 655 UNION MEETINGS

**Monthly Meetings:** 4th Tuesday of each month 9:00 a.m. & 7:00 p.m.  
**New Member Meetings:** 4th Tuesday of each month 10:00 a.m. & 6:00 p.m.  
**Union Hall:** 300 Weidman Rd., Ballwin, MO 63011

