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ELECTIONS COMMITTEE REPORT

by UUP Elections & Credentials Committee
David Kreh (Cortland), Chair

The following are the results of balloting for the Oneonta UUP Chapter Offices. Terms run from June 1, 1997 to May 31, 1999. Winners of specific officer races are indicated by an asterisk. Runnersup for Delegate positions serve in rank order as Alternate Delegates to the UUP Delegate Assembly.

PRESIDENT and DELEGATE (ACADEMIC):

Edward R. Wesnofske*	106
Robert D. Moynihan	20
Fred R. Miller	1
Francis L. O'Mara, Jr.	1
Lorraine L. Tyler	1

VICE-PRESIDENT FOR ACADEMIC EMPLOYEES and DELEGATE (ACADEMIC):

William M. Simons*	76
William S. Benedict	1
John J. Carney, Jr.	1
Fred R. Miller	1
Richard K. Staley	1

VICE-PRESIDENT FOR PROFESSIONAL EMPLOYEES and DELEGATE (PROFESSIONAL):

Frederick J. Bucalos*	28
Diane W. Davidson	1
Richard G. Meyer	1
Norman E. Payne	1

SECRETARY:

Paul M. Jensen*	124
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TREASURER:

Mona Lee Hughes*	124
Lorraine L. Tyler	1

PROFESSIONAL DELEGATE (currently 1):

Norman E. Payne*	30
Thomas A. Demeo	3
Richard G. Meyer	1
Karen Ann Brown	1

ACADEMIC DELEGATES (currently 2):

Fred R. Miller*	58
Christine E. Bulson*	57
William S. Benedict	50
José F. Betancourt	48
Robert D. Moynihan	36
John J. Carney, Jr.	36
Joseph C. Baldwin	35
Richard F. Tyler	2
Lorraine L. Tyler	2
Richard K. Staley	1

CHAPTER DELEGATES TO ANNUAL NYSUT CONVENTIONS:

Fred R. Miller*	86
William S. Benedict*	74
John J. Carney, Jr.	61

CHAPTER DELEGATES TO BIENNIAL AFT CONVENTION:

Fred R. Miller*	52
John J. Carney, Jr.	30
William S. Benedict	28

7 invalidated mail ballots

UUP SPRING PARTY REMINDER

The end of the semester celebration will be held at the Autumn Cafe on Main Street, Oneonta on Monday, May 5th at 7:00 PM. All UUP represented bargaining unit persons are invited. Food and soft beverages will be provided by UUP. The Autumn Cafe's wine and beer choices will be available at 1/2 price.

President Bill Sheuerman may put in an appearance if he can schedule it according to an e-mail we received April 30th. A short business meeting will begin at 6:30 and information on chapter finances, negotiations, legislation and budget issues will be available.

SAVING THE MEADOWS: YOU CAN HELP!

Due to the aging condition of our County Nursing Home, The Meadows, our County Board of Representatives is looking at privatizing the facility's operations. We are a group of concerned community activists that think this is a bad idea, and have organized against this move, for the following reasons:

- Privatization would mean a loss of direct control over availability of beds for community residents and the quality of care provided at the home;
- Privatization could mean the loss of jobs or benefits to the current facility's workers;
- We feel that the County has a moral obligation to continue the excellent levels of care that residents are now provided;
- For the past three years, The Meadows has operated self-sufficiently and without subsidy from our tax dollars; and
- The costs to build a new energy-efficient facility to replace the current one would be minimal to taxpayers and well worth the investment in our community.

Please Join Us and Help Save The Meadows!

The Coalition to Keep Public Health Care Public

for further information or to join us, please call 1-800-339-0839

please sign below and return to: PO Box 14, Hartwick, NY 13348

YES! I am willing to join the COALITION TO KEEP PUBLIC HEALTH CARE PUBLIC!

I believe in the coalition's goal of keeping our Otsego County Nursing Home, The Meadows, publicly owned and operated.

I believe that Otsego County has a moral obligation and must continue providing quality senior care to County residents, regardless of their ability to pay, and that the County should pursue the building of a new facility to better meet our needs for the future.

By signing this document, I agree to officially join the Coalition, and to allow my name or organization's name to be used on official Coalition correspondence. I further agree that I will attend future Coalition meetings and do all I can to further the Coalition's goals, as outlined above.

Name (print) _____

Title _____

Organization _____

Daytime Phone # _____

Address _____

Signature _____

Date _____

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