

How to Participate

Here are ways to participate in your union:

Worksite Stewards



are Local 1984's primary representatives in the workplace. Our stewards help other members by providing information and assistance on grievances, contract questions, and other issues. If you would like to become a steward, talk to your Chapter President about the resources and training that are available.

Member Organizers



are active Local members who help organize non-union workers into SEIU. Member organizers learn union-building and communication skills, and work side-by-side with the staff organizers. You will be talking to potential new members and showing them the benefits of belonging to SEIU.

Union Committees



are established to guide the union's activities in specific areas of work. Some of the committees are the Member Benefits Committee, the Operation Santa Claus Committee, and the Collective Bargaining Advisory Committee. Contact your Chapter President or the Local 1984 headquarters for more information.

Member Political Organizers



are members who organize co-workers and the public around political activities that will improve life for our members and all working families. Activities range from lobbying elected officials at the state or local level, to signing petitions, to writing letters to the editor. The SEA Political Action Committee (SEA PAC) raises voluntary contributions from SEIU members to help identify and support legislators who pay attention to our issues, regardless of party affiliation.

Chapter Involvement



is very important for you. It is through your Chapter that you have a voice and a vote in the mission and direction of the entire union. Chapters elect their own officers, as well as representatives to attend the union's Council and the annual Convention, which are the highest decision making bodies in Local 1984.

YOU ARE THE UNION!

To find out how you can get involved in these and other activities, ask your Steward or Chapter President, or call the union office.