



# AFSCME LOCAL 1624

NEW MEMBER  
ORIENTATION





Welcome to  
AFSCME  
Local 1624  
Meet your  
Union Staff

Carol Guthrie - *Business Manager*

Chris Blanton - Office Manager

Corry Moore – Admin Assistant

Todd Kiluk - *Union Representative*

Christina Ortiz - *Union Representative*

Amy Shorter – *Union Representative*

Armando Flores – *Organizer/Representative*



# • Important Dates

- General Membership Meeting – Every 4<sup>th</sup> Thursday of the month – *Except November & December ... Texas AFL-CIO ( 1106 Lavaca St) @6pm \* dinner is provided*
- *TC Employee Budget Public Hearing (June)*
- *City Hall/Commissioners Court Issues (OPEN)*
  - *Lobby Day (During Session)*
- *AFSCME Christmas Party (December)*



WHEN TO WEAR THE MEAN GREEN TEE ?





# Leadership Development

Active and engaged members play a key role in making sure we are aware of and responsive to issues in the workplace

Are you interested in having a more active role in your union?

Staff reps can provide training and tools to make sure you are a successful organizer in your workplace





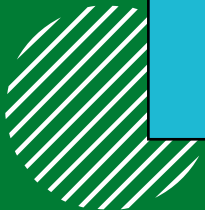
## AFSCME in your Workplace

- AFSCME 1624 & visiting works sites are VITAL!
- Communication is KEY!!
- Text, emails and phone calls...oh my!
- Contact info update ! The city nor the county updates us on those changes...therefore please update on the website or call us! Communication is key!

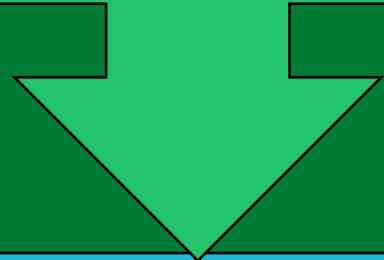




# What is Representation and when do I Need it?



Any questions or situations related to disciplinary action, SSPR, denial of promotion, investigations, you will have a AFSCME 1624 representative with you each step of the way!



*Please call (512) 477-5544 immediately!*

# Political Power



- The VOTE PAC allows us to support candidates who support us
- Elected officials make major decisions that impact your pay, working conditions, and job security.
- Discussion about our role in the political process and why VOTE PAC contributions are imperative to a strong political program



# Closing & Questions/Discussion

- Be proud , be active , and let's grow this union together !

