

National Active and Retired Federal Employees Association Seattle Chapter 0043

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MEETING: May 11 at 1:00 PM in the Beacon Hill Seattle Public Library 2821 Beacon Ave. S. Seattle, WA 98144 The library is at the corner of Beacon Ave S and S Forest St. and easily accessible via bus or light rail. There is both a parking lot and some street parking.

AGENDA: Our primary agenda item is the financial audit and it would really help if we could get a couple of volunteers to come at 12:30 to help with it. It is an easy job as our finances are simple.

Also, please bring ideas for future meeting topics.

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From President Bob:

There is a new Congress which means a new set of legislation. Everyone should let them know how and why you support or oppose certain bills that affect federal worker benefits.

We had some great speakers last year. They were both informative and entertaining. The sad part is only a few people showed up to hear them. We cannot continue to invite speakers if nobody is there to hear them. Please let me know, via email, what topics you want for a program. Even better come to the meeting and have your voice heard.

Verna Wright (District II VP) has step down so there is a vacancy for anyone interested. Currently, Bea Bull the District III VP is filling in and we are very happy for her support.

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CHAPTER 43 MEMBERSHIP

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