



## District 1

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**Donald E. Blatt**  
District Director  
**Teresa M. Cassady**  
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To: USW District 1 Sub-District 6 (SMI) Local Union Presidents & Recording Secretaries

Dear Sisters and Brothers,

USW District 1 is pleased to announce the scheduling of a **Steward Training and Grievance Handling class** September 11 - 12, 2024, at USW Local 1299's Hall located at 11424 West Jefferson Avenue in River Rouge, Michigan. Registration starts at 8:30 a.m. Class will run from 9:00 a.m. until approximately 5:00 p.m. both days.

### Delegate Registration Form

The enclosed registration form must be returned no later than Wednesday, September 4, 2024, to Lori Gutekunst either by U.S. mail, fax or email:

20600 Eureka Rd, Suite 300  
Taylor, MI 48180

FAX: (734) 285-2070  
EMAIL: LGutekunst@usw.org

Note: Registrations will be denied once the classroom capacity has been reached.

### Accommodations

If an overnight stay is required, the hotel must be contacted directly to make reservations. It is highly recommended that reservations be made as soon as possible since this hotel sells out quickly. Tell the hotel you are from U.S. Steel to receive the special rate of \$109 per night.

To make reservations, contact: Staybridge Suites  
12600 Reeck Road  
Southgate, Michigan 48195  
(734) 287-4200

### Delegate Expenses

Each Local must bear the expenses of their attending participants, including lost time, travel, and hotel.

If you have any questions or need information regarding the classes, contact Cathy Ferguson at the Southern Michigan Sub-District Office (734) 285-0367.

Yours in Solidarity,

Donald E. Blatt  
Director, District 1

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Enclosure

cc: Teresa Cassady, Assistant to the Director  
USW International Staff Representatives (SD 6)

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