

# Dimondstein Scores Overwhelming Victory

## *His Team Wins Decisively*

APWU President Mark Dimondstein scored an overwhelming victory on Oct. 6, winning re-election with 84 percent of the votes cast. Incumbent Executive Vice President Debby Szeredy won re-election, beating two opponents. Challenger Vance Zimmerman, who also ran on Dimondstein’s slate, won as Director of Industrial Relations. Unofficial results for all races are printed below. Winners are denoted with an asterisk; incumbent officers are denoted by “(I)” after their name. Certified results are expected in the next several days and will be posted at [apwu.org](http://apwu.org). Results also will appear in the next issue of *The American Postal Worker*.

“I am deeply honored to be re-elected national union president by the members of the APWU,” Dimondstein said. “I greatly appreciate and am humbled by the tremendous show of support!”

“I congratulate my teammates and all the winners as well as all the candidates who were willing to serve,” he added. “Now is the time for unity as we fight a hostile Congress, corporate privatizers, Wall Street greed and some in postal management who are bent on destroying the Postal Service – through piece-by-piece privatization and by degrading mail service.”

### General and Departments

#### President

Mark Dimondstein* (I) .....	33,538
Jerry Stidman .....	6,618

#### Executive Vice President

Debby Szeredy* (I) .....	17,495
Jeff Kehlert.....	9,690
Greg Bell.....	12,940

#### Industrial Relations Director

Tony D. McKinnon Sr. (I).....	10,244
Vance Zimmerman* .....	18,277

#### Legislative/Political Director

Judy Beard* (I) .....	27,778
Thomas R. Benson .....	11,641

#### Health Plan Director

John L. Marcotte* (I) .....	22,057
Robert Furbush.....	4,505
Sarah J. Rodriguez .....	6,380
Lisa A. Norwood.....	6,512

#### Research and Education Director

Joyce B. Robinson* (I) .....	18,754
Charles P. Smith .....	9,468

### Regional Coordinators

#### Eastern Region

Mike Gallagher* (I) .....	3,690
William “Bill” Lewis .....	991

#### Southern Region

Kennith L. Beasley* (I).....	3,407
Kim Guy.....	1,665
Princella J. Vogel.....	1,205

### Clerk Division

#### Director

Clint Burelson* (I) .....	13,559
Ross Baker .....	6,095

#### Assistant Director (B)

Lynn Pallas-Barber* (I).....	14,135
Reneé Breeden .....	5,543

#### National Business Agents, Central Region

##### Cincinnati Region (B)

Randall “Randy” Downard (I) .....	402
Michael William Funk, Jr.* .....	568
Jacqueline Stewart Harris .....	278
Mark E. Graham.....	148

#### National Business Agents, Western Region

##### Denver Region (A)

Rob Preston.....	498
Vicki L. Carios* .....	620

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**San Francisco Region (A)**

Sonia E. Canchola\* (I) .....1,066  
 Merle Sprankles .....658

**San Francisco Region (C)**

James Scoggins\* (I) .....813  
 Pat Sartain .....468  
 Terry L. Hood.....448

**Maintenance Division**

**Director**

Steven G. "Steve" Raymer\* (I).....3,558  
 Robert (Bob) Hock.....2,679

**Assistant Director (B)**

Terry B. Martinez\* (I).....3,343  
 Michael "Mike" Burris .....2,824

**National Business Agents, Maintenance Division**

**Northeast Region**

Christopher Howe (I) .....464  
 Dave Sarnacki\* .....669

**National Business Agents, Maintenance Division**

**Southern Region (A)**

John Gearhard\* (I) .....1,081  
 Kyle Powell.....443

**National Business Agents, Maintenance Division**

**Western Region (A)**

Louis M. Kingsley Jr.\* (I).....537  
 Paul E. Maille.....469

**Western Region (B)**

Jimmie Waldon\* (I) .....592  
 Caroline B. Federico .....411

**Motor Vehicle Service Division**

**National Business Agents, Central Region**

Alvin O. Branch .....139  
 William Wright\* .....295

**National Business Agents, Western Region**

Jerome Pittman\* (I).....339  
 Edward Knipe .....114

**Other National Business Agents**

**Caribbean Area**

Daniel Soto\* (I).....191  
 Radamés Sierra .....92  
 Nestor "Tito" I. Leon .....84

**Retirees Department**

**Director**

Nancy E. Olumekor\* (I) .....7,191  
 Karen Swift.....1,548  
 Desi Neurohr .....1,258  
 Joe Gordon .....1,354

**Retiree National Convention Delegates**

**Northeast Region**

Dolores Young\* (I).....1,147  
 Michael Bruno Ganino, Jr. ....535

**Western Region**

Patricia Williams\* .....589  
 Don Cheney .....417  
 Caroline (Carrie) Zeller.....221  
 Patricia Mort .....122  
 Dennis K. Wong.....293

**Uncontested Offices**

**General and Departments**

**Secretary-Treasurer**

Elizabeth "Liz" Powell

**Organization Director**

Anna Smith

**Human Relations Director**

Susan M. "Sue" Carney

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**Installation of National Officers**  
*Nov. 5, 2016 - Washington, DC*

APWU members and guests are invited to attend the Installation of National Officers Dinner on Saturday, Nov. 5, at the Washington Hilton Hotel, 1919 Connecticut Ave NW, Washington DC 20009, (202) 483-3000.

The ceremonial affair will feature the swearing-in of new and returning officers. The festivities will begin with a reception at 5 p.m. The installation of officers will begin at 6:30 p.m.

Tickets can be purchased online at [apwu.org](http://apwu.org). Please note that refunds will not be issued for any reason.

**Price: \$85 per person**

**Registration Deadline**

**Friday, Oct. 21, 2016**

A limited number of hotel rooms are available at the Washington Hilton. Reservations can be made online at [apwu.org](http://apwu.org) or [resweb.passkey.com/go/apwuinstallation](http://resweb.passkey.com/go/apwuinstallation), or by calling (800) 445-8667. Use group code APWU.

For additional information, please contact Hannah Lively, executive assistant to the Secretary-Treasurer, at [hlively@apwu.org](mailto:hlively@apwu.org).

## Regional Coordinators

### Central Region

Sharyn M. Stone

### Northeast Region

John H. Dirzius

### Western Region

Omar M. Gonzalez

## Clerk Division

### Assistant Director (A)

Lamont Brooks

### National Business Agents, Central Region

#### Chicago Region (A)

Linda Turney

#### Chicago Region (B)

Mike O'Hearn

#### Chicago Region (C)

James Stevenson III

#### Cincinnati Region (A)

Mike Schmid

#### Minneapolis Region (A)

William Mellen

#### Minneapolis Region (B)

Martin J. Mater

#### St. Louis Region (A)

Robert D. Kessler

#### St. Louis Region (B)

Daniel F. Skemp

#### Wichita Region (A)

Christine "Chris" Pruitt

### National Business Agents, Eastern Region

#### Philadelphia Region (A)

Robert Romanowski

#### Philadelphia Region (B)

John Louis Jackson, Jr.

#### Philadelphia Region (C)

Vince Tarducci

#### Washington DC Region (A)

Rachel A. Walthall

#### Washington DC Region (B)

Pamela R. Richardson

### National Business Agents, Northeast Region

#### New England Region (A)

Frank Rigiero

#### New England Region (B)

Stephen Lukosus

#### New England Region (C)

Tom O'Brien

#### New York Region (A)

Peter Coradi

#### New York Region (B)

Elizabeth "Liz" Swigert

#### New York Region (C)

Bernie Timmerman

### National Business Agents, Southern Region

#### Atlanta Region (A)

Robert M. "Bob" Bloomer, Jr.

#### Atlanta Region (B)

Patricia A. "Pat" Davis-Weeks

#### Atlanta Region (C)

Michael "Sully" Sullivan

#### Dallas Region (A)

Jack Crawford

#### Dallas Region (B)

Larry Crawford

#### Dallas Region (C)

Sam Lisenbe

### Memphis Region (A)

Billy Woods

### Memphis Region (B)

Jerry McIlvain

### National Business Agents, Western Region

#### Denver Region (B)

Stella "JoAnn" Gerhart

#### Northwest Region (A)

Brian Dunsmore

#### Northwest Region (B)

Brian Dunn

#### San Francisco Region (B)

Shirley J. Taylor

#### San Francisco Region (D)

Chuck Locke

## Maintenance Division

### Assistant Director (A)

Idowu A. Balogun

### National Business Agents, Maintenance Division

#### Central Region (A)

Craig Fisher

#### Central Region (B)

Jeffrey S. Beaton

#### Central Region (C)

Curtis Walker

#### Eastern Region

William LaSalle

#### Southern Region (B)

Carlos Paz

## Motor Vehicle Service Division

### Director

Michael O. Foster

### Assistant Director

Javier E. Pineres

### National Business Agents

#### Motor Vehicle Service Division

##### Eastern Region

Kenneth (Ken) Prinz

##### Northeast Region

Joseph LaCapria

##### Southern Region, Southeast Sub-Region

Bruce E. Amey

##### Southern Region, Southwest Sub-Region

Dwight (D.D.) Johnson

## Support Services Division

### Director

Stephen R. Brooks

## Other National Business Agents

### Alaskan Area

James M. Patarini

### Pacific Area

Rufina Pagaduan

## Retiree National Convention Delegates

### Central Region

Paul J. Browning

### Eastern Region

John P. Richards

### Southern Region

Elizabeth Ann Bobo