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— *Jerry Sullivan*

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MORE FOR US, NONE FOR YOU

The Republican-controlled Congress, which has blocked a raise in the minimum wage three times this year, voted Nov. 18 to give itself its eighth pay raise since the minimum wage was last raised in 1997. While millions of minimum wage workers continue to struggle on $5.15 an hour, the congressional pay raise, approved as part of the fiscal year 2006 Transportation-Treasury Appropriations bill, will give lawmakers a $3,100-a-year pay hike. Minimum wage workers who work full-time earn just $10,700 a year. Members of Congress, though, will be making $31,600 a year more than they did in 1997. Congress is home for a long Thanksgiving Day recess. Call your lawmakers' local offices and send them a message that you are outraged by their priorities. You can find the local office numbers for your U.S. representative at www.house.gov and for your senators at www.senate.gov.

BUDGET CUTS PASS, TAX BREAKS STALL

U.S. House Republican leaders twisted just enough arms shortly after midnight Nov. 18 to eke out a 217-215 vote win for a Bush administration-backed $50 billion package of spending cuts in vital working family programs. But House leaders postponed until December the House vote on a $70 billion package of tax cuts largely for the wealthy, failing to pass the measure as planned before the Thanksgiving recess. The Senate approved its version of the tax cut bill in another after-midnight vote Nov. 18. On Nov. 11, Republican leaders postponed a vote on the House spending cuts because they didn't have the votes, but a week's worth of arm-twisting and a few minor changes produced the win. The House bill would cut billions from Medicaid health services for poor children and long-term care patients, student loan programs, child support enforcement, foster care and Social Security disability payments and food stamps. The Senate passed a slightly smaller spending cut bill and its own tax cut package.But observers expect the House version with the huge tax breaks for the wealthy to be the final product of a House-Senate conference after Thanksgiving. For more information, visit www.aflcio.org.

FAMILY LEAVE THREATENED

The Department of Labor is widely expected to cut back protections of the Family and Medical Leave Act (FMLA) that has helped tens of millions of workers since it was signed into law by President Bill Clinton in 1993. Big business groups — including the U.S. Chamber of Commerce and the National Association of Manufacturers — are pressing to limit workers' ability to take time off without pay for the birth or adoption of a child and to care for a sick loved one or for their own illness. In its recently released regulatory agenda, the Labor Department said FMLA changes are among its regulatory priorities and could come as early as December. But unions and other groups have urged the Labor Department to keep the current FMLA regulations intact. Read more about corporate attacks on family leave at the AFL-CIO's Point of View webpage, www.9to5.org and www.nationalpartnership.org.

BUSH POLICIES ERODE PUBLIC'S SUPPORT!

BUSH'S SUPPORT CONTINUES TO FADE OVER LEADERSHIP AND PRIORITIES

Remember President Bush's major post-election domestic policy goal, to privatize Social Security? He spent most of last winter and spring barnstorming in a futile effort to convince Americans to jeopardize their retirements – and those of their grandchildren – while enriching no one but financial institutions. It was a funny way for Bush to spend his vaunted "political capital."

Social Security privatization disappeared from the table months ago, but the public's dissatisfaction with President Bush has not. With approval ratings down in the 35 percent range, Bush is hard pressed to find a single reason to cheer during this holiday season.

The war in Iraq is the most discussed reason why, but many of the president's usual allies in Congress have begun abandoning him as they consider important economic issues. Constituent pressure on gas prices, mounting layoffs, persistent unemployment, wage stagnation, the pension crises, the hurricane response debacle, the Medicare prescription mess, and the spiraling deficit all have played a hand in making this fall's congressional session a major headache for the White House.

The GOP leadership in the House of Representatives barely managed to pass a five-year, $50 billion package of spending cuts from vital programs in November – they did it with only a two-vote margin, and only after failing to pass the measure a week earlier.

Significantly, the House leadership – absent its scandal-plagued leader, Tom Delay – concluded it was too risky to attempt to pass the latest round of Bush's proposed tax cuts for the wealthy. Priced at $70 billion, the tax cuts exceed the spending cuts, and will add to the federal deficit.

In the Senate, the only way GOP leaders were able to pass their pre-Thanksgiving tax cut package was to remove cuts that benefit only the wealthy – capital gains and dividends. It's likely that the final bill that emerges by year's end for Bush's signature will contain the tax cuts he wants, but it seems clear that every Bush "victory' will come with a cost – and Election 2006 may be the time when Republicans pay the price at the ballot box.

OIL EXECS UNDER FIRE FOR PROFITS

Furor over high energy prices - and spectacular oil company profits - reached the halls of Congress in November, as oil executives struggled to explain how it's fair for American consumers to pay upwards of $3 per gallon for gas when oil companies posted quarterly profits of nearly $33 billion.

ExxonMobil's profit jumped by 75 percent, to $9.92 billion - the largest quarterly profit in history for a U.S. company - so high that the company felt compelled to run ads claiming their profits were "driven by the price of commodities we sell."

Meanwhile, noted AFL-CIO President John Sweeney, "working families are struggling with rising gas prices and staring at double-digit price hikes in heating oil and natural gas as winter approaches."

During a day of testimony before the Senate Energy and Commerce Committee, the heads of five oil conglomerates juggled excuses like circus performers. The gulf coast hurricanes, normal business cycles, and global forces all were invoked in a "we can't help it" mantra that tried to explain away what many legislators simply called price gouging and profiteering.

The politics got so hot and heavy that the Republican-dominated Senate voted just before Thanksgiving to impose a $5 billion tax next year on the biggest oil companies. Its backers would not call the one-time tax a "windfall profits" tax, but that is, in effect, what it is. President Bush vowed to veto the spending bill containing the tax.

In another development, senators from both parties furiously demanded to hear again from the executives about their role in Vice President Dick Cheney's energy task force - a group that met largely in secret early in the Bush administration and developed a range of industry-friendly proposals.

During the November Senate hearing, the five executives assured senators they had not been involved in the task force, but the Washington Post later reported on a White House document that showed that four executives had met with the task force's leader.

Since they were not placed under oath during the first hearing, Senate Minority Leader Harry Reid demanded that the oil executives "be brought back to Congress, sworn in and forced to testify again."



FRANK MALONE
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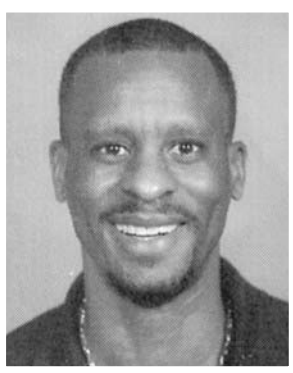

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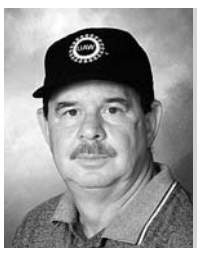


TRANSPORTATION UNIT

Bill Ruber, President

LOOKING TOWARD 2006

As we say good-bye to 2005, I feel compelled to look at the past year and review the ups and downs, but instead of doing that, I thought it might be best to address the ups and downs in a future article.

As we enjoy this holiday season, we should focus on the positive, on family and friends. It is a time of the year to give thanks. It is a time of the year to share hope, faith, and love, and to give our best wishes to all, and with that said, on behalf of the Transportation Unit, I would like to say, we wish the very best to all throughout this holiday season and the coming year. We hope that everyone can share in a season filled with peace, happiness, and good health !!!!!

HAPPY HOLIDAYS TO ALL

Please try to do something special for our service people during this Holiday Season. It can be something as simple as saying Thank You when a soldier crosses your path. They sacrifice so very much for all of us. Without them there is no freedom!

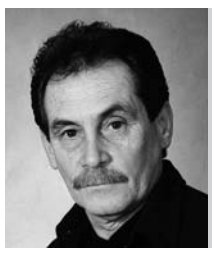
RETIREES' BREAKFAST

Railroaders meet at Leon's on Michigan Ave., just East of Telegraph on the last Tuesday of each month.

Drivers meet at Millie's on West Road, just west of I-75 on the first Wednesday of each month.

CONDOLENCES

Condolences to driver Jerry Carpenter on the loss of his mother, and to my friend Jim (Vern) Breen on the loss of his father.



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BEST WISHES FOR A SAFE AND HAPPY HOLIDAY

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MERRY CHRISTMAS AND HAPPY NEW YEAR!

To our brothers and sisters, active and non-active, from the DAP to DTP; we, the Committee, would like to wish everyone a Merry Christmas and a safe holiday. The Truck Plant has continued to move right along and we thank everyone for their prayers for our plant leadership, and please do not forget about our sons and daughters in the military overseas.

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BLACK WORKERS HIT HARD BY DECLINE IN UNIONISM

African-American workers have been hard hit during the latest tidal waves to wash across the U.S. economy. During the latest recession and "recovery," no group has been left further behind, especially in the federal government and manufacturing sectors, which helped lift many African-American families out of poverty in the last 40 years.

A New York Times report details how those same trends have reduced union membership among African-Americans, and raises issues for discussion about how the labor movement should respond.

While the unionization rate among black workers (15.1 per cent) is higher than that of whites (12.2 percent), black membership in unions has declined at a higher rate. In 2004, union membership overall fell by 304,000. Blacks accounted for 55 percent of that decline, according to the Times.

"The percentage of black workers who have been knocked out of union jobs is one of the little-known tragedies of the last five years," said AFL-CIO President John Sweeney.

But leaders of both the AFL-CIO and the Change to Win federation agree that their future organizing strategies will not specifically target African-American workers. "We are going to be organizing more blacks," Sweeney said, "but we are also going to be organizing more Latinos and more women."

Change to Win Secretary-Treasurer Edgar Romney said his organization will not target particular groups of workers, but "we are targeting industries and communities in our organizing effort."

Harvard professor William Julius Wilson criticized the federations' stance. "The future of black workers is very bleak indeed if they lose their place in the union movement," he said. "I would hope there would be an effort on the part of union leaders, white and black, to address this very important issue. They haven't done so as yet."

But University of Chicago economist Robert Topel differs. "If you asked me for a list of things that would be more important in understanding racial disparities and economic success, unionism would not be high on the list," Topel said. "Education, development of skills, and family environment all play much bigger roles than collective bargaining power."

Under attack from privatization and outsourcing pushed by President Bush, federal workers' unions are also declining. Nearly 25 percent of the 211,000 members of the American Federation of Government Employees are African-American, but "we see it as a class issue rather than a race issue," says Sharon Pinnock, the union's director for membership and organization.

Adds Sweeney, "We have learned a lot from the civil rights movement; it is important that we highlight the most egregious offenses. But we have to focus on all the workers who are getting hurt."

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Frank Fabrizio, President

SEASON'S GREETINGS

All of the Elected and Appointed Representatives of the Parts Unit wish to take this opportunity to wish you and your family a very Merry Christmas and a Happy and Prosperous New Year. Please stay safe and healthy and enjoy this special time of year with your family.

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MERRY CHRISTMAS AND HAPPY NEW YEAR!

BROWNSTOWN PRC

Angelo Marotta, President

SEASON'S GREETINGS

2005 has been full of opportunities and challenges and we have met them head on. This next year promises to be no less eventful. I want to take this opportunity to thank you for your support in the last election. It is with great pleasure that you have allowed us to represent you and strengthen our unity throughout our complex. I ask for your continued participation in the coming year. Union meeting attendance has been growing and our entire Committee appreciates your efforts. We have made progress on a number of issues and, with your support, we continue to work for a more just and equitable workplace, here at Brownstown.

Brownstown's UAW Committee wishes you a safe and happy holiday season!

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Quality: Mike Ogden
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CONDOLENCES

Our heartfelt sympathy goes out to all our sisters and brothers, whether active or retired, who have lost loved ones over the past year.

DEARBORN DIVERSIFIED MANUFACTURING PLANT

Reggie Osborne, President

DIVERSIFIED MANUFACTURING RECEIVES PRESIDENT'S QUALITY AWARD

On November 30, 2005, the Diversified Manufacturing Plant received the President's Quality Award, which is the highest award in the Stamping Business Unit. It was a great pleasure to accept this award on behalf of the membership. This is a step up. I've always said that we have the best work force in all of Ford Motor Company. Time after time, we have proved that we will get the job done when given the opportunity, and it couldn't have come at a better time, while we are in search of new business. I think this is a prime opportunity to bring in new business into our facility. This membership has shown that they care about the product that they make and how we can do better.

I think that if Ford Motor Company is really serious, and wants to really get back to basics, then they need to consider bringing work back to the employees that care about the company. We have dedicated our livelihood to Ford Motor Company and are willing to go the extra mile to bring the business back to the employees that deserve it. It's saddened me when I heard that there was a recall with the company products. It's not the fault of our people, but some tier "1" supplier that's non-union, doesn't drive Ford products, or have stock in the company! It's really time that Ford Motor Company wakes up and takes a look around and sees just who has the best interest of this company in mind! *It's time we take a stand; a chain is only as strong as its weakest link.*

RETIREE CORNER

I would like to take this time to wish all of our retirees a very merry Christmas and a happy new year, and to let you all know that we are praying for you that God will continue to watch over you. Due to a lack of time, there will not be a breakfast this year, but we will be doing something at a later date closer to the Easter holiday break. I look forward to seeing your smiling faces at our first meeting in March, 2006. Let me also congratulate all of our new retirees; Elvin Walker, Luther Holcomb, Tim Dansby, Sam Dakhallah, Otis Giles, and "Big" John Denson, all from the production unit. Good luck in your retirement!

Please don't forget to join the Retiree Chapter, they're looking forward to seeing you.

KATRINA VICTIMS

Let's continue to keep the Katrina people in our prayers. We still have to keep in mind that these people don't have a place that they can call home. The government has taken a hands-off approach, so we must continue to do our part. Here in the plant, we are taking up donations, selling arm bands, anything that we feel that can help. We have family members of the victims right here in our plant. So again, let us continue to do our part for those that are less fortunate.

PROGRESS INSURANCE

If you are in need of home, auto or life insurance, please just say "NO" to "Progress!" This is not the right plan for UAW members. They have no respect for the union. I've been waiting two months trying to get my brand new car paid off that was destroyed because of an auto accident. They initially offered Blue Book value for a new car. They made it real convenient when I took out the policy with no money down and payroll deduction, the whole 9 yards. Now that it's time for them to pay off, they are refusing to pay off, so please say no to Progress Insurance!

The Entire DDMP Committee wishes to take this opportunity to wish you and your family a very Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year!



DEARBORN ENGINE & FUEL TANK PLANT

Wilfred Littleton, President

WHERE DO WE GO FROM HERE?

As we look to the future, we must not forget our past, the struggles that our UAW brothers and sisters in the past endured to get to this place that we are enjoying. We have some of the best health care benefits that money can buy, but we must not sit idly by and watch them erode through non-participation. Let's roll up our sleeves together and get our fair share of the American dream.

As you already knew before you read this article, there is an onslaught to take away what our union has fought long and hard for. I am confident that our present leadership, under Mr. Gerald Bantom, will not give into the company, or government pressure, for us to give up our American dream. As one of our past presidents said, "Ask not what your country can do for you, but ask what you can do for your country." I echo the same sentiments, "Ask not what our retirees can do for us, but what can we do for our retirees." It's time we pick up the torch and began to hold it proud and high, and say we refuse to give in or give up.

SPECIAL RECOGNITION

We would like to give recognition to some special people that never come to the front, but love to help. First to Mr. Ron Virga in I-4 Assembly who was one of the catalysts behind the Katrina Fund Drive, and all the co-workers that helped in that great effort. To all of you, I would like to say God bless you and thank you. Last by not least, to Lori Rankin and Robert Hendrix for spear-heading the D.E.F.T.P Education Open House Fair, and to all those who volunteered their tireless efforts to make this fair a huge success.

CONDOLENCES

I would like for us to bow our heads to all of those deceased brothers and sisters that have fought a good fight, and those that have lost love ones. God bless you and your families.

RETIREES

As in previous articles I will continue our partial list of names of our retirees, and would like for your to know that we miss you and God bless you.

James Ebersole
L. Craig
Marlene Washington
James Ratiliff
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Robert Ashley
Feisal Turfe
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Willie Kimble
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CHRISTMAS WISHES

With special prayers and thoughts may the joy of Christmas fill your hearts this holiday season.

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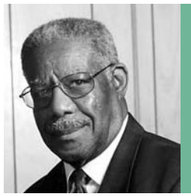
THE BLESSINGS OF CHRISTMAS



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Merry Christmas and Happy New Year!



Jerry Sullivan
President

The Holiday Season is upon us once again. It's that special time of year when we exchange gifts with our loved ones and friends and spend precious time with our families. It's also a time for reflecting upon our blessings, expressing our goodwill toward others, and praying for peace on earth.

During this holiday season, we must also remember those that are less fortunate than us. This year especially, with all of the natural disasters that have occurred here in America and around the world, many, many more people are in need, and those needs are great. Local 600 members have been extremely generous in responding to those less fortunate, and we know that during this holiday season you'll continue to do your part to support those charities whose purpose is to help those in need.

It is also of great importance at this time, that we not forget our troops that are deployed around the world and the families that they left behind. The holiday season is an even more difficult time to be separated from loved ones, even more so for families that have loved ones in harm's way. We need to remember to pray for the safety and welfare of our troops, as well as for their families.

The officers and staff of Local 600 thank you for all that you've done to help others, and we want to take this opportunity to extend our very best wishes for a safe and Happy Holiday Season to you and your family.

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Organizational Psychology (PSY231R) 6 credits.	1/25 – 3/29	W	11:00 AM 3:45 PM	– –	2:30 PM 7:15 PM	$1050	Baker College
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Accounting II (ACC122) 4 credits.	1/24 – 3/28	T	11:00 AM 3:45 PM	– –	2:30 PM 7:15 PM	$700	Baker College
Oral Communication (SPK201) 4 credits.	1/25 – 3/29	W	11:00 AM 3:45 PM	– –	2:30 PM 7:15 PM	$700	Baker College
PERSONAL DEVELOPMENT CLASSES							
The Blueprint for Michigan Real Estate Investment Success!	1/30 – 2/22	M/W	12:00 PM	–	3:00 PM	$600	Elite Partner Marketing
GPS Navigation	1/30 – 2/2	M – TH	11:00 AM 3:30 PM	– –	2:30 PM 7:00 PM	$225	Great Lakes Charter Training
Radio Controlled Nitro Car (Materials Cost $287.99+tax)	2/2 – 3/23	TH	12:00 PM 4:00 PM	– –	3:00 PM 7:00 PM	$600	The Travel Academy
Web Page Design/ Publishing	1/26 – 3/30	TH	12:00 PM 4:00 PM	– –	3:00 PM 7:00 PM	$492	American Resource Training Systems
A+ Certification	1/23 – 3/6	M/W	12:00 PM 4:00 PM	– –	3:00 PM 7:00 PM	$1000	Computer Data, Inc.
Network +	1/24 – 3/7	T/TH	12:00 PM 4:00 PM	– –	3:00 PM 7:00 PM	$1000	Computer Data, Inc.
Understanding Residential Mortgages	2/2 – 2/9	TH	12:00 PM 4:00 PM	– –	2:00 PM 6:00 PM	$100	Comprehensive Mortgage
Healthy Heart Awareness	2/7 – 2/21	T	12:00 PM 4:00 PM	– –	2:00 PM 6:00 PM	$470	IDEA Consultants
SMALL BUSINESS SERIES							
Entrepreneurship Theory	1/24 – 3/28	T	12:00 PM 4:00 PM	– –	3:00 PM 7:00 PM	$750	The TAME Group
Business Plan Development	1/25 – 3/29	W	12:00 PM 4:00 PM	– –	3:00 PM 7:00 PM	$750	The TAME Group
Real Estate Appraiser Prep.	1/23 – 3/13	M/TH	4:00 PM	–	6:00 PM	$750	Action Management
Real Estate Appraiser Prep. II (Appraisal I Prerequisite)	1/25 – 3/17	W/F	12:00 PM	–	2:00 PM	$750	Action Management

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PERSONAL DEVELOPMENT CLASSES							
4 Stroke Powered	1/10 – 2/9	T/TH	8:05 AM 12:00 PM 4:05 PM	– – –	11:05 AM 3:00 PM 7:05 PM	$600	P.B.I.
Work or Retire	1/18	W	8:15 AM 12:00 PM 4:15 PM	– – –	11:15 AM 3:00 PM 7:15 PM	$50	E.T.I
Exploring Franchise as Business	1/25 – 2/1	W	8:15 AM 12:00 PM 4:15 PM	– – –	11:15 AM 3:00 PM 7:15 PM	$126	Action Management
Exploring Franchise Opportunities	2/8 – 2/15	W	8:15 AM 12:00 PM 4:15 PM	– – –	11:15 AM 3:00 PM 7:15 PM	$138	Action Management
Exploring Franchise as A Business, Advanced	2/22-3/1	W	8:15 AM 12:00 PM 4:15 PM	– – –	11:15 AM 3:00 PM 7:15 PM	$138	Action Management

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Schedule of Classes

Jerry Sullivan, the Officers of UAW Local 600, and the UAW-Ford Education, Development and Training Program Committees invite you to take advantage of this program.

For information regarding classes listed in this brochure, contact the plant that is holding the class or see your plant's E.T.C.

LOCAL 600 (313) 842-5350 Ext. 286

COURSE	START/END DATE	DAY/S	CLASS TIMES			ETAP COST	OFFERED BY
PERSONAL DEVELOPMENT CLASSES							
It's All About You	2/18 – 2/25	SAT	10:00 AM	–	4:00 PM	$300	The Empowerment Edge
Digital Camera for Dummies	1/23 – 2/15	M/W	11:00 AM 4:00 PM	– –	2:00 PM 7:00 PM	$475	American Workplace Training & Consulting
Smart Home Basics	1/24 – 2/14	T/TH	11:30 AM 4:00 PM	– –	2:00 PM 6:30 PM	$525	American Resource Training System
Master BBQ Cooking School	1/26 – 2/16	TH	11:00 AM 4:00 PM	– –	2:00 PM 7:00 PM	$300	Fair Information Services (material fee $25)
Master BBQ Cooking School	4/26 – 5/17	W	10:30 AM 4:00 PM	– –	1:30 PM 7:00 PM	$300	Fair Information Services (material fee $25)
4 Stroke Powered Transportation Basic (Mini Chopper)	2/12 – 2/26	SUN	9:00 AM	–	5:00 PM	$600	Professional Builders Institute (material fee $320.59)
	Classes to be held at training facilities near Schaefer Rd. and Dix Ave.						
4 Stroke Powered Transportation Basic (Mini Chopper)	1/17 – 2/9	T/TH	11:00 AM 1:00 PM 4:30 PM	– – –	2:00 PM 4:00 PM 7:30 PM	$600	Professional Builders Institute (material fee $320.59)
	Classes to be held at training facilities near Schaefer Rd.. and Dix Ave.						
2 Stroke Powered Transportation Basic (Mini Dirt Bike)	1/22 – 2/5	SUN	9:00 AM	–	4:00 PM	$525	Professional Builders Institute (material fee $228.58)
	Classes to be held at training facilities near Schaefer Rd. and Dix Ave.						
2 Stroke Powered Transportation Basic (Mini Dirt Bike)	2/13 – 3/06	M/W	11:00 AM 1:00 PM 4:30 PM	– – –	2:00 PM 4:00 PM 7:30 PM	$525	Professional Builders Institute (material fee $228.58)
	Classes to be held at training facilities near Schaefer Rd. and Dix Ave.						
Electrical Powered Transportation Basic (Electric Scooter)	3/13 – 3/27	M/W	11:00 AM 1:00 PM 4:30 PM	– – –	2:00 PM 4:00 PM 7:30 PM	$375	Professional Builders Institute (material fee $112.34)
	Classes to be held at training facilities near Schaefer Rd. and Dix Ave.						
Lifestyle Management: Planning Your Future (When Will I Retire?)	3/7 – 4/4 3/8 – 4/5	T W	10:30 AM 6:00 PM 6:00 PM	– – –	12:30 PM 8:00 PM 8:00 PM	Free Free	E.D.T.P. spouse & guest $Free E.D.T.P.

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English 110 Comp I	01/17 – 05/02	T	3:00 PM	–	6:00 PM	$135	WCCCD	
Math 100 Basic Arithmetic	01/19 – 05/04	W	3:00 PM	–	6:00 PM	$135	WCCCD	
History 122 Am His 1865-Present	01/18 – 05/05	TH	3:00 PM	–	6:00 PM	$135	WCCCD	

PERSONAL DEVELOPMENT CLASSES

Mini Gas Chopper	1/23 – 2/13	M	3:00 PM	–	6:00 PM	$600	O/E Learning	

(Optional Cost: $199+taxes and shipping, Book: $4.50)

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Healthy Heart Awareness	2/9 – 2/23	TH	1:00 PM 4:00 PM	– –	3:00 PM 6:00 PM	$470	IDEA Consultants	

SMALL BUSINESS/ENTREPRENEURIAL SERIES

Real Estate Investing In The Real World 101 (6 weeks/1 day a week)	1/25 – 3/1	W	12:00 PM 4:00- PM	– –	3:00 PM 7:00 PM	$450	A & A Real Estate Investors	
Real Estate Investing II (4 Weeks/2 days a week)	3/13 – 4/5	M/W	12:00 PM 4:00 PM	– –	3:00 PM 7:00PM	$600	A & A Real Estate Investors	

HANDS-ON SERIES

Snow Blower Maintenance & Repair (5 weeks/2 day a week)	1/24 – 2/23	T/Th	12:00 PM 4:00 PM	– –	3:00 PM 7:00 PM	$337.50	O/E Learning	
Beginning Guitar (10 weeks/1 day a week)	2/7 – 4/11	T	12:00 PM 4:00 PM	– –	3:00 PM 7:00 PM	$500	CJ Mullane & Associates	
Spanish	TBA							

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PERSONAL DEVELOPMENT CLASSES

Builders Pre-License	1/17 – 2/14 (5 weeks)	T	12:00 PM 4: 00 PM	– –	3:00 PM 7:00 PM	$180	Oakland Builders Inst ($20.00 Book Fee)	
	Classes to be held in the Engine Plant Learning Center							
Safety & Intro To Glassblowing	1/18 – Any Wed after	W	Flexible to your schedule			$600	Glass Academy (material fee $50.00)	
	Classes to be held at the training facilities near Gulley Rd and Mich. Ave							
Safety & Intro To Neon Signs	1/9 – Any Mon after	M	Flexible to your schedule			$600	Glass Academy (material fee $45.00)	
	Classes to be held at the training facilities near Gulley Rd and Mich. Ave							
4 Stroke Powered Transportation Basic (Mini Chopper)	2/21 – 3/16	T/TH	11:00 AM 1:00 PM 4:30 PM	– – –	2:00 PM 4:00 PM 7:30 PM	$600	Professional Builders Institute (material fee $320.59)	
	Classes to be held at training facilities near Schaefer Rd. and Dix Ave.							
Glass Etching	1/18 – 3/15 (9 weeks)	W	12:00 PM 4:00 PM	– –	3:00 PM 7:00 PM	$500	Kayson Inc. ($20.00 Material Fee)	
	Classes to be held in the Engine Plant Learning Center							

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Healthy Heart Awareness	2/9 – 2/23	TH	1:00 PM 4:00 PM	– –	3:00 PM 6:00 PM	$470	IDEA Consultants	
2 Stroke Powered Transportation Basic (Mini Dirt Bike)	1/09 – 2/1	M/W	11:00 AM 3:30 PM 7:30 PM	– – –	2:00 PM 6:30 PM 10:30 PM	$525	Professional Builders Institute (material fee $228.58)	
	Classes to be held at training facilities near Schaefer Rd. and Dix Ave.							
Black Jack Dealer	3/7 – 5/11	T/TH	11:00 AM 6:00 PM	– –	2:00 PM 9:00 PM	$575	Casino's Wild (Book Fee $18)	
	Classes to be held at training facilities near Telegraph Rd. and I-94 Call (313) 291- 4901							

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DETROIT HVC PERSONAL DEVELOPMENT CLASSES

Real Estate Investing 2-day seminar	1/28 – 1/29	SA/SU	9:00 AM	–	5:00PM	$400	A & A Real Estate	
Safety Through Awareness Mold, Asbestos & Lead	1/18 – 2/8	W	2:30 PM	–	5:00 PM	$250	Absolute Communications Inc.	
A+ Computer Tech	1/27 – 3/2	T/TH	3:00 PM	–	6:00 PM	$1000	Computer Data Inc.	
Lead on 1	1/17 & 18	T/W	2:30 PM	–	5:30 PM	$150	Elder & Associates	
Spanish	1/23 – 4/3	M	2:30 PM	–	5:00 PM	$600	TechWorld Languages	
Michigan Builders License	1/10 – 3/14	T	2:30 PM	–	5:00 PM	$600	Home Builders Workshop	
Healthy Heart Awareness	TBA					$470	Idea Consultants	

NATIONAL PDC PERSONAL DEVELOPMENT CLASSES
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PERSONAL DEVELOPMENT CLASSES-STAMPING

Air Conditioning	1/23 – 4/5	M/W	11:00 AM 4:00 PM	– –	3:00 PM 8:00 PM	$945	Northwestern Tech (Book Fee $75)	
TESPHE: Mod 2 Investments	1/23 – 1/30	M	12 Noon 4:00 PM	– –	2:30 PM 6:30 PM	$125	Educational Technologies	
TESPHE: Mod 3 Retirement Monies	2/6 – 2/13	M	12 Noon 4:00 PM	– –	2:30 PM 6:30 PM	$125	Educational Technologies	
Time Management	1/24 – 1/31	T	12 Noon 4:00 PM	– –	3:00 PM 7:00 PM	$245	New Horizons	

PERSONAL DEVELOPMENT CLASSES-BODY

Exploring Franchising Parts 1-3	1/23 – 2/27	M	12:30 PM 4:00 PM	– –	3:30 PM 7:00 PM	$414	Action Management	
Real Estate Salesperson Pre-Licensure	1/24–4/18	T	12:30 PM 4:00 PM	– –	3:30 PM 7:00 PM	$300	NCI Associates	
Healthy Heart Awareness	2/8–2/22	W	1:00 PM 4:00 PM	– –	3:00 PM 6:00 PM	$470	Idea Consultants (Book Fee $10)	

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