AFSCME Local 3800 University of Minnesota Clerical Workers

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1. Salary Increases and Back Pay

The 1% across the board increases will begin showing up on your January 22, 2014 paycheck. In addition, that check will include back pay for the increase from July 29, 2013 and the \$400 lump sum for those who are no longer receiving step increases. If you would

like to reduce the amount taken out in taxes for that pay check, you can change your withholding by going to Employee Self Service and following the W-4 Tax Information Update link. To change the information for that paycheck only, update the info before mid-day Wednesday, January 15. Don't forget to change your withholding back to the standard amount after January 22.

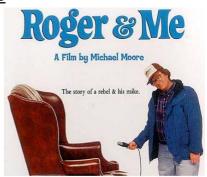
The University does not automatically process retro pay for bargaining unit people who have left the University since July 1, 2013. If you are in contact with a former AFSCME or Teamster worker, tell them to make a request to their old department in WRITING (email would count) to have their retro pay processed.

The 2% step increases should occur automatically on your anniversary date. Several people contacted us because they did not receive their step increases as scheduled and we were able to help them fix the problem. If you have any issues with your step increases, please contact afscme3800@gmail.com.

2. Labor Movie Night - Jan 17, Roger & Me

Labor Movie Night kicks off its 2014 series on Jan. 17 with "Roger & Me." The film was Michael Moore's breakthrough documentary; it takes a bittersweet look at the impactof General Motors' decision to downsize the auto plant in his hometown of Flint, Mich.

Details: Labor Movie Night begins at 6 p.m. Jan. 17 at the Minneapolis Labor Center, 312 Central Ave., Ste 356, Minneapolis. Admission is free, but donations are welcome. Popcorn, pop and beer will be available.



Warner Bros. Pictures

3. Celebrate Dr. King's Legacy - Sat, Jan 18

MnSCU Local 4001 and University of Minnesota Clerical Workers Local 3800 are sponsoring a Martin Luther King observance on Saturday Jan. 18, at Zion Baptist Church, 621 Elwood St., Minneapolis. (Map)

The free event begins at 3 p.m. Activities include a solidarity march, music, poetry, praise dance, and speakers including Jermaine Davis, Lissa Jones, and Whitney Harris. Proceeds from a free-will offering go to the Nellie Stone

Johnson Scholarship Foundation.

Reservations: Contact Local 4001's Grace Jones by email or by phone at 952-686-1088.

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