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Members:

What a great turn-out for our July “picnic” meeting! We received good feedback on the food; and again, people like the Admin Patio. I want to thank the members who took their time and energy to help with the food and meeting logistics: **Cathy Paramo, Michele Keefhaver, Alicia Jacinto-Canales, Mike Rodriguez, Lilian Dennis, Jan Ortiz, Manny Florez, Kathy Machado, Kate Slama** and our very own Business Agent **John Tucker**.

One other quick item: yesterday we began the meet and confer process with management regarding recommended changes to the Classified Employee Performance Plan (CEPP) program and form. (A CEO message went out to all users earlier with information about the committee and recommendations.) All three Unions are meeting together with management on this effort, which is expected to take a number of weeks. We will keep you informed as we move along in this process and we will be seeking your input—stay tuned.

Have a great weekend!

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