

# UFCW 951 BULLETIN

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## NEW UFCW 951 PROGRAM HELPS MEMBERS IN NEED

UFCW 951 is launching a community services program to assist members in need. The new program expands upon the many benefits UFCW 951 has offered members for years, including fundraisers, scholarships and food trucks, by assisting members with individual needs that fall outside of current programs.



Working closely with the Michigan Association of United Ways, UFCW 951 Community Services Representative, Alice Perreira, is available to help link members with resources in their community when they or someone they care about are in need. Through this partnership, the union can offer assistance above and beyond what the Foundation is able to do.

Resources can often be found to assist members with issues including, but not limited to, housing, child care, transportation, utility shut-off notices, food insecurity, substance abuse, health care, mental health services and domestic violence. Individual circumstances will determine the level of assistance that can be found.

“Throughout the course of their lives, many people will find that at some point they may need help,” John Cakmakci, UFCW 951 president, said. “Unfortunately, when dealing with a crisis, finding the appropriate help can be overwhelming. Through our new community services program, UFCW 951 is here to assist members during difficult times by helping them access the resources they need.”

UFCW 951 is also looking for opportunities to give back to communities where members live and work through community service projects. If you are active in your community and know of a project or event that UFCW 951 could assist with, or if you are interested in volunteering, contact Alice Perreira at 1.800.999.0951 ext. 123. This is also the same number members should use to receive a confidential referral to agencies or programs designed to assist with their circumstances.

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# UFCW 951 CONGRATULATES THE 2017 - 2018 FOUNDATION COLLEGE SCHOLARSHIP WINNERS!

For more than a decade the UFCW 951 Foundation has been helping ease the cost of attending college for UFCW 951 members and their families by offering tuition and textbook scholarships. The winners of the 2017-2018 scholarships are listed below.

## \$2,000 Tuition Scholarship Winners



**Pierre Liddell**  
from Meijer #324

**Madison Amy**, child of Tamera Amy from Meijer #44; **Monique Blair** from Meijer #231; **William Bonnee**, child of Bill Bonnee from Meijer #293; **Brett Brincefield** from Meijer #242; **LeCrystal Clark**, child of Latrina Johnson from Meijer #63; **Taylor Daniels**, child of Becky Wilbert from Meijer #36; **Raquel French-Goetzke** from Harding's #356; **Brittany Hatcher** from Meijer #145; **Johanna Hooper**, child of Daniel Hooper from Meijer Properties; **Amelia Kach**, child of Connie Kach from Rite Aid #1609; **Pierre Liddell**

from Meijer #324; **Alexander Masakowski**, child of Cynthia Antonette from Meijer #242; **Anne Middleton** from Meijer #69; **Gabriell Morin**, child of Jamie Castle from Polly's #16; **Tara Napier** from Meijer #55; **Alexandra Rammacher**, child of Pamela Rammacher from Kroger #890; **Colton Ruhlman**, child of Amy Ruhlman from Meijer #140; **Richard Adrian Seeger**, child of Richard Anthony Seeger from Meijer #257; and **Andrew Smith** from Meijer #72.

## \$400 Textbook Scholarship Winners

**Meredith Atkins** from Meijer #312; **Kristyn Hendricks**, child of Shelley Hendricks from Meijer #201; **Michaela March**, child of Amy March from Meijer #46; **Shawn Masakowski**, child of Cynthia Antonette from Meijer #242; **Mitchell McDiarmid**, child of David McDiarmid from Meijer #511.



**Kristyn Hendricks**,  
child of Shelley  
Hendricks from  
Meijer #201

## QUARTERLY MEMBERSHIP MEETINGS

**MONDAY, OCTOBER 23 at 7:00 PM**

Membership meetings are one way you can ask questions, get involved and hear what's going on with your employer, your industry and your union!

**Northern Region**  
All Seasons Resort  
760 S. Cedar St.  
Kalkaska

**Eastern Region**  
UAW Local 228  
39209 Mound Rd.  
Sterling Heights

**Central Region**  
UAW Local 652  
426 Clare St.  
Lansing

**Western Region**  
UFCW 951 Office  
3270 Evergreen Dr. NE  
Grand Rapids

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