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DIGITAL COMMUNICATIONS AND SOCIAL MEDIA

WHEREAS: communication is key to success in organizing ourselves, both internally and externally; and

WHEREAS: technology offers vast opportunities for connection among members and the expedited, timely transmission of valuable information affecting all locals of the ILWU as well as our friends and allies; therefore

BE IT RESOLVED: that the ILWU will strive to take full advantage of all appropriate outlets of digital communications via social networking (for example Facebook and Twitter) and online publishing (for example, of the *Dispatcher*, titled officers maintaining a regularly updated ILWU blog, rss feeds and email distribution lists) in an effort to build and maintain improved and more easily accessed avenues of communication within the ILWU family and the world at large.