## SEIU LOCAL 521 AFRAM Fresno Caucus ACTIVITY REPORT July 2014 – Sept 2014

AFRAM Central Valley (CV) was finally able to be titled AFRAM Fresno effective April.

AFRAM Fresno kept up meeting monthly meetings, SEJ meetings and Budget & Finance and Executive board meetings for A July 2014 – Sept 2014.

AFRAM Fresno has been displaying their new banner in the Unity Hall in Fresno's Local 521 office with a sign out/in when taken from the Hall.

AFRAM Fresno attended one the California Labor Trainings in Aug 2014 on how to reengage our members during this recession.

AFRAM Fresno members and leadership participated in the phone banking and precinct walking for Blong Xiong for the month of Sept thru elections Nov.

AFRAM Fresno also attended the Labor Day Breakfast on Sept 1, 2014. We were able to send 13 people. We are sending 6 women to the Women's Day Conference here in Fresno at our Fresno Convention Center on Sept 16, 2014. We are hosting a Meet & Greet for Blong Xiong on Sept 19, 2014 at Cecil B Hinton Center, local Westside of Fresno.

AFRAM Fresno is working on building relationships with other California Caucuses and other AFRAMs to be developed in California so that we can support one another. We are attending the APALA's Meet & Greet for Blong Xiong on Sept 13, 2014.

AFRAM Fresno is working on doing road trips to further our awareness and sponsor a positive Community-oriented reputation and also to be a fundraiser to increase our opportunities to work our Community.

AFRAM Fresno is looking into working with our local Parks to do a Adopt-A-Park, Adopt-A-Highway and work with the Westside Boys & Girls Club in one of their activities.

AFRAM Fresno will be working on attending the Western AFRAM meetings with San Jose AFRAM so that we can continue on building a strong relationship among our brothers and sisters in the Western Region. To also develop our Leadership skills by working with our International/National AFRAM for membership, Immigration Reform and a fair budget with great health coverage.

AFRAM Fresno will be purchasing SEIU materials to use in meetings and events as gifts and to raffle off.