

# HUMAN RIGHTS

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## Dear Fellow Flight Attendants –

The 2022 Communications Workers of America (CWA) Human Rights Conference was held in Phoenix, Arizona August 7-10, 2022. This year's theme was, "Where There is Injustice, You Will Find Us." The conference featured CWA leaders, activists, and guest speakers who have been at the forefront of the fight for social and economic justice in their communities and beyond. The conference also included several powerful panel discussions and workshop sessions around issues such as protecting the right to vote, stopping assault on women's rights, advancing diversity and inclusion, and fighting for reproductive rights.

As the chairperson for the Master Executive Council Human Rights committee, I was fortunate to join other AFA siblings in furthering the labor movement through our focus on human rights. We have a plethora of resources, networks, and support through our association with both the CWA and AFL-CIO. The prevailing thought after leaving the conference is that our involvement in the political process is vital to protecting, preserving, and introducing legislation that will protect our human rights and enhance our quality of life.

If you are interested in joining our Human Rights committee please feel free to email me at [junior.avei@hawaiianmec.org](mailto:junior.avei@hawaiianmec.org). When we fight together, WE WIN!

Stronger Together, Better Together,  
Junior Awei  
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*“Our union’s power comes from representing our members on the job, organizing new people into our ranks, and building solidarity with other movements for social and economic justice through politics and movement building.”*

- CWA President Chris Shelton