

BUSINESS MANAGERS REPORT

OCTOBER 5, 2016

THE NUMBER OF PLANT CASES IN ARBITRATION STANDS AT 34

THE STEWARDS OF THE LOCAL WILL MEET ON WEDNESDAY OCTOBER 19, 2016 AT THE LOCAL UNION OFFICE. THIS MEETING WILL BEGIN AT 5:30 PM

THE STEWARDS OF THE LOCAL WILL MEET ON TUESDAY OCTOBER 17, 2016 AT POST 69, PLEASANT STREET MALDEN AT 5:00 PM.

THE EXECUTIVE BOARD OF THE LOCAL WILL MEET ON WEDNESDAY OCTOBER 19, 2016 AT THE LOCAL UNION OFFICE. THE MEETING WILL BEGIN AT 1:00PM.

OPEN ENROLLMENT FOR HEALTH CARE WILL BEGIN NOVEMBER 7, THRU NOVEMBER 18, 2016

PLEASE CONTINUE TO SUPPORT OUR FAMILIES FIRST FUND TO HELP MEMBERS IN NEED

AVAYA

SCT-5 WILL BE MEETING IN NAPLES FLORIDA TO DISCUSS FUTURE NEGOTIATIONS OF TH AVAYA AWARDS PROGRAM. ANY QUESTIONS CALL THE UNION HALL AT 617-929-6000.

SALES

A FAREWELL TO ALL WHO ARE RETIRING ON THE MOST RECENT SPECIAL ENHANCED OFFER; WE THANK YOU FOR YOUR TIME AND SUPPORT.

THE UNION IS TENTATIVELY SCHEDULED TO MEET WITH THE SALES LABOR RELATIONS TEAM IN BOSTON ON OCTOBER 12, 2016 THE MEETING IS BEING HELD TO DISCUSS NEW RESPONSIBILITIES WITHIN THE BARGAINING UNIT. ANY DEVELOPMENTS FROM THAT MEETING WILL BE COMMUNICATED THROUGH THE SHOP STEWARDS.

CABLE AND LINE

THE UNION HAS BEEN GIVEN THE TEST RESULTS OF AN ASBESTOS CONDUIT TEST WHICH WAS MENTIONED IN LAST MONTH'S BUSINESS MANAGER'S REPORT. THE RESULTS OF THE TESTING LEFT SOME UNANSWERED QUESTIONS AND THE UNION HAS REQUESTED A MEETING WITH THE COMPANY REGARDING THIS VERY IMPORTANT SAFETY ISSUE. ANY UPDATES WILL BE COMMUNICATED TO THE MEMBERS AS SOON AS WE HAVE THEM.

THERE IS NO NEWS TO REPORT ON THE SALE OF THE POLES BY THE COMPANY.

BENEVOLENT FUND

WE ARE CONDUCTING 2 RAFFLES THIS EVENING. THE FIRST RAFFLE WILL BE DRAWN THIS EVENING AND PROCEEDS WILL GO TOWARDS THE FAMILIES FIRST FUND AT LOCAL 2222.

THE WINNER WILL TAKE HOME A NIKE VAPOR ADJUSTABLE HEAD DRIVER. THE TICKETS ARE \$10 EACH – THANK YOU FOR YOUR PARTICIPATION!

THE SECOND RAFFLE IS ONGOING AND WILL BE DRAWN AT THE NOVEMBER UNION MEETING AND INCLUDES 3 PRIZES

1ST PRIZE IPAD

2ND PRIZE BEATS BY DR. DRE WIRELESS HEADPHONES

3RD PRIZE FLAT SCREEN LED HIGH DEF. 28” TV

TICKETS ARE \$5 EACH OR A BOOK OF 3 FOR \$10

THESE RAFFLE TICKETS ARE BEING SOLD TONIGHT AND THROUGH YOUR STEWARD.

CONGRATULATIONS TO THE WILDWOOD IN WOBURN TEAM IN THEIR SUCCESSFUL DEFENSE OF THE LOCAL 2222 SOFTBALL CHAMPIONSHIP.

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THE COMPANY AND THE UNION WILL MEET ON TUESDAY OCTOBER 11 TO DISCUSS STAFFING FOR THE UPCOMING FIOS INSTALLATIONS THAT ARE EXPECTED TO BEGIN IN EARLY NOVEMBER. INFORMATION FROM THIS MEETING WILL BE COMMUNICATED THROUGH THE STEWARDS.

THE CANVASS FOR 2 ADDITIONAL CONTRACT WORK INSPECTORS AT 649 SUMMER ST. THAT WE REPORTED ON LAST MONTH HAS STILL NOT BEEN COMPLETED. WE EXPECT THAT THE POSITIONS WILL BE FILLED BY THE END OF THIS WEEK. THESE ARE LONG TERM ASSIGNMENTS WITH NO END DATE.

WITH THE BOSTON FIOS PROJECT UNDERWAY WE EXPECT THAT THE WORKLOAD WILL INCREASE SIGNIFICANTLY. SO IT IS IMPORTANT TO REMIND YOURSELF AND YOUR BROTHERS AND SISTERS THAT SAFETY IS OUR NUMBER ONE PRIORITY. SURVEY YOUR JOB FOR SAFETY AND WORK SAFELY AT ALL TIMES.

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THERE WILL BE A STAFF ASSISTANT-CRAFT / TIER 1 SUPPORT POSITION CREATED FOR CENTRAL OFFICES WITHIN LOCAL 2222.

THE POSITION WILL PROVIDE TRAINING AND SUPPORT FOR FRAME / TOLL TECHNICIANS THROUGHOUT THE LOCAL. INTERESTED COT'S SHOULD SUBMIT THEIR RESUME TO CO MANAGER JACK FLAHERTY OR KEVIN SLACK NO LATER THAN FRIDAY, OCTOBER 14, 2016 (PLEASE BE SURE TO VERIFY RESUME WAS RECEIVED).

A LIST OF QUALIFICATIONS FOR THE POSITION IS POSTED ON OUR WEBSITE IBEW.2222.ORG

THERE WILL BE A WRITTEN EXAM AS WELL AS AN INTERVIEW. THE QUALIFIED SENIOR RATED TECHNICIAN WILL BE AWARDED THE POSITION.

ANY QUESTIONS PLEASE CONTACT THE UNION OFFICE.

IF YOU ARE CANVASSED FOR ANY REASON, PLEASE VERIFY WITH YOUR STEWARD OR THE UNION OFFICE THAT WE ARE AWARE OF THE CANVASS. BE SURE YOU ARE AWARE OF THE PARAMETERS BEFORE PARTICIPATING IN ANY CANVASS.

FINALLY, CONGRATULATIONS TO ALL WHO ARE RETIRING AT THE END OF THIS WEEK. SPECIAL THANKS TO LONG-TIME COT CHIEF STEWARD DAVE SUGAR. WE WISH YOU ALL A LONG, HAPPY AND HEALTHY RETIREMENT.

PLANT CLERICAL

IN THE RECENT SURPLUS, LOCAL 2222 HAD SEVEN PLANT CLERICAL WHO ACCEPTED THE SPECIAL INCENTIVE.

1 ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT @ 50 POST OFFICE SQ

2 ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT'S @ 6 BOWDOIN SQ

1 ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT @ 51 S. BEDFORD ST.

2 SPECIAL ASSISTANT'S @ 50 POST SQ

1 SPECIAL ASSISTANT @ 6 BOWDOIN SQ

OUR BEST WISHES TO THE RECIPIENTS AND HAVE A LONG HEALTHY RETIREMENT.