

BUSINESS MANAGERS REPORT

June 2, 2021

THE NUMBER OF PLANT CASES IN ARBITRATION STANDS AT 11

THE STEWARDS OF THE LOCAL WILL MEET ON WEDNESDAY
JUNE 16, 2021 AT 12 NOON BY VIDEO CONFERENCE.

THE EXECUTIVE BOARD OF THE LOCAL WILL MEET ON
WEDNESDAY JULY 7, 2021 AT BOSTON TEACHER'S UNION
HALL MT. VERNON ST. DORCHESTER.

THE MEETING WILL BEGIN AT 1:00PM

SALES

TOURS WILL REMAIN IN PLACE FOR THE MONTH OF JUNE,
ANY NEW DEVELOPMENTS WILL BE CARRIED THROUGH THE
STEWARDS.

THE DEADLINE TO SUBMIT FOR REIMBURSEMENTS ON A
WELLNESS PROGRAM THROUGH THE NEW ENGLAND WORK
AND FAMILY COMMITTEE IS JUNE 30TH 2021. FOR GUIDELINES
AND FORMS CHECK THE WEB SITE

AT www.newenglandworkandfamily.com

CABLE AND LINE

SPLICERS SHOULD ONLY PERFORM THE OUTSIDE PORTION OF END TO END TESTING ON DARK FIBER. PLEASE DO NOT PERFORM C.O.T. WORK. IF YOU ARE BEING FORCED TO PERFORM THIS FUNCTION CALL THE UNION OFFICE AT 617-929-6000

PLEASE CONTINUE TO WORK SAFELY. LOCAL 2222 IS COMMITTED TO WORKPLACE SAFETY EVERDAY. MAKE SURE ALL VEHICLES ARE INSPECTED AND THE DVIR FORMS ARE FILLED OUT. INSPECT ALL WORK AREAS AND SAFETY EQUIPMENT.

SST

THE HOME GARAGE AGREEMENT HAS BEEN EXTENDED UNTIL JUNE 30, 2021. IN THE EVENT THAT THE COMPANY CHOOSES TO END OR CHANGE THIS AGREEMENT THE UNION HAS DEMANDED THAT ANY CHANGES TO THE AGREEMENT BE BARGAINED WITH THE T6 COUNCIL IN ADVANCE.

WITH MANY OF OUR SST'S NOT REPORTING TO GARAGE LOCATIONS IT IS IMPORTANT THAT YOU STAY IN TOUCH WITH YOUR SHOP STEWARDS. ALL NORMAL WORK RULES ARE STILL IN EFFECT. MEMBERS SHOULD NOT BE WORKING BEFORE THE START OF THEIR TOUR OR AFTER THE END OF THE TOUR.

PLEASE DO NOT PARTICIPATE IN ANY CANVASS UNTIL YOU HAVE CONFIRMED THAT THE UNION IS AWARE OF IT.

BENEVOLENT FUND

THE JACK OSHEA GOLF TOURNAMENT WILL BE HELD ON FRIDAY OCTOBER 1, 2021. AT THE WILLIAM DEVINE GOLF COURSE AT FRANKLIN PARK. WE ARE AWAITING CONFIRMATION THAT RESTRICTIONS HAVE BEEN LIFTED. ONCE WE HAVE THAT CONFIRMATION DETAILS AND SIGN UP INFORMATION WILL BE AVAILABLE ON OUR WEBSITE IBEW2222.ORG AND ON THE UNION INFORMATIONAL TAPE 617-929-6060.

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THE HOME GARAGING AND WORK FROM HOME AGREEMENTS WITH VZ HAVE BEEN EXTENDED THROUGH JUNE 30, 2021. TALKS WILL CONTINUE WITH THE COMPANY ON FURTHER EXTENSIONS. THE SAFETY AND WELL BEING OF OUR MEMBERS IS ALWAYS OUR FIRST CONCERN. PLEASE DISREGARD THE RUMORS, AND INSTEAD CHECK OUR WEBSITE AND CALL THE INFORMATION TAPE AT 617-929-6060 FOR UPDATES.

IF YOU ARE ASKED TO PERFORM WORK IN THE CO, PLEASE FIRST CHECK WITH THE COT, CALL YOUR STEWARD, OR CHECK WITH THE UNION OFFICE TO VERIFY YOU ARE NOT PERFORMING SOMEONE ELSE'S WORK. THE JOB YOU SAVE COULD BE YOUR OWN.

WE CONTINUE TO AWAIT A DECISION ON THE ARBITRATION CASE RELATED TO THE MOVEMENT OF WORK FROM COEI TO VERIZON BUSINESS/CONTRACTORS. WE WILL PROVIDE AN UPDATE AS SOON AS THE DECISION IS RECEIVED.

THE GRIEVANCE RELATED TO THE MOVEMENT OF WORK FROM THE QUINCY RTS GROUP HAS BEEN SCHEDULED FOR ARBITRATION. THE HEARING IS SCHEDULED FOR SEPTEMBER 17, 2021.

THE GRIEVANCE RELATED TO THE MOVEMENT OF WORK FROM THE DSAC GROUP AT 6 BOWDOIN SQUARE HAS BEEN SCHEDULED FOR ARBITRATION. THE COMPANY FILED A MOTION TO DISMISS AND THE ARBITRATOR HAS RULED THE CASE CAN MOVE FORWARD.

THE AFFECTED GROUPS WILL BE KEPT UPDATED AS TO THE PROGRESS OF THESE GRIEVANCES.

PLEASE REMEMBER THAT ALL CARRY-OVER VACATION TIME, PER ARTICLE P12.12, MUST BE USED BY THIS SATURDAY, JUNE 5, 2021.

PLANT CLERICAL

WE HAVE BEEN MADE AWARE OF THE COMPANY'S PLAN TO AUTOMATE WORK CURRENTLY PERFORMED AT THE DRC LOCATED AT 6 BOWDOIN SQUARE. WE WILL BE REQUESTING MORE SPECIFIC INFORMATION FROM THE COMPANY, AND THE IMPACT ON THE MEMBERSHIP.

THE GRIEVANCE RELATED TO MOVEMENT OF WORK FROM THE NATIONAL DI CENTER AT 6 BOWDOIN SQUARE IS AT STEP 3 AT THE GRIEVANCE PROCESS (LABOR RELATIONS). WE WILL PROVIDE UPDATES TO THE GROUP AS THEY BECOME AVAILABLE.

THE SAFETY AND WELL-BEING OF OUR MEMBERS IS OUR TOP PRIORITY AS TALKS CONTINUE ON AN EXTENSION TO THE WORK AT HOME AGREEMENT. STAY TUNED FOR UPDATES.

SIEMENS MEDICAL

LOCAL 2222 HAS FILED AN NLRB CHARGE AGAINST THE SIEMENS IMAGING GROUP. THE CHARGE WAS FILED BECAUSE OF THE COMPANY REFUSAL TO COLLECT DUES FROM SOME MEMBERS AND FOR NOT NOTIFYING THE UNION WHEN NEW EMPLOYEES ARE BROUGHT INTO THE GROUP.

THE SIEMENS IMAGING CONTRACT EXPIRES ON SEPTEMBER 30, 2021.

BARGAINING WILL RESUME WITH THE SIEMENS DX GROUP ON WEDNESDAY, JUNE 16 AND THURSDAY, JUNE 17. WE WILL MEET IN PERSON AT THE SHERATON HOTEL IN NORWOOD