

BUSINESS MANAGERS REPORT

November 3, 2021

THE NUMBER OF PLANT CASES IN ARBITRATION STANDS AT 4

**THE STEWARDS OF THE LOCAL WILL MEET ON WEDNESDAY
November 17, 2021 AT 12 NOON BY VIDEO CONFERENCE.**

**THE EXECUTIVE BOARD OF THE LOCAL WILL MEET ON
WEDNESDAY DECEMBER 1, 2021 AT THE UNION OFFICE.
THE MEETING WILL BEGIN AT 1:00PM**

SALES

THE UNION AND MANAGEMENT WILL MEET IN THE COMING DAYS TO DISCUSS VACATION SELECTIONS FOR 2022. ANY UPDATES OR CHANGES WILL BE SHARED THROUGH THE STEWARDS.

CURRENT TOURS HAVE BEEN EXTENDED THROUGH FEBRUARY 5TH, 2022 TO COINCIDE WITH THE LATEST WORK FROM HOME AGREEMENT. ANY QUESTIONS PLEASE SEE YOUR STEWARD OR CONTACT THE UNION HALL AT 617-929-6000.

AVAYA

AVAYA AND THE IBEW SYSTEM COUNCIL T-5 HAVE REACHED AN AGREEMENT ON THE COVID 19 VACCINATION REQUIREMENT. ALL UNION EMPLOYEES WHO WORK ON FEDERAL COVERED CONTRACTS MUST BE FULLY VACCINATED NO LATER THAN DECEMBER 8, 2021, UNLESS SUBJECT TO AN APPROVED MEDICAL OR RELIGIOUS ACCOMMODATION.

CABLE AND LINE

THE UNION AND THE COMPANY MET FOR THE SECOND STEP GRIEVANCE HEARING ON THE G18 VIOLATION WITH REGARD TO UNSAFE PRACTICES PERFORMED BY THE CONTRACTING COMPANY, OSMOS. THE GRIEVANCE IS CURRENTLY UNDER ADVISEMENT

WE ARE REVIEWING DOCUMENTATION PROVIDED TO US BY THE COMPANY.

PEASE BE AWARE OF YOUR WORK ENVIRONMENT AND REPORT ANY UNSAFE CONDITION.

SST

NOVEMBER 1, THE NUMBER OF HOURS MANAGEMENT CAN FORCE YOU TO WORK OVERTIME WENT FROM 12 TO 10. IT WILL REMAIN AT 10 HOURS UNTIL THE FIRST PAYROLL PERIOD IN JUNE

10 SST's HAVE BEEN TEMPORARILY TRANSFERRED FROM THE BRAINTREE AND NORWOOD I&M GARAGES TO THE BOSTON BUILD FOR 60 DAYS

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IN COEI, INSTALLATION WORK REMAINS SLOW. THE LED LIGHTING PROJECTS WILL CONTINUE THROUGH AT LEAST THE END OF THE YEAR.

THE FIRST DAY OF HEARINGS FOR THE GRIEVANCE RELATED TO MOVEMENT OF WORK FROM THE DSAC GROUP AT BOWDOIN SQUARE WILL BE NEXT WEEK. WE WILL KEEP THE GROUP UPDATED.

NOW IS THE TIME TO REVIEW OT RULES AND START THINKING ABOUT PROPOSED CHANGES, IF ANY, FOR 2022. AS ALWAYS, OT RULE CHANGES WILL BE VOTED ON BY EACH AWG IN DECEMBER.

ALSO, VACATION PICKS FOR 2022 WILL BEGIN LATER THIS MONTH, AND SHOULD BE COMPLETED BY THE END OF DECEMBER. ANY ISSUES PLEASE SEE YOUR STEWARD OR CALL THE OFFICE.

HAPPY THANKSGIVING TO YOU AND YOUR FAMILIES!

PLANT CLERICAL

THE UNION WAS SUCCESSFUL IN THE MOVEMENT OF WORK GRIEVANCE FROM THE NATIONAL DI CENTER AT BOWDOIN SQUARE. PLEASE SEE YOUR STEWARD OR CALL THE OFFICE IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS.

AS A RESULT OF THE LATEST SURPLUS AND IPP OFFER, THERE WILL BE NO REBALANCE IN BRAINTREE. WE WILL HAVE 4 BIDS TOTAL, TWO IN BRAINTREE AND TWO IN DORCHESTER.

SIEMENS MEDICAL

MEMBERS IN OUR SIEMENS IMAGING GROUP OVERWHELMINGLY RATIFIED A FOUR YEAR CONTRACT. THANK YOU TO THE ENTIRE GROUP FOR YOUR SUPPORT AND ESPECIALLY THE BARGAINING TEAM FOR ALL YOUR HELP.

BARGAINING CONTINUES WITH THE SIEMENS DX GROUP. WE ARE HOPEFUL TO REACH A FIRST CONTRACT WITH THIS GROUP SOON.