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MEETINGS

WATERTOWN:

Regular meeting
August 4th, 7:00 p.m.
Watertown Union Hall
Watertown, NY 13601

PLATTSBURGH:

Satellite meeting
August 11th, 7:00 p.m.
Plattsburgh Union Hall
Plattsburgh, NY 12901

MANDATORY:

*Please wear a Mask &
maintain 6' social distancing!*

REMINDER

3rd Quarter Dues Are Now Payable

Wiremen \$126.60
Apprentice \$120.60

Check or exact cash accepted.

**Effective January 1, 2020 there was a
\$3.00 quarterly increase**

If you have any questions concerning
how much you may owe, please call
(315) 782-5630

MASSENA LABOR DAY PARADE CANCELED!

This year's Solidarity Parade and Field Day that would have taken place on Labor Day in Massena has been canceled due to COVID-19 concerns.

ELECTION OF OFFICERS

All nominees for election of Officers of Local 910 are unopposed.

PRESIDENT - Keith Sixberry

VICE PRESIDENT - Wayne Cuthbert

RECORDING SECRETARY- William Writesel

TREASURER - Steven Young

BUSINESS MANAGER / FINANCIAL SECRETARY / DELEGATE
TO THE INTERNATIONAL CONVENTION - John O'Driscoll

EXECUTIVE BOARD - William Burns, Guy Grill, Michael Levac

EXAMINING BOARD - Travis Flint, David Hoover, James Rehley,
Michael Rhubart

2nd DELEGATE TO THE INTERNATIONAL CONVENTION -
Keith Sixberry

Installation of Officers will be at the September 1, 2020 Regular
meeting in Watertown, NY.

BUSINESS MANAGER

Report at July '20 Regular Meeting

U=Union / NU = Non Union



Currently we have 62 Journeymen on Book I, 4 on Book II, 2 Apprentices available, 2 Residential, CE, CW's and 1 Tele-data Technician available for work.

Jobs bid in the last two weeks include: Whiteface Mountain Mid-Station Lodge Reconstruction went to S&L Electric(U) for \$1,220,000; and Kring Point Electrical Upgrades went to Lawman(U) for \$448,675.

From Executive Board Report -

Jobs bid in the last two weeks include: ORDA – Olympic Sports Complex Building Upgrades went to HR Clune(U) for \$80,200; NYSDEC Camp Colby EEC – Multi use Building went to Weydman(U) for \$156,950; ORDA Olympic Sports Complex – Site Data Upgrades went to Northline Utilities(U) for \$440,700; Westport Fire Station went to HR Clune(U) for \$169,800; and Town of Bombay Storage Bldg. went to S&L(U) for \$52,500.

Upcoming work includes: SUNY Plattsburgh-Memorial Hall, Town of, NYPA- Headgate Upgrades, Ausable Forks - Water System Rebid, Town of, ORDA Olympic Center Revitalization Project – Phase I Tunnel, ORDA Olympic Sports Center Condensing Unit Replacement, ORDA Olympic Sports Complex – Site Data Upgrades, Ticonderoga WWTP Ventilation Improvements, NYSDEC Camp Colby EEC – Multi use Building, ORDA Olympic Snow Melt Boiler Installation, NYPA – Saranac Digital Substation in Caddyville, Castorland Fire Department, Town of Hammond Municipal Building, Roth Industries – Addition, Champlain Border Crossing Passenger Administration Area, Village of Deferiet - Wastewater Treatment Plant, Fort Drum – UAV Shadow Hangar, Carthage Hospital, Agri-Mark's Chateaugay facility, the Number Three, Deer River, Roaring Brook and the Mad River windfarms. Several solar projects.

School projects that are in various stages of development: Parishville-Hopkinton \$2.3 million, Brushton-Moira \$11.5 million, Indian River \$41 million, Carthage \$35 million, Norwood-Norfolk \$9.1 million, Massena \$49.6 million and Madrid Waddington \$5 million.

We are still pretty busy with calls; Book I dropped from 82 to 62 since the Executive Board meeting 3 weeks ago. That is a combination of regular calls and recalls of Journeymen who were laid off due to the pandemic. Currently we have 3 Regular calls open for a total of 4 Journeymen and one short call. Many other Local Unions across New York State are busy including sister Locals Syracuse and Albany.

Due to the difficulty filling calls I declared a critical shortage of manpower, which is required to allow our retirees to return to work and still collect pension checks. This went into effect July 1st and remains in effect until September 30th. Thus far, no retirees have gone to work. Last summer 7 members took advantage of this.

The Local Union, Fund Office and JATC are still working with our Attorneys on written plans to resume normal business practices. Once that is finalized each office will have to log onto a New York State web site to affirm that we are following State regulations. Last week I took advantage of the New York State hand sanitizer give away coordinated by the Chamber of Commerce.

The new group of Apprentices have completed orientation and many are already employed by our contractors. I ask that you read the article in the July Newsletter and put your best efforts toward training them and welcoming them to the trade.