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BUSINESS MEETINGS

WATERTOWN:

Regular Meeting

August 6, 2024 7:00 p.m.

Watertown, NY

Plattsburgh satellite meeting will be live-streamed August 6th

Congratulations to new members

Brandon LaBarge, Kane Lynch, Edwin Moore and Katie Bemis

Congratulations to **Gregory Washburn** on his retirement!

3rd Quarter Dues Are Now Payable

Wiremen \$141.60

Apprentice \$135.60

Check or exact cash accepted.

You may also pay your quarterly Union dues via Paypal on the members only section of our web site.

<https://ibew910.org/910-members/>

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

LABOR DAY PARADE



Northern NY Electricians & Electrical Contractors



The Solidarity Parade is fast approaching. Please consider joining us as we participate in the parade. It will be held September 2, 2024 at 11 am in Massena, NY. If joining us please meet at the Alcoa Field at 10:00 am or at the corner of Bishop and Willow Street at 10:30 am.

Business Managers Report

Currently we have 33 Journeymen on Book I, 4 on Book II, 2 Apprentices, 2 Residential-CE/CW's and 0 Tele-data technicians available for work.

Jobs bid in the last two weeks include: Village Of Canton Water Treatment Facility-Collins-Hammond \$157,000, Clifton Fine CSD-Watson \$1.6M, Watertown Airport Redevelopment-S&L \$2.75M, Town of Orleans Library-Empire Northeast (NU) \$41,609, SUNY Canton Nevaldine Hall Switchgear Replacement- Watson \$544,000, Plattsburgh Walmart Renovations-Twin Electrical Solutions (no price), Wilna Housing Authority Parking Lot Lights-New Century Electric \$91,332, Au Sable Forks WWTP Improvements-Weydman \$395,900,

From Executive Board Report: ORDA Ammonia Compressor Replacement-Northline Utilities, ORDA Water Collection System-Northline Utilities, Colton Pierrepont CSD Capital Improvements-TEL Inc. \$636,250, Gouverneur Middle School-Empire Northeast (NU) \$78,960, Charles H. Bolen Technical Center Welding Labs-Empire Northeast (NU) \$127,960.

Upcoming work includes: Norwood BOCES Reconfigure Welding Labs, Colton Pierrepont CSD Capital Improvements, Gouverneur Middle School, Bolen Technical Institute (Watertown BOCES) Expansion Project, Peru Elementary Kitchen Exhaust, Salmon River CSD Solar Project, Clinton County Exhaust Fume Capture System, Town of Jay Park Lighting Upgrade, DASNY JOC Contracts.

It was a good month for bid results, it's nice to see Union Contractors getting the projects. Work is really picking up and we are having trouble filling calls especially in St. Lawrence County. We met with people from Precision Solar about the projects they are starting in Canton. They are looking for 12 electricians to start July 18th. Precision is paying \$150 per day per diem. Pro Circuit signed a letter of Assent and is now a union contractor. They have hired 6 so far and plan on adding another 6 next week. Both solar jobs are expected to be complete in early September. JW Didado is also looking to add 1 or 2 Journeymen at the Hydrogen Plant. The next phase of the project is scheduled to be bid July 15th.

I attended a meeting with the New York State Business Managers to come up with a prefab agreement. We are looking to address some of the issues that are coming up with contractors prefabbing parts in one jurisdiction and installing them in another. The main thing is making sure the hours get reported to the Local Union that has the work. We have only dealt with it on a few occasions, but I think it is going to be more common going forward.