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MEETINGS / FACEBOOK

WATERTOWN:

Regular meeting
June 4th, 7:00 p.m.

PLATTSBURGH:

Satellite meeting
June 11th, 7:00 p.m.

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REMINDER

3rd Quarter Dues Are Now Payable

Wiremen \$123.60
Apprentice \$117.60

Check or exact cash accepted.

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

IBEW LOCAL 910 AND CLINTON COMMUNITY COLLEGE CREATE PATHWAY FOR JOURNEYMEN



Local 910 members who have completed the apprenticeship can now attain an Associates Degree more easily from Clinton Community College.

From a Press Release from the College;

Clinton Community College has worked closely with the International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers (IBEW) Local 910 in creating a pathway for its Journeymen into the new Associate in Occupational Studies degree program in Industrial and Commercial Electrician. By completing the five-year IBEW Inside Journeyman Wireman Apprenticeship program, which includes the required on-the-job hours and successful completion of the Electrical Joint Apprenticeship Training Coursework, the journeymen will qualify for advanced placement in the new degree program and will receive 51 of the required 61 credit hours.

Clinton Community College President DiPasquale states "this is a unique and innovative collaboration which is exciting for both IBEW and Clinton Community College and is a clear pathway to a college degree for members of the IBEW."

IBEW Training Director, Alan Smith, states "this program will be a big stepping stone for those students that might not be interested in attending college (like myself) to be able to earn a college degree while doing what they love. "Working with their hands - Our apprentices put in over 1000 hours of classroom training and 8000 hours of on-the-job training to become a journeyman wireman and with the help of everyone at Clinton Community, it is very nice to say they can earn a degree."

BUSINESS MANAGER

Report at May '19 Regular Meeting

U=Union / NU = Non Union



Currently we have 70 Journeymen on Book I, 9 on Book II, 6 Apprentices out of work, 3 Residential, CE, CW's and 1 Tele-data Technician available for work.

Jobs bid in the last two weeks include: Malone OGS Cold Storage Building went to Dow (NU) for \$65,000, Carthage CSD- West Carthage Elementary had Amp (NU) low at \$60,775, Lake Placid CSD went to Dow(NU) at \$647,000 (base bid - they were 23% lower than #2 bidder Gross(U)), Peru CSD went to WJ Murray(U) for \$110,000, and River Hospital electric will be done by NYTRIC(U).

From Executive Board Report-

Jobs bid in the last two weeks include: Jefferson County Administration Building which was a GC bid to 34&Co for \$154,239 (they will sub electric to NYTRIC(U)), Clayton Village Underground Utility Upgrade Project – Electrical Services to Property Owners went to New Century(U) for \$667,517, and Heuvelton Water System Improvements had Collins-Hammond(U) Low at \$70,000 (this job had 10 bidders, 6-U, 4-NU).

Upcoming work includes: Fort Drum Exterior LED lighting, Crown Point Central School-Auditorium Renovation, Champlain Border-A/V Upgrades, , Fort Drum ECIP, City of Ogdensburg – East River Pump Station Rehabilitation, Robert Moses State Park-Admin Facilities, Casino Island-Rebid, Fort Drum Museum, SUNY Canton-Wicks Hall, Ausable Forks, Heuvelton and Crown Point all have -Water System Improvements, Village of Clayton Downtown Project, Carthage Hospital, Agri-Mark's Chateaugay facility, the Number Three, Deer River, Roaring Brook and the Mad River wind farms.

School projects that are in various stages of development: Peru \$2.8 million, Franklin-Essex-Hamilton BOCES \$18.5 million, General Brown \$9.37 million, Parishville-Hopkinton \$2.3 million, St. Lawrence Central \$17.7 million, Brushton-Moira \$11.5 million, Jeff-Lewis BOCES \$20 million, St Lawrence-Lewis BOCES \$43.5 million, Beaver River \$12 million and Indian River \$3.5 million.

Work is starting to take off. At the Executive Board meeting 3 weeks ago we had 88 on Book 1.

As you noticed from the bid results, we did not fair too well in the last two weeks. Dow seems to be fairly aggressive. I am beyond trying to explain how they run that business, but we need to remember they are different from our contractors. Dow is doing more General Contracting work, ADA compliance sidewalk jobs and traffic signal work. I think the traffic signal work is very lucrative. There is a small pool of bidders. Local 1249's contractors seem to have no interest in it.

Both Indian River and Carthage schools have new projects going in front of voters for approval later this month. Indian Rivers project is estimated to be around \$41 million and will focus on roofs, climate control, mechanical, structural, and electrical elements within various buildings. Carthage Schools proposal is estimated at \$35 million and would provide new office space at the high school and close an older building. Other district-wide electrical improvements will be made to fire alarm systems, public address systems and blue light notification, digital clock systems, emergency electrical generators and exterior building and site lighting. Carthage would like to start their project in 2020; Indian River would like to begin in 2021.

A Rochester Developer, Norbut Solar, has plans for a 25-megawatt Solar Array near Chaumont. The owner called asking for our support for the project. He is trying to get a PILOT agreement. I am researching what other projects they've done or have in the development stage and see if he has worked with any signatory contractors. I have reached out to several IBEW Locals in the Southern Tier to see what they can find out.

As was read in the correspondence, the International approved our building addition and the roof replacements. I would like the membership to also approve these expenditures. The site work contractor is scheduled to be here Thursday.