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MEETINGS

WATERTOWN:

Regular meeting

March 2nd, 7:00 p.m.

Watertown Union Hall

Watertown, NY 13601

PLATTSBURGH:

Satellite meeting

March 9th, 7:00 p.m.

Plattsburgh Union Hall

Plattsburgh, NY 12901

Congratulations to Brian and Cierra Tricky on the birth of Hayden John.

Hayden was born February 8, 2021, weighing 6 pounds & 12 ounces.

REMINDER

1st Quarter Dues Are Now Payable

Wiremen \$126.60
Apprentice \$120.60

Check or exact cash accepted.

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

SEEKING JATC INSTRUCTORS FOR DAY CLASSES!



EJATC
Electrical Joint Apprenticeship Training Committee
Of Watertown NY

The EJATC of Watertown will be accepting resumes for a teaching position.

I am sure by now a lot of you have heard that the JATC will be moving to daytime classes starting September of 2021.

This Position will employ an instructor for 36 weeks, it would then be the instructor's choice to work for one of our signatory contractors or draw unemployment for the remaining 16 Weeks. (We will be hiring one instructor for each training location)

If you have any questions about this position or would like more details, please give myself a call. (315) 782-1675

Prior teaching experience is not required.

All resumes must be submitted by April 4th 2021. (They can be handed in person, emailed, or mailed)

Email: asmith@ibew910.org

In Person: 25001 Water Street Watertown NY 13601 Or 28 New York Rd Plattsburgh NY 12901

Mailed: 25001 Water Street Watertown NY 13601 Att. Alan Smith

Sincerely

Alan Smith
Training Director
EJATC of Watertown

This job is posted at:

<http://ibew910.org/pdf/Instructor%20Job.pdf>

FUND MANAGER TO REPORT AT MEETING

Prior to the Regular Union meeting on March 2nd, Fund Manager Mark Capone will report on the status of our benefit funds. At the meeting, the membership will vote on distribution of a \$1.60 increase to the total package of wage and benefits.

BUSINESS MANAGER

Report at February 2021 Regular Meeting

U=Union / NU = Non Union



Currently we have 69 Journeymen on Book I, 7 on Book II, 11 Apprentices available, 5 Residential, CE, CW's and 1 Tele-data Technicians available for work.

Jobs bid in the last two weeks include: St. Lawrence Psych Ctr. Boiler Decentralization went to Watson (U) \$178,041, Wadhams Wastewater Treatment Plant – Essex County went to S&L (U) for \$94,000, Gouverneur CF - Replace Hot Water Heat Exchangers, Blds 1, 2, 4-19, 23 & 29 went to Dow (NU) for \$130,987.

From Executive Board Report;

Jobs bid in the last two weeks include: Indian River CSD Capital Project - Antwerp - Phase 1 went to Collins – Hammond Electric (U) for \$620,000, Salt Storage Buildings Region 7 – Clinton County went to WJ Murray (U) for \$130,700, and Altona CF - Above ground Hot Water Heating Lines and Domestic Water Heaters went to Weydman (U) \$277,700.

Upcoming work includes: NYPA – Saranac Digital Substation in Caddyville, Roth Industries – Addition, Dannemora Federal Credit Union Main Office Renovation, Champlain Border Crossing Passenger Administration Area, NYSDEC Field Office & Maint. Bldg. Louisville, Massena Substation Breaker Replacement, STL Water Tower Replacement Massena NYPA, NYPA MA-Advance Power Flow Control Project, Indian River CSD Capital Project - Antwerp - Phase 1, Olympic Center Revitalization – James Sheffield Speed Skating Oval and Support Building, Malone Department Public Works Facility, Ft. Drum - New Railhead Loading Facility, Carthage Hospital, Agri-Mark's Chateaugay facility, the Number Three, Deer River, and the Mad River wind farms. There are several solar projects in the works.

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, Massena \$49.6 million, and Madrid Waddington \$5 million.

We have had a few lay-offs in the last 2 weeks yet we still struggle to fill calls. It took several days to fill a short call for 2 Journeymen at Alcoa East and I have yet to fill a regular call in Ogdensburg. We have had some Journeymen get out in Local 43.

I attended the IBEW/NECA Employee Benefit Conference last week on line. This is a conference Mark Capone and I usually travel to Florida for. This has always been a very informative meeting; we did get a lot of information during the on-line version but we do not get to do the networking which is vital to make or continue relationships. They reported the IBEW/NECA Electronic Reciprocal Transfer System (ERTS) is still setting records for usage, both in man-hours and money transferred. This system has been designed to primarily assist plan participants (most of whom are IBEW members), in requesting the transfer of pension and health & welfare money (contributions) back to their home funds no matter where they may be working. The leadership has a complete update to ERTS ready that they planned to already have rolled out, but the pandemic delayed that from happening.

I spoke with a representative for AES Clean Energy last week. This man previously worked for Geronimo Energy. I tried to help him move some projects ahead when he was with Geronimo. He told me his new employer has 4 very large solar projects planned in our jurisdiction. They are in Lyme/Brownville, Wilna/Croghan, Burke/Chateaugay and New Bremen. He did not have solid start dates for any of these but said the Wilna/Croghan job is 125 megawatts, and he said the other jobs were similar.

I will be doing a session of CIR via Zoom the next two weeks.

I want to remind everyone to be vigilant in wearing their mask and social distancing.

