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## Regular Meeting Dates

**WATERTOWN:** Regular meeting  
September 4th, 7:00 p.m.

**PLATTSBURGH:** Satellite meeting  
September 11th, 7:00 p.m.

## Join Us

**- Monday September 3<sup>rd</sup> !**

A great way to support the IBEW and Local 910 is to participate in the Labor Day Parade in Massena.

Retired Members can ride in the horse drawn wagon and the rest of the members and their families can march.

Local 910 members gather at Alcoa Field at 10:00AM or 10:30AM at the corner of Bishop & Willow Streets.

After the parade, we have snacks and refreshments at Springs Park.

**All are welcome!**



**REMINDER:**

**3rd Quarter Dues  
Are Now Payable**

**Wiremen \$120.60  
Apprentice \$114.60**

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

## Endorsements

The **Central Trades & Labor Council** endorsed the following Candidates at the August 1<sup>st</sup> meeting:

US 21<sup>st</sup> Congressional District – **Tedra Cobb**  
45<sup>th</sup> NYS Senate District – **Betty Little**  
47<sup>th</sup> NYS Senate District – **Joe Griffo**  
48<sup>th</sup> NYS Senate District – **Patty Richie**  
115<sup>th</sup> NYS Assembly District – **Billy Jones**  
116<sup>th</sup> NYS Assembly District – **Addie Jenne**  
118<sup>th</sup> NYS Assembly District – **Keith Rubino**  
5<sup>th</sup> Judicial District Supreme Court Judge – **Hon. Scott DelConte**  
5<sup>th</sup> Judicial District Supreme Court Judge – **Hon. Ted Limpert**  
Jefferson County Sheriff – **Colleen O'Neill**  
St. Lawrence County Coroner – **Jamie Sienkiewicz**  
St. Lawrence County Coroner – **Joseph White**

## Thousand Islands Land Port of Entry Wellesley Island, NY



Journeyman Robert Houghton and Jessy Vance, along with Apprentice Tyler Cook.  
**Have your job site pictures? Send them in.**

Currently we have 36 Journeymen on Book I, 3 on Book II, 0 Apprentice out of work, 5 Residential, CE, CW's and 0 Tele-data Technicians available for work.

Jobs bid in the last week include: Willsboro-Waste Water Treatment Upgrades JM Electric Service (U); Hunt Street Storage Building Improvements was a GC bid to Blackhorse for \$410,744, they are subbing the electric to NYTRIC (U); Eisenhower Locks Massena – Hands Free Mooring went to Dow (NU) for \$498,900; JCC Lewis Educational Facility- Lewis County Site work and Utilities was a GC bid to DC Builders for \$1,823,500, we suspect the electric will go to B&D Enterprises (NU); Chateaugay CSD- Capital Improvement Project went to Dow (NU) for \$606,500; Southwicks-New Beach Bathhouse & Concession went to Northern Pioneer (U) \$156,000; Site work for Southwicks was in the GC bid that went to Northern Tier, we are told will sub the electric to Stevens electric (NU); Canton CSD Concession Stand/Bathrooms went to Watson(U) for \$46,300; and the LeRay and Watertown Walmart renovations will be done by NYTRIC.

*From Executive Board Report*

Jobs bid in the last week include: Higley Flow Park Restrooms went to S&L Electric (U) for \$154,400, and St. Lawrence County Courthouse-Entrance Renovations was a GC bid to Northern Tier for \$69,900, they will sub the electric to Collins-Hammond (U).

Upcoming work includes: SUNY Potsdam Lehman Hall Phase VIII, SUNY Plattsburgh-Whiteface Hall, Canton CSD-Capital Outlay Project, St. Regis Mohawk Tribe-Health Services Building, Fairfield Inn and Suites-Canton, Carthage CSD-Generator Bus Garage, SUNY Potsdam-Music Center Rehab, SUNY Plattsburgh Bathroom Renovations, Crown Point Central School-Auditorium Renovation, Fort Drum Exterior LED lighting, Franklin Correctional Facility-Switchgear Testing, Clarkson-Cheel Arena Renovations, Samaritan Health-Women's Wellness Center, JCC Lewis County Phase 2, LaFargeville CSD- Capital Outlay, Crown Point Central School-Auditorium Renovation, Champlain Border-A/V Upgrades, Fern Island (Boldt Castle) WWTP, Agri-Mark's Chateaugay facility, Norsk Titanium, a new development for a windfarm on Galloo Island, and the Mad River windfarms.

School projects that are in various stages of development: Clifton-Fine \$3.6 million, Brasher Falls \$10 million, 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, and Jeff-Lewis BOCES \$20 million.

We are still having difficulty filling job calls. Hardly anyone new surfacing in seek of work. We have received a few calls from travelers looking for work, but they have not shown up to sign the book.

Last week we were notified that Riverfront Medical, our 3<sup>rd</sup> party provider for our Drug-Free Workplace program, has closed its doors. I will be looking for a replacement for those services. It is a challenge to find providers who perform the service in all six (6) counties we cover.

I have talked to Apex Clean Energy, who is developing the Galloo Island windfarm. A public statement hearing will be held on August 14<sup>th</sup> at the Henderson Fire Hall. I will be attending to speak in support of the project. If the project receives State approval, the work will be done in the summer of 2020. The substation will be in Oswego, which is in Local 43's jurisdiction.

Congresswoman Elise Stefanik announced today that President Trump will visit Fort Drum on Monday. The President will sign the National Defense Authorization Act while visiting the Post.

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