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FROM THE BUSINESS MANAGER'S PERSPECTIVE

BY JEFF HEIMERL



WORK PICTURE INFORMATION, BENEFIT FORMS, AND LOCAL NEWS

Greetings Brothers and Sisters,

As we settle into winter here in the frozen tundra of Minnesota, our work opportunities for members on the out-of-work list continue to be limited in our jurisdiction. Although the outlook from our employers seems quite optimistic for spring and summer, the work picture is slow right now.

Anyone who is registered on the out-of-work list and looking to go to work in another jurisdiction should contact our hiring hall. There are still opportunities to work in other Locals while waiting for our Local work picture to improve. As always, we thank all the local unions who provide work for our members.

Currently, we are exploring and signing Project Labor Agreements ("PLAs") that cover work at several jobsites within our jurisdiction. The amount of work projected by our contractors, coupled with the PLAs being presented and signed, should bring increased opportunities in Local 292's jurisdiction for many of our members.

I have spoken with several members regarding healthcare benefit forms that are required to be submitted to the benefits office on an annual basis. I understand that these forms can be cumbersome, but the fact is, the information submitted on these forms is required to ensure that we maintain the best possible healthcare benefits at the most competitive cost available. If you have not done so already, please get your spousal coverage and adult dependent forms submitted to the benefits office as soon as possible so healthcare coverage does not lapse on any of your loved ones.

Additionally, for members participating in the personal savings plan, covered under the inside agreement, please submit your account information to the benefits office so your personal savings monies can be deposited in a timely fashion. If you have any questions about any of the benefit forms, please contact our Local 292 benefits office.

Local 292 has hired an additional organizer in the metro office and we will be hiring one more to work out of the St. Cloud office. Our goal with these additional organizers is to increase work opportunities for all our members. Recently, Local 292 was successful in demonstrating majority status for a group of electrical workers at a local manufacturing plant. We look forward to negotiating with this company and working to reach a fair and equitable contract for this new bargaining unit. Negotiations are ongoing with several other signatory employers as well. We have open contracts at many of our public sector employers, broadcasting employers, and manufacturing employers. We will continue to work diligently at negotiating agreements for all our members working at these employers.

As we move through this winter, please stay safe. I look forward to seeing you at our next Union meeting.

In Brotherhood,
Jeffrey J. Heimerl

Service Pins

10-YEAR SERVICE PIN

Last_name	First_name	Mi
ARMSTRONG	KEEGAN	M
AULD	CHAD	J
BARGELLINI	LOUIS	J
BECKER	JOEL	R
BIZEK	BRYAN	A
BLANSKI	RICHARD	D
BRAIEDY	CHRIS	M
BRAY	NICHOLAS	M
CHERNOW	ADDISON	S
COLLINS	MATT	E
DANIELS	NICHOLAS	A
DERKS	MATTHEW	W
EISCHENS	RYAN	J
ERIKSON	TAYLOR	K
FABER	JOSEPH	O
FIECKE	DANIEL	J
FLOREK	TRAVIS	L
FRITZ	JODY	D
GATES	JESSE	A
GREEN	ANTHONY	J
GRINDLAND	TOBIN	A
HAWN	MATTHEW	E
HEINTZ	CHAD	D
HENKENIUS	JEFFREY	A
JOHNSON	DEREK	A
KALLSTROM	JON	R
KASELLA	RYAN	J
KESLER	SCOTT	D
KREKELBERG	MATTHEW	A
KUEHN	BENJAMIN	T
LEMAY	JOHN	L
LIERMAN	MORGAN	M
LINDSEY	REMUS	L
LOGAN	DAJON	D
LONG	DANIEL	S
LUCIA	ANTHONY	P
LUNDBERG	TRENT	M
MACKINNON	JASON	M
MEICHSNER	JONATHAN	M
MIETTUNEN	CHARLES	J
MILLER	NICOLAS	J
MILLER	TONY	L
MOGENSEN	CHRIS	J
MOREEN	MICHAEL	P
MORENO	CLAUDIA	
NORDLING	ERIC	D
ORTEGA	DAVID	
OVICK	JENNIFER	
PASCHALL	JEFFREY	D
PRASKA	DANIEL	J
PREISS	ADAM	
RAKOS	SCOTT	J
RANALLO	DANIEL	J
RIES	NICKOLAS	W
SANDIN	BENJAMIN	D
SCHMITZ	ZACHARY	D
SCHWINGHAMER	GORDON	G
SCOTT	ALAN	R
SERUM	TYLER	J
SHARP	CAROL	J
SHROYER	DARRIN	R
SINGER	NICHOLAS	J

STEFFENS	RYAN	T
STOCK	MARK	A
SUCIK	CHRIS	D
SWANSON	MICHAEL	E
THOMAS	COLLIN	D
TSCHIMPERLE	OLIVER	J
VANDERLINDE	KEVIN	L
VAUX	JOSHUA	J
WAGNER	JACOB	M
WESTLING	SHAWN	R
WESTMAN	CORY	E
WOODSON	EDDIE	L
ZALAZAR	DAVID	M

20-YEAR SERVICE PIN

ADAMS	JOHN	P
AGUIRRE	NICKY	P
ALLEN	LARRY	D
ALTENHOFEN	NICOLE	R
ANDERS	CHRIS	J
AREL	EDWIN	F
AZURE	DAVID	A
BANCROFT	DAVID	J
BAUMGARTNER	JOE	A
BERGSTROM	BENJY	L
BERGSTROM	KEVIN	J
BOWMAN	KEVIN	L
BRAUN	MARK	R
BRENNY	CHRIS	S
CAPUTO	ROGER	W
COLLETTE	ADAM	J
COLLINS	PATRICK	A
COSGROVE	STEVEN	P
DAHL	STEVE	J
DALTON	CHRISTOPHER	M
DAVIDSON	TRUDY	L
DELORME	JOSEPH	D
DICAIRE	MARK	R
DOMIER	JASON	E
DONAHUE	JAMES	C
DUNDERI	BRYAN	M
DZIENGEL	MATTHEW	D
DZIEWECZYNSKI	DUSTIN	J
EICHMILLER	JEREMY	D
EMMERICH	JON	C
ESPINOZA	ERNESTO	
EVENSON	JOSEPH	D
FIERST	RYAN	M
FILLYAW	MARK	T
FORDE	EDWARD	F
FORESTER	RYAN	J
FRANK	TODD	D
FRANKLIN	MARK	D
FREDERICKSON	WADE	
FRIEDEL	RYAN	P
FRY	TERRY	G
GAST	TRAVIS	G
GILBERT	M	W
GILLUND	RODNEY	K
GOEBEL	JEFFREY	A
GOGGIN	MICHAEL	T
GRAMENTZ	KEVIN	J
GRANDPREY	BENJAMIN	J
GUNDERSON	CHAD	A

HALVORSEN	DANIEL	B
HANSON	DANIEL	O
HEATH	DONALD	K
HEININGER	NICK	J
HELTEMES	JOSEPH	L
HENRY	JACOB	D
HESS	RYAN	R
HILL	LONNY	D
HLIVKA	JEFFREY	A
HOEHN	ROBERT	D
HOLMQUIST	DREW	L
HOOKOM	SCOTT	D
HORNING	ERICK	P
HUBER	MARK	R
IHLENFELDT	JOEL	G
JANSKI	MICHAEL	P
JEWETT	JEFFREY	R
JOHNSON	MARK	A
JOHNSON	ROBERT	P
JOHNSON	SARA	J
JONES	GERALD	L
JOSWIAK	THOMAS	R
KAPSNER	THOMAS	J
KEAVENY	JAMES	W
KISHBAILEY	ADAM	C
KOBZA	LESLIE	J
KOCH	ERICH	J
KOWALZEK	BRIAN	T
KRUSE	RON	A
LANG	SCOTT	K
LARSON	DAN	L
LARSON	ERIC	D
LEEGARD	PAUL	E
LEGG	BEN	M
LEITSCHUH	CURT	J
LERFALD	NATHAN	M
LIDBERG	MATT	L
LISTERUD	BYRON	J
LOZANO	RICARDO	A
LUND	NATHAN	T
LUPIEN	JASON	F
MACLENNAN	JAMES	L
MACMILLAN	SCOTT	T
MAHLE	ROBERT	L
MARGOLIS	JOSEPH	R
MATTSON	KEVIN	R
MCCULLOUGH	MICHAEL	B
MCEACHERN	JOHN	R
MICKISH	JOHN	C
MOREHEAD	DELA	T
MORTENSON	MCKAY	B
MUELLER	RYAN	P
MURPHY	JOSEPH	J
NEESER	RONALD	T
NEIERT	DAVID	A
NELSON	HEATH	L
NELSON	JAY	B
NESS	BRIAN	W
NEWMAN	KYLE	J
OBERSTAR	STEVEN	F
ODEGARD	JOSHUA	L
OHlund	JADE	K
OLSON	DOUGLAS	O

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OLSON	GEARY	R
OLSON	MICHAEL	R
OMODT	MICHAEL	A
ORTON	JAMES	R
PARIS	JAMES	G
PEARSON	MICHAEL	J
PEARSON	PETER	A
PEDERSON	TIMOTHY	J
PENTICOFF	KEITH	R
PETERSON	BENJAMIN	J
PHAIR	DALE	T
PIERSON	JASON	M
PIFFER	AARON	G
PIHL	LEIF	O
PLOCKER	RICKY	L
PODEWILS	NICHOLAS	
PUNDT	MARTIN	J
RASSET	TRAVIS	F
RATTAI	RYAN	P
RAY	RYAN	A
REECE	MAURICIO	L
REESE	ALEX	J
RIEBE	JEFF	E
ROMMEL	JAMES	C
ROSE	DAVID	M
RUBENZER	DAVID	M
RUFF	JASON	M
SAGER	CHRIS	R
SCHMALTZ	JEREMY	J
SCHNEIDER	GREGORY	J
SETTERLUND	JOHN	E
SIEVERS	BRIAN	R
SKARIE	BRUCE	N
SNYDER	JACK	
SPAULDING	JASON	N
STEBER	ADAM	L
STEGEMANN	WESLEY	J
STORCK	RICHARD	L
STROMBERG	ERIC	L
SULLIVAN	HAROLD	D
SYLVESTER	SCOTT	T
SYNNOTT	DOMINIC	O
TAHTINEN	WAYNE	S
TEMPLE	MARK	J
THIELE	DENNIS	E
TINSLEY	DONALD	P
TOLL	ERIC	C
TOPL	ROSS	J
TROUT	DUANE	J
TUPY	JOHN	A
TVRDIK	TODD	J
UECKER	DELMER	R
ULM	CHRISTINE	L
ULM	SHAWN	P
VAN VLEET	WALTER	R
VAUGHN	JAMES	D
VELDEY	STEVEN	D
VICKERS	MIKE	C
WALLER	DONALD	K
WALTERS	TERRY	F
WARK	TRAVIS	J
WEISE	SETH	A
WENDEL	PHILLIP	R
WILCOX	JOSHUA	G
WILLIAMS	ROBERT	G
WONDRA	LUCAS	N
WORKMAN	LUTHER	J
WORTS	CHRIS	C

YAECK	MATT	T
YOUNGS	BRADFORD	F
YOUNKER	REED	A
YOURCZEK	JASON	D
ZEGAR	BRYAN	W
ZIMMERMAN	THERON	P

25-YEAR SERVICE PIN

ALBERS	CORY	J
ALDEN	MARYANN	R
ALDERINK	IVAN	J
ALESHIRE	JAMES	P
ARMSTRONG	JEFF	L
ATKINS	DERRICK	L
ATKINSON	MICHAEL	J
BARTKOWICZ	JAMES	D
BASTOLICH	CHRISTINE	M
BERLIN	THOMAS	K
BLUM	JEFFREY	R
BROWN	JEFFREY	N
BUCKLEY	WAYNE	L
BULAU	TODD	K
CARROLL	GARY	E
CARTER	THOMAS	L
COCA	CARMEN	
COUTURE	MICHELLE	L
DIEMERT	BRANDT	M
DIERKES	CRAIG	A
DUNN	JEFF	W
DYNKAVITCH	TARAS	F
EHLERS	DANIEL	R
EICH	TODD	A
EKHOLM	JASON	E
FAGERSTROM	JUSTIN	N
FRANK	ALLEN	L
FRANK	CHAD	A
FRENZEL	DENNIS	W
FRIDAY	GORDON	A
GARCIA	REYNA	
GERLACH	ALEX	D
GROSHENS	JEFFREY	L
GRUENHAGEN	GLENN	A
GUSTAFSON	JEFF	D
HALL	DEVIN	D
HARKIN	DUSTIN	
HECHSEL	DALE	A
HENNING	JOHN	P
HERKENHOFF	THOMAS	R
HICKE	JAMES	J
HICKEY	SEAN	M
HOLLAND	MATTHEW	J
HONG	NATHAN	D
HUMPHREY	GERALD	R
IRVING	RONALD	D
JAHNKE	THOMAS	E
JANCO	MARK	B
JOHNSON	PETER	S
JOHNSON	STEVEN	C
KALKES	STEVEN	J
KANE	JOHN	A
KARNOWSKI	JOHN	J
KELLY	DANIEL	M
KING	ROBERT	E
KRAUSE	WILLIAM	B
LAKANEN	MARK	A
LAMEY	BRICE	P
LASKA	STEVEN	D

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St. Cloud

320-253-1292

Inside Agreement JATC-St. Michael

763-497-0072 or 1-888-244-3146

Statewide LEA JATC

763-571-5922

Benefit Office

763-493-8830 or 1-800-368-9045

TEAM Employee Assistance

651-642-0182 or 1-800-634-7710

Building Trades Credit Union

763-315-3888 or 1-800-496-2460

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"SENIOR SPARKIES NOTES"

Happy New Year!

By Paul Klesmit, Retiree President

Happy New Year to all our retirees. Hoping you all are staying safe and healthy in 2022. It's been a long 2 years of dealing with Covid and thought we would have been in a better place by now. Vaccinations, Boosters and masking along with social distancing are all helping, and I hope are keeping you as safe as possible.

We started 2022 with our January retiree meeting by swearing in our new officers who were elected at December meeting. I would like to congratulate our newly elected trustees, Kurt Iten, Tim Ravn and Harold Weiss. I would also like to thank Wally Kalscheuer, Mark Oberg and Jerry Olson for their service as trustees. Our other officers retained their current positions.

We congratulate our new retirees and welcome them to the prestigious group of The Local 292 Senior Sparkies. Plans are being considered on awarding our new retirees with a retirement award dinner but with Covid still running rampant those plans are slow to develop. We hope for things to improve in the near future. Stay tuned for updates on this event. We are still holding monthly retiree meetings at 12:30 on the 2nd tuesday of the month and invite you to come join us.

Stay Warm, Stay Healthy, Stay Safe

Fraternally,
Paul Klesmit
Senior Sparkies President



LOCAL 292 "SENIOR SPARKIES" VOLUNTARY DIRECTORY

I would like to be part of the Local 292 "Senior Sparkies" Voluntary Directory. I understand this is only to be used to keep retirees in contact with one another. I am only willing to share the information I have shared below.

Name _____ Card No. _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Phone (H) _____ (C) _____

Email _____ @ _____

Signed _____ Date _____



Political

Hello Brothers and Sisters of IBEW Local 292

By Andy Snope, IBEW 292 Legislative and Political Director

The Minnesota Legislature is now in session. Legislators began their work this year with a \$7.5 billion surplus. There are as many ideas on how to use that surplus as there are residents in Minnesota. In addition to that surplus, Governor Walz is proposing a \$2.7 billion bonding bill; with interest rates as low as they are, now is the time to borrow money for capital improvement/construction projects. We also expect a large portion of federal infrastructure money to come to Minnesota, including money for electric vehicle infrastructure. With all the combined revenue sources, we will be pushing for state- and federally-financed construction projects this legislative session.

In addition to supporting spending on construction projects, we will continue to defend against any changes to the Minnesota Electrical Act that would affect licensing, reciprocity, inspection, classifications, and apprenticeship ratios, and we will oppose any changes to standards and regulations that would be detrimental to our industry.

2022 is an important election year. All Minnesota legislators and constitutional officers, including governor, are up for election this year, as are all our U.S. Congressional Representatives. Also, this year, new federal and state legislative lines will be drawn, which will present even more of a political challenge. We will need to start early and work hard to make sure our collective labor voices are heard and to secure a labor-friendly majority at the Minnesota capitol as well as to help re-elect Tim Walz to another 4-year term as governor. With Tim Walz at the helm of the administration, we have been able to hold back a number of anti-worker, anti-electrical industry legislative attacks. We have been able to garner favorable outcomes for appointments of Department Commissioner and committee and board members that have served us well throughout the state and helped our industry. Without securing a labor-friendly majority, without re-electing Tim Walz, I have no doubt that we will see a steady stream of anti-worker and anti-electrical industry legislation and administrative action against us, including Right to

Work. We DO NOT want to become Wisconsin. Our anti-labor enemies are poised to put us there.

This year, more than any other, please consider getting involved to help our labor family gain the recognition and support we need to maintain and improve a great standard of living and to gain respect in the workplace, on the jobsite, at home, and in our communities.

I want to let you know of some important events and opportunities this year that you can participate in to help our collective IBEW Local 292 labor voice be heard.

January 31: Start of MN Legislative Session

February 1: Statewide Precinct Caucuses

February 15: Deadline for new legislative districting lines to be drawn

Late February – April: Senate District, Organizing Unit and Congressional District Endorsing Conventions

Mid-May: Political parties' state conventions in Rochester

May 17: Candidate filing starts

May 23: End of MN Legislative Session

August 9: Statewide Primaries

November 8: Election Day

I am proud and humbled to serve the men, women and families of IBEW Local 292. I am grateful to be a part of the team. Please don't hesitate to contact me if you have any questions about the legislative or political process.

In solidarity,

Andy Snope, IBEW Local 292
Legislative and Political Director
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News From the JATC

By Derrick Atkins, Training Director

There are many buzz words in the industry, such as “emotional intelligence”, “behavior intelligence”, and a new one that I recently heard, which was “positive job culture”. At times, it can be a challenge to be positive on the jobsite, considering all the negative factors that can be present all around us. I would challenge all of us to make sure we are part of that force that creates a “positive job culture” every day. On any given job, there could be workers from four different generations, from the Baby Boomers to Generation Z, all with different communication styles, motivational factors, priorities, and attitudes toward work. It is important that we understand the differences in how each generation views our world and work with that understanding. By doing that, we can help create a “positive job culture” and ensure our organization moves forward together in

solidarity. Leadership and mentorship are key to this goal. I encourage anyone that is willing to sign up to be a mentor or to continue to do so if you already are one. It is not a significant time commitment – just a willingness to take a phone call, send an email, or have a conversation with a newer apprentice looking for some guidance. I ask that you have the conversation, impart your wisdom and experience, and share it with the apprentices. This is what will close the experience gap that our society is facing.

In the fall, we were fortunate to celebrate our graduating apprentice classes of 2020 and 2021. We truly have some great apprentices in our program. Each of them earned the right to be called a Journeyworker by completing one of the more rigorous JATC programs in the country.

MPLS JATC Class of 2020



MPLS JATC Class of 2021



Service Pins cont.

25-YEAR SERVICE PIN cont.

LAWRENCE	SEAN	M
LENZ	JEFFREY	P
LERBERG	FRED	C
LINDQUIST	MARK	A
LUTZ	JOHN	M
MARTINEZ	MIGUEL	A
MAUS	JEFFREY	A
MCKEEMAN	ELANOR	R
MEYERS	DANIEL	C
MEYERS	KEVIN	G
MICHURSKI	DEAN	P
MITCHELL	GORDON	A
MOBROTEN	KURT	A
MULLENBERG	ROGER	G
MYRUM	ROGER	K
NARUSIEWICZ	DAVID	D
NESSETT	JEFFREY	S
NGUYEN	CHAU	B
NGUYEN	DAT	M
NORDHUS	CHRIS	A
NURSE	DESMOND	R
NYKANEN	RONALD	E
O'CONNELL	TOD	M
OCH	TIM	E
OSBECK	EUGENE	L
OSOWSKI	TERRY	G
PAVLOFF	PATRICK	R
PENZENSTADLER	JAMES	E
PEREZ	DIOGENES	A
PIERSKALLA	WILLIAM	R
PIERSON	MICHAEL	G
PRATT	STEVE	E
PROEHL	MICHAEL	D
PUNG	MICHAEL	
QUIGLEY	THOMAS	G
RASMUSSEN	JEREMY	G
RENDERNICK	COREY	R
REX	KENNETH	H
RICHARDS	CRAIG	S
RITTER	MATTHEW	J
ROBINSON	ROBERT	L
RODRIGUEZ	RAUL	
ROGERS	BRADLEY	J
ROWE	BILL	G
SABBY	CURTIS	D
SCARROW	STEVEN	D
SCHERER	VALDEMAR	E
SCHIBONSKI	CHAD	A
SCHLICHTING	THOMAS	R
SCHOPF	BRIAN	P
SCHROEDER	DAVID	R
SHERMAN	JAMES	T
SNYDER	JAMES	M
STALLING	VINCENT	E
STEELE	PAUL	J
STENDER	CHAD	A
SUHONEN	DOUGLAS	J
TAFT	CHRISTOPHER	D
TERHAAR	TIMOTHY	R
THELLIN	JAMES	H
THOMPSON	TROY	D
TRIPP	WAYNE	A
TURNER	RUSSELL	J

UNDEM	KEITH	W
VAN KREVELEN	RICHARD	F
VANDER HEYDEN	JASON	P
WAGNER	KORY	A
WALZ	DENNIS	L
WELCH	MICHAEL	D
WELCH	SCOTT	R
WELLS	HARRY	L
WENDT	ALLEN	S
WROBEL	CHRIS	G

30-YEARS OF SERVICE

ANVIK	BOBBY	G
BENEKE	JAMES	P
BERGERSON	CHRISTOPHER	C
BETHKE	DAVID	J
BLEGEN	MARK	A
CARLSON	GREGORY	J
CARLSON	JEFFREY	A
CLEM	GARY	L
COMPTON	STEVE	P
DAVIS	JESSE	R
DEROSIER	LARRY	J
EPPERLY	RANDAL	R
ERICKSON	GARY	L
FRANZ	PATRICK	D
GAUTHIER	JAMES	E
GIESEN	GERARD	M
GILMER	DALE	R
HANSON	JAMES	A
HARRISON	MARK	G
HILTON	DAVID	A
HOLLERMANN	ANDREW	J
HOLT	GARY	W
HURTADO	ANNETTE	L
INGALLS	KURT	A
JOHNSON	GERALD	M
JOHNSON	LISA	K
KALTHOFF	DENNIS	R
KLEIN	PAUL	M
KNIGHT	ARTHUR	F
KOIVISTO	MICHAEL	J
KREKELBERG	ROBERT	G
LAWLER	JAMES	M
LYNCH	PATRICK	D
MAGEE	MICHAEL	J
MCLAUGHLIN	ANTHONY	K
MCSHANNOCK	MARY	H
MIESEN	DALE	F
NORDQUIST	JASON	L
OLSON	CHAD	M
OST	DALLAS	A
PEITZ	TIM	T
PERREAULT	MICHAEL	J
PETERSON	JEFFREY	S
RAHE	RICHARD	M
RENZAGLIA	ROBERT	
REWARD	THOMAS	A
ROSAS-FLORES	CIRILO	
RYAN	TIMOTHY	J
RYCHLICKI	DANIEL	
RYCHLY	BEN	E
SCHNEIDER	JEFFREY	D
SCHREIFELS	EARL	J

SCHROEDER	TODD	A
SHAW	ERIC	Q
SKEIE	JOHN	R
SNETSINGER	RORY	J
SPRAGUER	DAVID	A
STARK	MICHAEL	L
STARRY	ALAN	J
STEIN	MICHAEL	A
SWANSON	TIMOTHY	E
TICHY	CHRISTOPHER	W
TILSETH	JEFFREY	S
WICKLANDER	GREGORY	D
WILSON	MARK	W
WING	DANIEL	L
ZACHMAN	ADRIAN	R

35-YEARS OF SERVICE

ACHMAN	ANDREW	
ASP	RICHARD	J
BARDON	MARK	E
BELLEFEUILLE	LEROY	C
BOUTA	RICHARD	T
BUNKER	NATHAN	J
CRANE	JON	T
CUNDIFF	SCOTT	E
DREIER	TODD	A
ERICKSON	WILLIAM	B
FITTING	MICHAEL	E
FRITZ	JEFF	C
GAZETT	DANIEL	H
GORAL	THOMAS	J
HAASKEN	JANICE	L
HAASKEN	MARK	W
HARTLEY	MICHAEL	J
HERLOFSKY	GARY	M
JAHNKE	SCOTT	N
JATSO	RICHARD	P
JOHNSON	DAVID	A
JOHNSON	MARTIN	T
JOHNSON	WADE	R
KAISER	BENJAMIN	J
KAISER	CHARLES	F
KLINGELHOETS	KEVIN	M
KOTSCHVAR	THOMAS	L
LENTNER	TIMOTHY	A
LEWIS	KENNETH	C
MATTSON	JOHN	E
MCCOY	THOMAS	P
MICHEL	RONALD	J
MLINAR	PETER	J
MOORE	THOMAS	J
NELSON	DUANE	E
NORDSTROM	PAUL	W
PALLANSCH	ROBERT	A
PETERSON	KENT	E
PRESTRUD	JAMES	W
ROSTRATTER	TIMOTHY	J
SCHWARTZ	PAMELA	M
SENGER	DARYL	J
SHOBER	ALBERT	J
SIMON	DALE	S
SIMON	PATRICK	T
SOYRING	E RODNEY	

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Service Pins cont.

35-YEAR SERVICE PIN cont.

SPLITTOSER	ROLLIE	D
STEPHAN	KURT	R
TAYLOR	JOHN	T
THIEL	JEFFREY	D
WOODSON	FRED	D
ZARLING	DENNIS	R
ZIEMANN	DON	A

40-YEARS OF SERVICE

ANDERSON	DOUGLAS	L
BECKMANN	BECKY	F
DANZEISEN	MICHAEL	W
DONABAUER	ALAN	W
ELLIS	JAMES	M
KAMHOLZ	JOEL	A
KLEIN	BENET	L
LANNERS	ROY	P
LATOUR	RANDALL	J
METZGER	MICHAEL	J
PUTNAM	TERRY	D
SCHMIDT	RAYMOND	H
SCHOTT	ROBERT	W
VOLLMUTH	RICK	M
WHEELER	GERALD	P

45-YEARS OF SERVICE

BARLAGE	DEWAYNE	
BOSER	BLAISE	H
BRADLEY	JOHN	L
BRANDT	GREGORY	E
BUNBERT	WAYNE	A
CLANCY	MARK	P
CRUZ	RICHARD	F
DIGIOVANNI	DALE	V
DORON	WOLFIDO	B
ELVENDAHL	BERNARD	W
FERNHOLZ	JOHN	A
FLOSTRAND	RONALD	B
FREITAG	GLENN	A
GOZEL	MICHAEL	L
HANSEN	WILLIAM	J
HARTLEY	STEVE	J
HILDRETH	JAMES	E
HOLLINS	TERRY	P
HUTCHESON	EDWARD	W
JABLONECKI	PHILIP	R
JOHNSON	MARK	A
KAFKA	WESLEY	E
KUNITZ	MARK	J
LANDBERG	ROBERT	N
LARSEN	CHARLES	B
LARSON	D. CURTIS	
LENHARDT	DAVID	R
LOMMEL	DONALD	A
LONG	STEVE	F
MERRICK	MICHAEL	L
NELSON	KIRK	D
OXLEY	STEVEN	D
PETERSON	JOHN	H
PETERSON	ROBERT	L
REAK	ROBERT	P
ROLINE	SCOTT	G
ROSALES	FRANCISCO	
SCHOLTES	CLIFFORD	T

SCHULTZ	BARRY	D
SIRBA	JOHN	F
THROLD AHL	STEPHEN	R
TORRANCE	JOHN	R
VANDERLINDE	ALLAN	H
VICKERS	DOUGLAS	T
WAATAJA	RODNEY	A
WEGNER	GERALD	H
WENNER	ROBERT	R
WESTBERRY	RONALD	A

50-YEARS OF SERVICE

ARNTSEN	KEITH	O
BENGTON	GERALD	M
BROCK	ROBERT	R
BRUDELI	THOMAS	A
CONLON	FRANK	D
DISCHINGER	STEPHEN	L
EDLUND	BRUCE	W
EIDEM	CHARLES	M
ENGMAN	TERRY	A
FORSYTH	ROBERT	M
FREDING	JEROME	W
HOERNEMANN	CARL	F
HOKANSON	LOUIS	G
HUMPHREY	DOUGLAS	W
KEMPEL	DENNIS	D
KREMER	DANIEL	F
KUECHLE	KEVIN	J
KURTZ	ERWIN	J
LUND	DENNIS	A
MARTINI	JAMES	A
MEEMKEN	DAVE	R
MORK	PAUL	A
REICHENBERG	LARRY	J
RENLUND	DOUGLAS	H
RENSTROM	JAMES	K
SCHMITT	JEROME	R
SHAW	KEITH	C
SWENSON	JOHN	B
TERHAAR	TIM	G
TRENDE	JAMES	W
TRUELSON	BRADLEY	B
VAN SLOUN	MARK	J
WEISS	HAROLD	J

55-YEARS OF SERVICE

ANDERSON	EDWARD	M
DAVIES	BRUCE	A
DUMAS	GILBERT	C
FOSSUM	JOHN	R
FRITZ	KENNETH	L
GAVIC	GLENN	S
GRESETH	GENE	R
GUPTILL	GERALD	M
HARTUNG	ROBERT	J
JANS	GLENN	E
JENSEN	LEONARD	B
JOHNSON	RONALD	E
KRUTH	JOHN	P
KRYCH	JOHN	A
MANSICKA	GARY	G
MARIN	HENRY	M
MARSCHEL	RODGER	A
MELCHIOR	MICHAEL	D

MICHEL	DONALD	B
MOHRMANN	RONALD	A
PETRIK	RONALD	E
POLLARD	CHARLES	D
PRETZEL	HAROLD	W
RIEF	FRANK	D
RYAN	ROBERT	W
SWENSON	WAYNE	P
THOMSEN	THOMAS	N
WALEN	GARY	L
WATKINS	MICHAEL	F

60-YEARS OF SERVICE

CAMPBELL	LEONARD	R
FRANK	STEPHEN	C
HARTEN	BRUCE	A
HEINE	ROBERT	M
HILL	JAMES	D
JACOBSSON	WARREN	L
LAND	JEFFREY	S
NORDEEN	LOWELL	A
SCHEPERS	EDWARD	H
SCHLEISMAN	OWEN	J
SCHOLL	JOSEPH	M
SCHROEDER	RONALD	C
TANKE	GORDON	W
THAYER	TYRONE	N

65-YEARS OF SERVICE

ANDERSON	EDWARD	M
BRUCE	DAVIES	A
DUMAS	GILBERT	C
FOSSUM	JOHN	R
FRITZ	KENNETH	L
GAVIC	GLENN	S
GRESETH	GENE	R
GUPTILL	GERALD	M
HARTUNG	ROBERT	J
JANS	GLENN	E
JENSEN	LEONARD	B
JOHNSON	RONALD	E
KRUTH	JOHN	P
KRYCH	JOHN	A
MANSICKA	GARY	G
MARIN	HENRY	M
MARSCHEL	RODGER	A
MELCHIOR	MICHAEL	D
MICHEL	DONALD	B
MOHRMANN	RONALD	A
PETRIK	RONALD	E
POLLARD	CHARLES	D
PRETZEL	HAROLD	W
RIEF	FRANK	D
RYAN	ROBERT	W
SWENSON	WAYNE	P
THOMSEN	THOMAS	N
WALEN	GARY	L
WATKINS	MICHAEL	F

70-YEARS OF SERVICE

WHITTAKER	RUSSELL	J
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Transitions

Retirements

Congratulations!

Last Name	First Name	Mi	Pension Effective Date
ALDRICH	LARRY	C	10/1/2021
ANDERSON	DONALD	L	10/1/2021
FREDIN	ERIC	G	2/1/2022
HAGEN	EDRY	J	2/1/2022
HALL	STEVEN	C	12/1/2021
JACOBSON	SCOTT	R	12/1/2021
JOHNSON	DAVID	A	6/1/2020
JOHNSON	VINCENT	R	10/1/2021
JOHNSON	STEPHEN	P	2/1/2022
LINDBERG	RON	D	11/1/2021
LOMAS	TERRY	J	10/1/2021
LOVAAS	JAMES	D	1/1/2022
MAGHRAK	ANTHONY	G	2/1/2022
MARTIN	CARL	J	10/1/2019
OLSON	ROY	R	9/1/2021
OLSON	JOHN	R	10/1/2021
OSBECK	EUGENE	L	10/1/2021
PATRICK	CHARLES	L	11/1/2021
STANCEK	THOMAS	E	9/1/2021
STROMBERG	JEFFREY	D	1/1/2022
VANDERLINDE	ALLAN	H	2/1/2022
VOGE	GREGORY	A	12/1/2021
WEST	MATTHEW	S	11/1/2021
WONDRA	MICHAEL	J	1/1/2022
YOUNG	TOM	J	6/1/2020

Deaths

Last Name	First Name	Mi	Date of Death
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Retired Members

ALDEN	MARYANN	R	12/15/2021
BARTO	DANIEL	F	1/7/2022
BUSHINGER	ALBERT	E	1/10/2022
CARROLL	GARY	E	1/20/2022
FIMREITE	DONALD	A	11/30/2021
GLESSING	RICHARD	W	12/1/2021
GUNDERSON	ROGER	A	11/25/2021
JAAKOLA	CHARLES	J	2/9/2022
JOHNSON	WALLACE	K	1/14/2022
LATTERY	TERRY	L	1/29/2022
LINDQUIST	LLOYD	J	1/5/2022
PETERSON	FLOYD	I	9/25/2021
PRETZEL	HAROLD	W	12/20/2021
SANDBERG	GARY		10/30/2021
SCHOEN	CHARLES	W	11/13/2021
SHARP	LEROY	K	2/11/2022
STARBIRD	CRAIG	W	1/8/2022
VICKERS	DOUGLAS	T	12/25/2021



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Calendar

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February 2022

- 2 **St. Cloud Informational** Meeting. 6pm
- 8 **Retirees Club** meeting. 12:30pm
Stewards meeting. 6pm
General Membership meeting. 7pm
- 10 **Safety Committee** meeting and SIS meeting. 4pm
- 22 **Executive Board** meeting.
- 24 **SIS** Meeting. 4pm
- 28 **RENEW** meeting. 4:30pm
EWMC meeting. 5pm

March 2022

- 2 **St. Cloud Informational** Meeting. 6pm
- 8 **Retirees Club** meeting. 12:30pm
Stewards meeting. 4:15pm
General Membership meeting. 5pm
- 10 **Safety Committee** meeting. 4pm
- 28 **Executive Board** meeting. 4pm
- 24 **SIS** Meeting. 4pm
- 28 **RENEW** meeting. 4:30pm
EWMC meeting. 5pm

April 2022

- 6 **St. Cloud Informational** Meeting. 6pm

- 12 **Retirees Club** meeting. 12:30pm
Stewards meeting. 4:15pm
General Membership meeting. 5pm
- 14 **Safety Committee** meeting. 4pm
- 15 Office Closed **Good Friday**
 (Provisional Holiday)
- 17 **Easter Sunday**
- 19 **Veterans Committee** 5pm
- 24 **RENEW** meeting 4:30 pm
EWMC meeting. 5pm
- 26 **Executive Board** meeting. 4pm
- 28 **SIS** meeting. 4 pm