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LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Strength in Numbers

I am a proud wife of a journeyman wireman from Local 269 in Trenton and I would like to make a few comments about the economic status of our country. My husband was laid off for nearly seven months. During this time, we did not give up hope that our local was doing its best at looking for work for the many men that were on the bench. We did not abandon our union in hopes of finding work elsewhere. We made sacrifices to make ends meet. We were scared.

However bleak the future seemed, we kept in our minds the principles that this union was founded on and remembered that you have to take the good with the bad. Like marriage vows, for better or for worse, we must remain strong and unified during these economic upheavals. I would just urge all of us who vote to examine the candidates carefully and if possible, vote along your union lines. This does not make us sheep, but rather a collective, unified group of families that care about wage standards, work standards and keeping jobs in America. Instead of nitpicking each individual candidate's blunders or promises, let's channel that energy into ourselves and our locals and vote as one, whoever it may be. If I vote along union lines here in New Jersey, I may be helping raise the work standards nationally for a family in Iowa. We never know what the ripple affects may be, but unification is an absolute must—even if it means putting down some of our own personal agendas.

If anyone has ever heard the expression “pay it forward” now is the time to do so. Pay it forward to all of our union families as the election approaches so we can all be secure in the fact that we did our part, we tried to help our brothers and their families nationwide.

Sarah Haulenbeek

Spouse of Mark Haulenbeek, Local 269 member, Trenton, N.J.

In Service to the IBEW

I enjoyed your article on Mike Boyle [“The IBEW’s Racing Legacy,” Spring 2008 Journal]. It sparked some conversations with my father, Jack Jacobs, a retired 52-year member who remembers my grandfather Frank W. Jacobs Sr. telling some very interesting stories about Mr. Boyle, most of which are not printable. I do have one correction to make in your article. You state that Mike Boyle is the only International Vice President to hold that position as well as business manager of his local union. My grandfather was business manager from 1946 to 1952, before and while he was appointed International VP of the new 11th District, a position in which he served from 1947 to 1965. I am a proud 26-year member, fourth generation journeyman wireman with St. Louis Local 1.

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Generation 2

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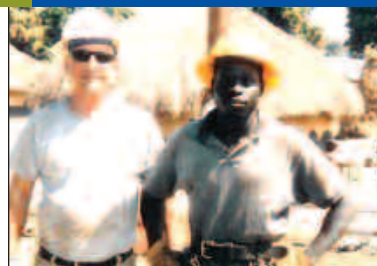
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A New Deal For Working Families

Historians are already declaring the 2008 presidential election a watershed moment, ranking with such pivotal events as the election that gave rise to the New Deal.

We like the New Deal comparison. This issue of the Journal is packed with factual evidence of the bad hand that working families have been dealt by the Bush/Cheney administration. Economic conditions are not as dire as they were for Americans during the Great Depression. But never have we been in greater need of a return to a government that protects hard-working Americans and an administration that cares about the future of our children.

We don't use terms like "selling out America" lightly when reviewing eight years of Bush and Cheney. This is the tragic reality of an administration that has turned its back on its predecessors—legendary Republicans like Theodore Roosevelt. Faced with a

growing chasm between rich robber barons and workers, Roosevelt told his fellow Republicans that they must set themselves "as resolutely against improper corporate influence on the one hand as against demagoguery and mob rule on the other."

We have an answer to being sold out by politicians who are under improper corporate influence. In 2006, our unions mobilized politically and swept some of the worst offenders out of congressional office. If you think your vote doesn't matter, consider some of the fine men and women we helped elect.

We're talking about true patriots like Sen. Jim Webb (D-Va.), a battle-tested Marine in Vietnam, an accomplished author, and the Secretary of the Navy under President Ronald Reagan. Webb took the lead in honoring our veterans by winning a majority of his peers—Democratic and Republican—to support a new G.I. bill over the opposition of President Bush and Sen. John McCain (R-Ariz.). (See page 18.)

We're talking about leaders like Sen. Sherrod Brown (D-Ohio), who helped write the TRADE Act to restore congressional oversight of trade agreements. Our candidates are delivering on their promises to be the voices of working Americans.

Change is never easy. It's often hard to find the time to volunteer to work on a campaign or a get-out-the-vote effort.

And convincing our co-workers to pay attention to the real issues and not be distracted by partisan distractions takes commitment and courage.

The IBEW's strengthened grass-roots political program is designed to help our locals meet these challenges in 2008.

Representatives of our Political/Legislative Department are traveling widely across our union's districts conducting training and brain-



storming sessions. The response has been enthusiastic.

Over the past eight years, Sen. John McCain (R-Ariz.) has been President Bush's most reliable supporter in Congress. (See page 26.) Despite his claim to "straight talk" and his heroic service to our nation, McCain should be judged by his actions. His record indicates that he would continue the same Bush administration policies that have championed the needs of Wall Street bankers above those of ordinary Americans.

As proof, the anti-union Associated Builders and Contractors has enthusiastically endorsed McCain because he promises to oppose Davis-Bacon prevailing wage legislation and project labor agreements. And McCain supports "guest worker" legislation which would lead to more exploitation of immigrant workers and would drive down the wages and benefits of our members.

We didn't endorse a candidate during the primaries, but we now have a clear choice to recommend to our members. Sen. Barack Obama (D-Ill.) has a plan that incorporates economic fairness and common sense. He would set aside McCain's promise of more tax cuts for the wealthiest Americans in favor of programs to create new green jobs and to help more students attend college.

In stark contrast to McCain, Obama is concerned about what kinds of jobs will be created and what kind of workplaces our children will enter. That is why he has always supported prevailing wage legislation. And that is why he supports the Employee Free Choice Act—which McCain opposes—to help workers organize and level the playing field with their employers.

As we stated earlier, it will take courage to reject the misinformation that is already being spread about Obama. Labor's opponents hope that our members will fall for the lie that Obama is unpatriotic

and an "elitist" who is out of touch with the issues affecting working families.

Obama, raised by a single mother in modest economic circumstances, worked his way through Harvard Law School. He could have entered a lucrative law practice. But he returned to Chicago and worked as a community organizer in a neighborhood that was suffering after the steel mills shut down. He only recently paid off his college loans.

At age 36, Obama was elected to the Illinois legislature. Tim Foley, business manager of Chicago Local 134 says, "We grew up with Barack Obama and supported him from his first run for the state legislature because he has always stood by us on the important issues."

In his three books and in his public life, Obama has cast his own progress as being possible only because of the American Dream. His opposition to the Iraq War was based, in part, on his belief that the Bush administration's invasion of that nation left America more unsafe by distracting attention from the battle against Al-Qaida and global terrorism in the hills of Afghanistan.

We honor McCain's service to our nation. Among our members are thousands who have served with distinction in the U.S. military. But as trade unionists, we believe that love of one's country should extend to respect for the rights and the well-being of the working people who keep our nation strong. John McCain fails that test.

Our adversaries are already working to exploit historical cultural and racial biases to dissuade us from voting for Barack Obama. It's time for clear thinking, not for living in the past. Study the issues. Spread the word. Help elect a Congress and a president who believe that it's time for a 21st century new deal for working families. ■



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E. Hill
Lindell K. Lee

IBEW Member Enjoys Life In the Fast Lane

For the second year in a row, Montpelier, Vt., Local 300 is sponsoring a stock car at Thunder Road Speedway, a race track delivering NASCAR-style thrills and heart-pumping excitement to nearly 5,000 fans each week.



Montpelier, Vt., Local 300 member Paul Weston handles pit crew duties for IBEW Team 74's 2008 Chevrolet Monte Carlo SS.

Local 300 member Paul Weston is part of the four-man pit crew for IBEW Team 74, which maintains the sleek, roaring 2008 Chevrolet Monte Carlo SS piloted by veteran driver Jerry Lesage. Weston brings his automotive precision to the crew, keeping Lesage's Chevy agile, fast and safe as it careens around the quarter-mile track at 90 miles per hour, mere inches away from other racers.

"Racing is like a disease," said Weston, a journeyman wireman employed by E.S. Boulos Co. "Once you're hooked, you're hooked for good."

A 13-year IBEW member, Weston himself started tinkering with engines as a hobby more than 20 years ago. As part of the pit crew, he monitors tire air pres-

sure, circumference, and temperature. Keeping a close eye on the tires is key since the cars drive 50 laps and make only left turns around a steep 18-degree bank, Weston said. Vital pit work and fueling is done before each race, as cars only make stops if they wreck or have other challenges on the track.

"There's quite a science to it," Weston said. "You've got to have a strong mechanical ability to be successful."

Running May through September, the racing season at Thunder Road in nearby Barre is one of the largest sporting events in the region. The massive attendance is a key economic driver for Vermont businesses and offers publicity for the local, said Matt Lash, marketing and

business development director for Local 300.

"With so many families cheering on the drivers, Local 300's sponsorship helps increase visibility of the electrical trade and the union," Lash said. "We want to support what our members are doing, and it's great that one of our own is a key player in the sport." ■

Fast-Thinking Members Save Worker's Life

Four Omaha, Neb., Local 1521 members used their CPR training and fast-acting teamwork to bring a fellow worker back from the brink of death.

Last September, Jerry Stanley, Dick Costello, Tim Mixan and Dallas Wilson—employees of Omaha's municipal utility company—were relocating water lines on the construction site of a new hotel. Early in the morning, utility worker Costello noticed a forklift operator slouched over the controls in his seat. Costello called out to him, but got no response. He approached him and saw that the man was barely breathing.

"It all happened pretty quickly," Costello said. "We just sprung into action." Costello and another worker moved the barely-breathing man onto the ground to check his vital signs. Costello signaled to machine operator Mixan to call 911.

Stanley checked his pulse. "It was weak, then it completely went out," he said. Not hearing a heartbeat, Stanley began applying chest compressions as Wilson administered breathing procedures for 10 minutes until emergency personnel arrived.

After rescue workers restored the injured man's pulse and heartbeat with a defibrillator, he flatlined again. Medics worked on him for about 15 minutes in

DONATION FROM OHIO LOCAL HELPS BUILD REC CENTER



The center will be completed this fall.

Getting enough exercise during the winter months in the Midwest isn't easy. But a big donation from members of Warren, Ohio, Local 573, the Labor Management Cooperation Committee and the National Electrical Contractors Association chapter will help make getting a good workout a year-round option for residents of eastern Ohio. The labor-management groups recently purchased two new scoreboards for a projected recreation and community center in the city of Niles.

"There is really little in the way of exercise facilities in the area so we're glad to be helping out to make the center a reality," Local 573 Business Manager Mark Catello said of the \$10,000 donation.

Construction on the 70,000-square-foot facility began in

early March. The center will feature an indoor soccer field, track, weight room, and basketball and tennis courts.

The two scoreboards, in addition to keeping score for children's soccer and basketball games, will carry ads for the Mahoning Valley Electrical Contractors Association Web site, which offers one-stop-shopping for customers looking for an electrician.

"It gets our name out in the community," Catello said. "It's a good investment when you consider how many people will look at the scoreboards in a year."

The local was invited to be part of the project by Niles Mayor Ralph Infante, a long-time supporter of organized labor and the IBEW, Catello said. The center is being built with union labor, including eight Local 573 members. ☼



Four Omaha, Neb., Local 1521 members won the Metropolitan Utilities District's Distinguished Service Award for saving a fellow worker's life. Pictured from left are Dallas Wilson, Jerry Stanley, the man they saved, Dick Costello, and Tim Mixan.

the ambulance before arriving at the hospital, Stanley said.

The injured man is reportedly doing much better following a hospital stay, Local 1521 Recording Secretary Dennis Mannis said.

Costello, Mixan, Stanley, and Wilson each received the Metropolitan Utilities District's Distinguished Service Award. At a November event honoring them, they reunited with the man whose life they helped save.

"All the praise was pretty unexpected," Stanley said. "It's very nice, but we didn't do it for that. We're just glad we were there to help the guy out in his time of need." ☼

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Jason Berkley
NALC Local 352



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Ronald Ghighi
UA Local 353

To enjoy money-saving discounts and other benefits

The USA is truly a club for union members who love to hunt and fish and show off what they caught or shot. I enjoy my magazine and think it's great that the USA is giving away a Triton Bass Boat to one lucky member.

Bob Danley
Roofers Local 96



To preserve our outdoor heritage for future generations



The USA offers many benefits. Most important to me is knowing the bond of union brotherhood extends beyond the workplace. As we united to ensure safe and fair working conditions, we should join together to protect the places we hunt and fish for our children.

Bradley Cummings
IAFF Local 3234

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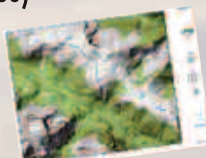
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HENRY MILLER

RESEARCH SHEDS LIGHT ON THE LIFE, DEATH OF UNION'S FOUNDER



Nearly 117 years ago, a young lineman's vision of a national union of electrical workers became a reality. Henry Miller, only 33 at the time, was elected president of the National Brotherhood of Electrical Workers at the union's first convention in St. Louis in 1891.

Without Miller's drive it is unlikely the IBEW would have become the largest union in the electrical industry. But very little is known about him. The information that exists is fragmentary: a copy of his death certificate, a list of some of his addresses, a few firsthand accounts of him in the pages of IBEW publications, a newspaper article about his death and a handful of photos.

But new research being done at the IBEW's archives in Washington, D. C., is shedding more light on both his life and his untimely death at the age of 38, in 1896.

"We're using what we have to try to fill in some of the gaps about Miller's life," said International Representative Michael Nugent, who maintains the museum and archives.

Texas Deutsch

According to an 1896 issue of the *Electrical Worker*—the IBEW's first publication—Miller was born in 1858 on a ranch in Gillespie County, Texas, 70 miles west of Austin in the central part of the state. Henry Hatt, an early IBEW member and a co-worker of Miller at the time of his death, reported that both of Miller's parents were German immigrants.

"They crossed the river Rhine in marriage, they crossed the ocean in emigration and they landed on the chivalric plains of Texas where Henry Miller was born," he wrote in an 1896 issue of the IBEW publication.

Many German immigrants anglicized their names so it is possible that Miller may have originally been called Heinrich, Nugent said. Despite being born in the United States, it was reported that he spoke with a German accent.

Texas Hill country was a major center for German immigration in the 1840s and '50s. Many of Gillespie's newcomers were exiles fleeing political repression in wake of the failure of the 1848 revolution in Germany. The "48ers," as they were known, were young and educated idealists who had hoped to establish a unified, democratic republic in their homeland and they brought their political passions with them to America.

On almost any night in the ranch houses and the beer halls across the hills of central Texas, one could find a debate on philosophical and political issues—sometimes in Latin, the language of academia at the time.

Opposition to slavery was a particularly strong trend among the Germans. When the American Civil War broke out in 1861, the county voted to stay loyal to the union.

"Texas Hill country . . . came as close to an egalitarian society as any in the United States . . . Labor was not considered a dishonorable activity to be carried out by helots [slaves] of a different race or class," Michael Lind wrote in his book "Made in Texas."

There are no accounts of Miller's early life in Texas, but one can assume that the progressive political ideas and values of the Texas German community—which included trade-unionism—had lasting influence on him, as it did for many other early leaders of the American labor movement who were of German descent.

Miller's lifelong commitment to defending the prerogatives of skilled electrical workers was no doubt also influenced by the many craftsmen who were found among the early German immigrants. "The typical German immigrant . . . was a trained craftsman, the graduate of a rigorous apprenticeship, lured to America partly by hopes of retaining artisanal skills," wrote labor historian Bruce Laurie.

Grand President Miller

Miller gave up life on the ranch at the age of 14 to work as a water boy for the federal government, helping to build a telegraph line
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that connected military forts along the Rio Grande River. It was the beginning of Miller's career as a lineman and he would travel across the country stringing lines for Western Union.

Miller would end up moving to St. Louis in 1886, finding work with the municipal power company. It was there he helped organize the first recognized union of electrical workers: Wiremen's and Linemen's Union No. 5221, American Federation of Labor. According to the union's first secretary, James T. Kelly, it was Miller who pushed for it to expand and become a national union.



**The board-
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where Henry
Miller lived
when he
became the
first presi-
dent of the
National
Brotherhood
of Electrical
Workers still
stands on
Franklin
Street in
St.
Louis.**



The building that served as Henry Miller's last place of residence today houses a busy restaurant and bar in the Washington, D.C., neighborhood of Georgetown.



NBEW logo

HENRY MILLER

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“(He) would tell us at each meeting that unless there was a national organization of electrical workers, we could never hope to accomplish much and any advantage gained by an isolated union could not be permanent, while the great masses of electrical workers were unorganized,” Kelly wrote in the program book for the IBEW’s 1921 convention.

He was elected the first “grand president” on the fourth round of balloting at the first convention of the National Brotherhood of Electrical Workers in 1891—which became international in 1899—beating out Fredrick J. Heizleman of Toledo, Ohio. Miller would be defeated at the union’s third convention by Queren Jansen, but would go on to serve as grand organizer for another year.

Miller stopped playing a leading role in the union sometime around 1894. The financial panic of 1893 led to one of the greatest economic depressions ever experienced by the United States and it devastated the labor movement. The NBEW lost more than 290 locals in only two years. Miller received some of the blame for the decline in membership and he resigned as a union officer though he continued to organize wherever he went.

According to Hatt, Miller was “six feet tall and 43 inches around,” and “could do as much work in one day as two ordinary men and read novels half the night.” According to the now-closed Washington, D.C., newspaper, the *Evening Star*, he was “an extremely well-built man, having a splendid physique and weighing about 225 pounds.”

Little is known of his family. According to an account by a member of Washington, D.C., Local 26 who reported Miller’s 1896 death in the pages of the *Electrical Worker*, the local unsuccessfully tried to locate them after his death. Miller’s death certificate lists his marital status as a widower, but nothing is known of his wife.

What is known is that throughout his union career he was a confirmed bachelor. “He was married to the union,” Nugent said. Miller, like many linemen, traveled from city to city to follow the work.

Home for Miller was usually a boardinghouse—often above a tavern—in whatever city he found himself in. He spent his last hours at a Georgetown boardinghouse he shared with five other linemen.

The building still stands today as a J. Paul’s restaurant in a

fashionable neighborhood that is more likely to cater to tourists and Georgetown University students than itinerant linemen.

While making a normal family life nearly impossible, his career as a “floating” lineman was an ideal occupation for someone looking to make contacts with electrical workers in other cities—contacts that became the basis for the union.

An Untimely End

Miller’s last job was for the Potomac Electric Light and Power Co. in Washington, D.C. The night he died, he was trying to

restore power after a storm when, according to an 1896 issue of the *Electrical Worker*, “he came into contact with a high tension wire carrying 2,200 volts and received a shock, knocking him off the pole.”

Washington’s *Evening Star* reported that Miller fell headfirst to the ground, striking his co-worker on his way down.

By consulting the records of the U.S. Naval Observatory, Nugent

found out that there was a new moon that night; Miller was likely laboring in near pitch blackness without the benefit of moonlight, using only a kerosene lantern for illumination.

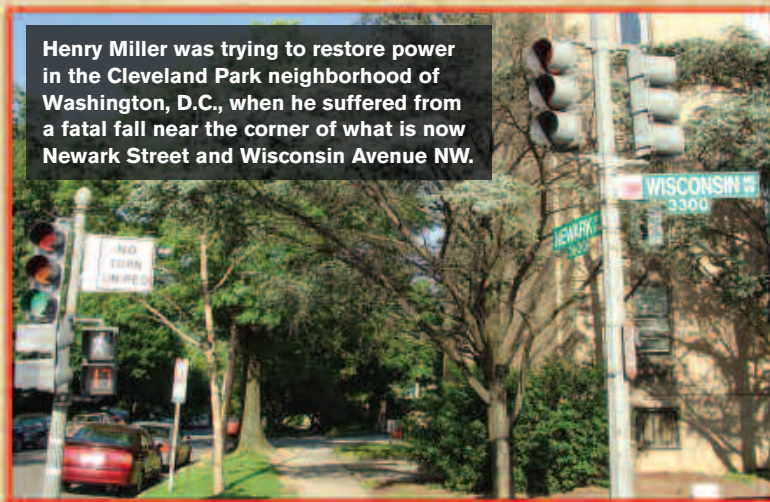
An organizer in the years before unions were protected by labor law, Miller was often a target of management and an obvious choice for difficult assignments. Hatt said that Miller was often picked for the most dangerous jobs. “His efforts in behalf of the electrical workers created a momentum around which a corporate resistance occurred,” he wrote. “He was the loser.”

Despite his fall, he remained conscious, complaining of pains in his back. Miller, accompanied by his doctor, rode the Georgetown streetcar back to his boardinghouse. He put Miller to bed, where he was found dead the next morning. According to Miller’s death certificate, the cause of death was a concussion, a condition that would have been treatable today.

Only 38 when he died, the coroner incorrectly reported his age as 43, an error repeated by the newspaper.

Unable to locate any relatives, Kelly asked members of Local 26 to make sure Miller was given a proper burial at a cemetery in Washington, D.C. Despite his efforts on behalf of the union, Potomac Electric paid for the funeral costs. In 1941, the IBEW placed a special memorial at his grave that credits his role in founding the IBEW, which continues to maintain the site today.

There is still so much we don’t know about Miller, Nugent said, but he hopes that ongoing research will continue to provide more information, enriching our understanding of Miller and the union he founded. ■



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War-Torn African City

St. Louis Local 2 member Mark Ziegler had never been on an airplane before—let alone for 21 hours at a stretch. So when Ziegler's shaky 18-passenger twin-prop plane started to make its final descent into the African nation of Sudan, the view from his window was enough to panic even the most seasoned air traveler.

"All we could see was smoke and fire coming from the trees," he said. "It was like seeing something out of an Indiana Jones movie."

It was mid-January, and Ziegler had finally arrived in Yei—a city in southern Sudan—at the height of the drought season. The lack of rain had dried the brittle treetops to the point that they burned like beacons, obscuring the red dirt runway hundreds of feet beneath them.

Along with fellow Local 2 member Craig Larkin, the two journeyman linemen had traveled to one of earth's most desolate nations. Decades of civil war and political upheaval had created a dark reality for many Sudanese. And over the next two weeks, the IBEW brothers would literally illuminate and energize hundreds of these citizens' lives.

Ziegler and Larkin knew they were entering the scene of recent conflict. Civil wars have killed more than two million and dis-

placed at least twice as many. In the western Darfur region 750 miles from Yei, roving militias have waged genocide on the populace since 2003. Many interwoven factors—religious intolerance, climate change, ethnic and tribal animosity, drought, and overpopulation—have conspired to create a continuous state of conflict and chaos.

Yei (pronounced "yay") is no exception. Decades ago, it was a bustling town and vital trade route between neighboring Uganda and what is now the Democratic Republic of Congo (formerly Zaire). War had destroyed the city's infrastructure. But now, in the wake of a 2005 truce, the area around Yei is relatively stable. This calm has allowed for communities—often

buoyed by international aid—to begin rebuilding.

Representing their employers and fellow Local 2 members at Missouri-based Cuivre River Electric Cooperative, Ziegler and Larkin were part of a small team of American workers who helped erect more than 40 electricity poles and lay more than three miles of power lines as part of a five-year effort to re-energize the city. To ensure their paychecks came in steadily, they each gave up seven days of their own vacation time, and the co-op took care of the rest, Ziegler said.

"I think it was a good thing that the guys wanted to go over and help some people who are less fortunate," said Local 2 Business Manager Dave Desmond.

The team worked in 95-degree heat—sometimes for 10-hour days—without the benefit of most of the common tools of the electrical trade. There were no digger or bucket trucks and no extension cords. But shovels and spades were plentiful. The only power tool the team employed was a gas drill that they used to bore holes in the



wooden electrical poles and set the cross bars before stringing the power lines.

Working alongside Sudanese linemen, the most painstaking task was raising the electrical poles, Ziegler said. For this process, workers would manually dig holes 30 to 40 inches wide and six feet deep. The teams of 18 used thin iron pipes sharpened like spears to vertically erect the poles—a task that took more than an hour per pole.

“I’ve been a lineman and a crew member for such a long time,” Ziegler said, “and this was easily the hardest work I’ve ever done.”

Once poles were raised, the men set to work stringing more than three miles of wire. Powered by diesel generators, the city now boasts 130 street lights. By contrast, the state’s capital city Juba—located 100 miles north—has only two.

“They’d basically been living dawn to dusk, and we were told that nighttime crime had been high,” Ziegler said. “But after the street lights came on, kids would come outside well into the evening to do their homework so they wouldn’t have to study by flashlight or use an oil lamp.”

Ziegler and Larkin volunteered for the trip through National Rural Electric Cooperative Association, which sponsored the revitalization effort. By all measures, it has helped bring new life to the city. The Yei program first got off the ground in 2003 when the NRECA started training local linemen and helping them start their own cooperative. When the town initially was electrified two years later, Yei’s population had dwindled to about 30,000 because of the wars. Today, nearly 180,000 residents call Yei home.

Via e-mail to his family, Larkin relayed



Ravaged by civil wars for decades, Yei is starting to rebuild itself—often with the help of international aid.



A team of American and Sudanese linemen carefully raise an electrical pole in Yei.



Local 2 journeyman lineman Mark Ziegler, left, and local electrician Hakim James often worked 10-hour days in 95-degree heat to help energize Yei.

his discoveries about citizens’ life expectancies (44-46 years), their living conditions (largely mud huts with thatched plant roofs) and the economic disparity between the IBEW men and those they worked alongside with (\$2.50 to \$10 per day of work for the Sudanese, depending on specific jobs). Despite the innumerable horrors witnessed by many citizens, the IBEW linemen were quick to point out the resilience, kindness and generosity of Yei’s citizens.

Luckily, Larkin and Ziegler said that the workers—all in their late teens to early 30s—spoke English well. Another advantage was that their construction schematics used the same standards as in the United States, allowing for a smoother flow of communication between the electricians.

The Local 2 members relayed feelings of deep camaraderie and closeness with their fellow workers, particularly a 23-year-old lineman named Hakim

James, with whom they still stay in contact.

“When I got home, I really had a new appreciation for so many things in my life—my job, my family, and my Brotherhood,” Larkin said. “Sometimes, you can forget how good you have it, but when you’re reminded, it makes your day even brighter.”

St. Louis Local 2 journeyman lineman Craig Larkin, left, and local electrician Hakim James relax after a long workday outside James’ home in Yei, Sudan.



8 YEARS On The Wrong Track

The long primary season is over. Millions of Americans, including an impressive army of first-time voters and union members, are mobilizing for the 2008 presidential election. The world is watching our nation's democratic process and the sharpening presidential contest.

While the media puts the voting public under the microscope of commentators and pollsters, be prepared for a long summer and early fall in which events on and off the campaign trail will be magnified and sensationalized.

But there is one sensational story behind this year's election. It is the story of what has happened to far too many hard-working Americans who have endured a declining standard of living over the past eight years.

In this issue of the IBEW Journal, we zero in on the record of the Bush administration and the policies that have led an estimated 76 percent of the American people to conclude that our country is on the wrong track.

In the fall issue, we will analyze each candidate's answer for fixing our problems so that we can put our nation and working families back on track to progress.



FORECLOSURE

HOME

Economic Free Fall

When President Bush came to the White House in 2001 he inherited a strong and growing economy. The federal government posted a surplus, job growth was strong and unemployment was at a historic low. And Americans felt confident about the state of the economy. Even in a struggling state like Michigan, more than 70 percent of residents were optimistic about their economic future according to a poll taken by Michigan State University in 1999.

But the policies of the Bush administration have taken their toll. The popping of the housing bubble last year set off a full-blown mortgage and credit crisis, which has led to tens of thousands of foreclosures and dragged down the economy. The foreclosure rate surged 50 percent in 2007, while U.S. employers slashed 63,000 jobs last February alone, the worst one-month drop in five years. (AFL-CIO)

Declining wages, scant benefits and debt-fueled consumer spending are taking a fearsome toll on working families, who are finding the road to the middle class increasingly rocky. Since Bush came to office, 5.4 million American have fallen into poverty. While corporate profits have doubled, weekly wages are only 1.4 percent higher than they were eight years ago. (Center for American Progress) Prices for basic consumer goods have also seen a big spike. Eggs are nearly 30 percent more expensive than they were one year ago, while the cost of milk has risen nearly 15 percent. (Economic Policy Institute)

But for the wealthiest Americans things have never been so good. The richest 13,000 households earn nearly as much income as the bottom 20 million and the top 1 percent owns more wealth than the bottom 90 percent combined. (EPI)

Bush's tax policy, largely responsible for inflating the federal deficit to record levels, will end up costing the nation upwards

Declining wages, scant benefits and debt-fueled consumer spending are taking a fearsome toll on working families, who are finding the road to the middle class increasingly rocky.

of \$2.6 trillion by the time his breaks for the top earners are set to expire in 2010, passing to the next generation an almost insurmountable debt. (Citizens for Tax Justice).

While promoted as a benefit to working families, the cuts have mainly been a boon to those who need it the least. The richest 1 percent will get an average yearly tax cut of \$92,000 by the time the cuts expire in 2010, while the poorest 60 percent will receive on average less than \$600. (Citizens for Tax Justice)

The amount of tax cuts going to the top 1 percent—totaling \$79.5 billion—exceeds the annual budgets of both the Department of Education and the Department of Homeland Security (Citizens for Tax Justice)

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It's the newest generation of workers who have suffered the most in the last eight years. Wages and benefits for workers
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POOR ECONOMY HITS CITIES HARD

Due to the sub-prime mortgage crisis, my county could be forced to reduce the assessed value of roughly 35,000 homes by about 35 percent. That will remove an estimated \$1 billion from the tax base used to pay public employees. Citizens who work in the private sector and who have lost, or taken cuts in, their retiree health care insurance are already balking at paying higher taxes to cover public employees' benefits.

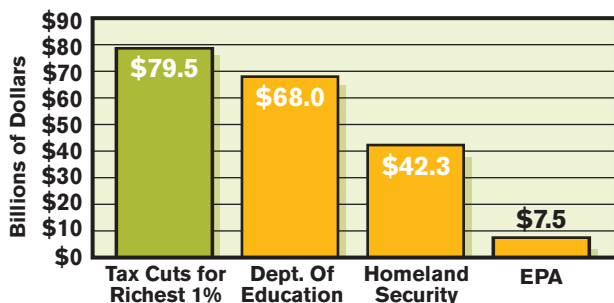
In nearby Vallejo, municipal workers organized by the IBEW are facing possible bankruptcy of the city which could set aside benefits in their collective bargaining agreement and retiree health care benefits.

We need change in 2008. If everyone participated in a national health care plan, costs could come down, the playing field would be more level and everyone would benefit.

Mike Smith
Dixon City Council member
Vallejo, Calif.,
Local 180 business agent



Cost of Tax Cuts for Richest 1 Percent in 2008 Compared to Spending on Other Priorities



Source: Citizens for Tax Justice



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when Bush first entered office, while less than half of them have retirement coverage. (EPI)

Energy Policy Disaster

One of the biggest financial headaches for consumers is at the gas pump. In 2000, gas averaged \$1.54 a gallon. It is now averaging \$4, with prices up by more than 20 percent in the last year alone. But it's not only consumers who are getting squeezed. Businesses are spending nearly \$150 billion more for energy than they were five years ago, driving up costs for nearly everything. (House Government Reform Committee, Democratic Staff, 3/16/06)

Out-of-control gas prices are the most public face of the failure of President Bush's energy policy. With a campaign war chest built on the generosity of the oil industry, it's no surprise that when it comes to kicking our dependence on foreign oil and taking steps to confront the climate crisis, Bush has been missing in action.

Since Bush announced his first energy plan five years ago, imports of foreign oil have risen to 65 percent of U.S. consumption, a rise of nearly 10 percent. (House Government Reform Committee, Democratic Staff, 3/16/06). Instead of opening up new reserves of oil in Iraq, the indefinite occupation has created instability throughout the Middle East that has driven up prices, forcing an even greater reliance on foreign providers like Saudi Arabia.

Our reliance on oil has even graver consequences than what it's doing to our wallets. Scientists are in almost universal agreement: human activity related to the release of green-

entering the work force today, even for those with college degrees, are lower than they were before 2001. The number of young workers with health insurance is 5 percentage points lower than

house gases is leading up to potential catastrophic changes in the global temperatures and weather patterns.

While the growing green energy sector, including solar, wind, and biofuels, is becoming a popular alternative to oil, it has received little support from the White House. Before the Democratic takeover of Congress in 2006, the most Washington spent on green jobs was a paltry \$30 million, while fossil fuels continued to receive almost \$14 billion in tax subsidies.

Workers' Rights Under Attack

The National Labor Relations Board was created in 1935 to protect the constitutional right of freedom of association in the workplace. Tens of thousands of working Americans took advantage of the new law and joined unions, laying the foundation for our modern middle class.

But under the Bush administration, the board—now stacked with Bush appointees—has worked to undermine the right to organize and collectively bargain.

In what has come to be known as the September massacre,

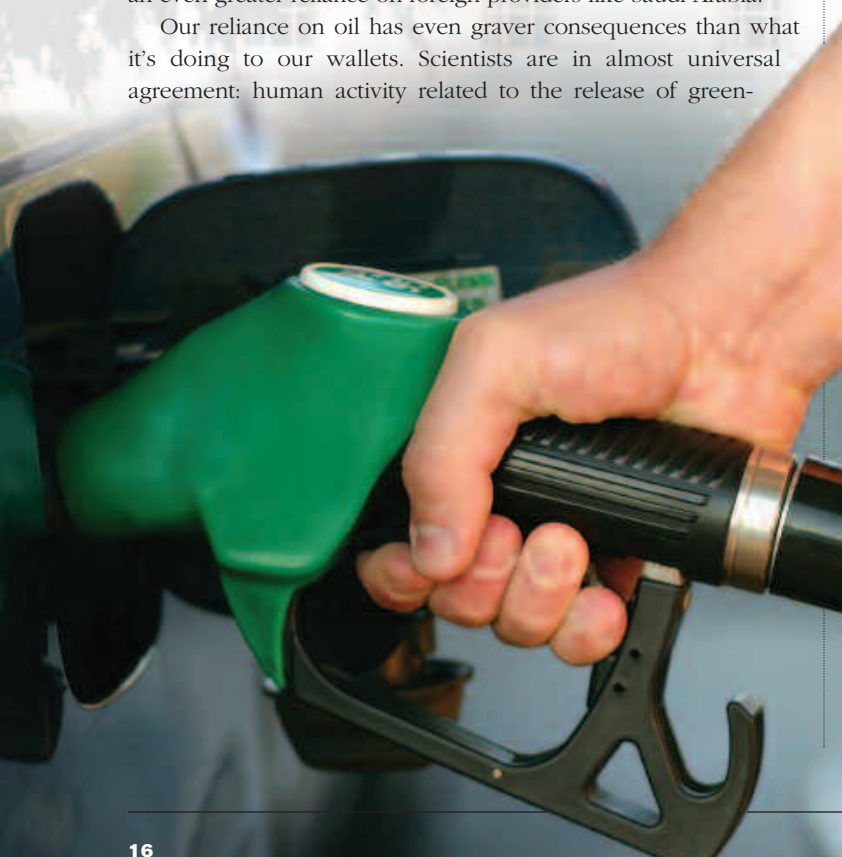
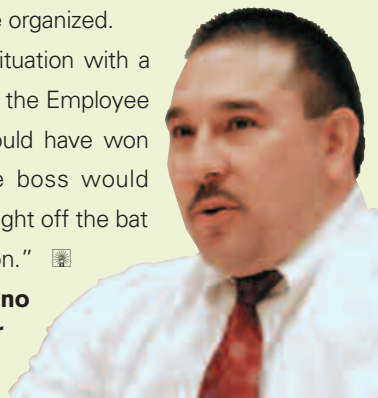
WHY WORKERS NEED THE EMPLOYEE FREE CHOICE ACT

Denver Local 68 member Daniel Luevano knows firsthand why workers need the Employee Free Choice Act. Working without a raise for more than six years, Luevano and most of his co-workers at Ries Electric signed up with Local 68. The boss refused to negotiate and targeted union workers, Luevano in particular, for retaliation. "He interrogated us about who has signed cards. ... He became very angry and yelled at me," Luevano said. "He threatened to fire me and all my co-workers if we formed a union." A week later, Luevano was fired. Local 68 managed to get him reinstated, but the scare tactics worked on his co-workers. In a National Labor Relations Board-supervised election, the vote was a tie, which meant Ries's employees were denied representation.

Luevano left Ries and is now proudly employed in a union shop, but he knows that with fairer labor laws his old workplace would now be organized.

"We went into the situation with a majority," he said. "With the Employee Free Choice Act we would have won representation and the boss would have bargained with us right off the bat without all the intimidation." ❁

Daniel Luevano
Local 68 member
Denver, Colorado



the board issued more than 60 decisions intended to weaken workers' rights. Below is a sample of their September 2007 rulings.

- Nearly 50 Florida hotel workers were denied back pay after they were illegally fired for going on strike. The board argued that awarding back pay would "reward idleness."
- On September 29, the board ruled that in a situation when a union is recognized through a process of card-check neutrality, an employer must post a notice telling employees that if 30 percent of them sign a petition saying they don't want a union, a board-sponsored election must be held. On the same day, the board ruled that if a majority of workers signed cards to remove a union, the employers can decertify without holding a vote.
- The board ruled that it was perfectly permissible for an employer to target union supporters for layoffs, and then to force them to sign release forms that prevented them from challenging the legality of their termination as a condition for receiving severance pay.

The board's most controversial decision involved three rulings it made in 2006, collectively known as the "Kentucky River" decisions, which changed the definition of supervisor to include nurses, newspaper and television employees, building trades

workers and dozens of other job classifications, denying union rights to more than 8 million Americans.

President Bush's commitment to an anti-workers' rights agenda was made clear when, after years of work by labor unions, he threatened to veto the Employee Free Choice Act, which had passed the House with a bipartisan majority in 2007. The act would remove barriers to union representation by allowing workers to join a union through majority sign-up and increase penalties for union busting companies. A report by American Rights at Work found nearly half of workers feel pressured by management during board-supervised elections.

The act failed to get the two-thirds needed in the Senate to prevent a GOP filibuster.

The anti-worker bias of this administration had also been reflected in the federal courts. Of the 109 cases workers and their unions have won before the labor relations board, the Court of Appeals refused to enforce 88 of them. And the bias goes all the way to the top.

In 2007, the Supreme Court ruled against former Goodyear Tire employee Lilly Ledbetter, who sued the company after she discovered that she was being paid less than her male co-workers for doing the same job. A House amendment to overturn the court's decision was once again blocked by the Senate GOP, but not before Bush threatened to veto the bill.

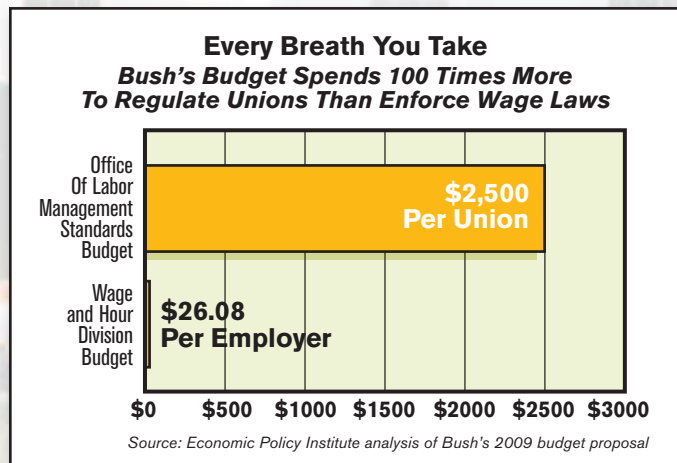
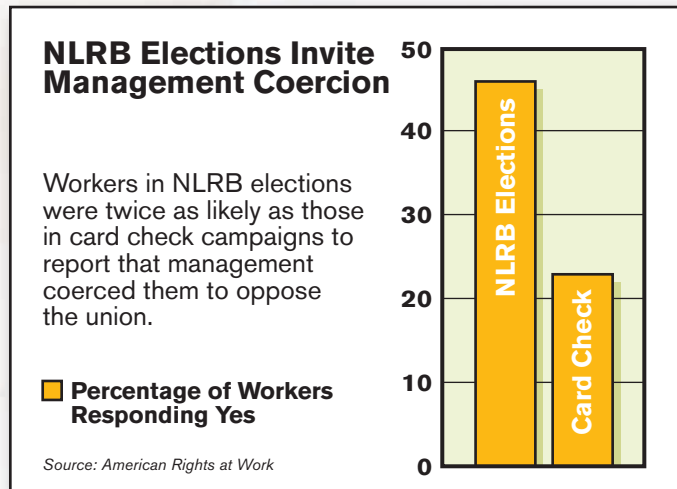
'Free' Trade's Hidden Costs

Our nation was once the world's greatest provider. But after eight years of the Bush administration, our largest export is empty containers headed to China and other nations to be stuffed with commodities for Wal-Mart and our neighborhood pharmacies. Meanwhile, congressional hearings are held to investigate the safety of imports—the toys full of lead, toxic prescription drugs and tainted food that have led to illness and death.

Economists who defend the current administration's push for more "free trade" agreements like NAFTA ignore policies of our trading partners that put their own workers and the environment at risk. President Bush has refused to take a tough stand against China manipulating its currency or violating the rights of workers.

The administration's apologists say that our current trade policies have been a net gain for our economy, filling our appetites for cheap consumer goods and adding jobs centered upon

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NAFTA'S LEGACY

I was hired at GE's Bloomington, Ind., refrigerator plant in 1988 as an assembler. GE has announced that the plant will be shut down. My husband was laid off from GE in 2005, so this could be the finale of our way of life. I'm 40 years old with four children from seven to 14 years of age. I planned to go to school for nursing after the plant shut down, but now there are rumors that GE is selling its entire appliance division and I don't know if I will be able to afford that. We need to keep our jobs in America. I really believe that NAFTA hurt us. When manufacturing jobs leave, it trickles down to everyone else. Even college graduates are losing their jobs.

Lori Hollar
Bloomington, Ind.
Local 2249 member



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- 520,000 white collar jobs exported since 2000. (AFL-CIO)
- Increased trade is responsible for about 20 percent of the recent increase in income inequality in the United States. This translates into a decrease in real wages for the majority of American workers—roughly a 6 percent loss for two-thirds of workers who lack a college degree. (AFL-CIO)

Health Care: Declining Coverage, Increasing Costs

In the years since President Bush took office, he and the Republican Congress have stood by while the health care crisis has worsened, offering no realistic solutions while the situation has gone from bad (39.8 million uninsured in 2000)

exporting and importing. But the statistics tell a different story:

- Three million manufacturing jobs lost since George W. Bush took office. (AFL-CIO)

to worse (more than 47 million uninsured today).

Incomes are not keeping pace with the rapidly rising cost of health care, particularly as employers seek to push more costs onto the backs of workers.

Nearly 6.5 million fewer workers had employer-sponsored health insurance in 2006 than in 2000. The Los Angeles Times reported in April that more than 30,000 employers in the private sector stopped offering benefits to workers altogether between 2001 and 2005.

"If our members are going to continue to enjoy the benefits of health care coverage, we have to keep on pushing management," said John Walsh, International Representative in the Political and Legislative Department. "We have got to keep fighting for the benefits we already have, otherwise we face losing them."

Financial problems due to the high cost of health care are not isolated to the working poor. For those who have been able to keep their insurance, coverage is increasingly hard to hold onto. Between 2001 and 2005, the Los Angeles Times reported, the average worker with benefits witnessed his or her earnings rise 3 percent while paying 30 percent more for health insurance coverage. Drug company profits have risen dramatically as more families pay out-of-pocket for care that used to be a built-in benefit.

Health insurance companies in business to make money—not provide the best care—are increasingly finding more ways to maximize profits and deny coverage. Medical bills are the leading cause of bankruptcy in the United States, a Harvard study found.

Instead of offering real solutions, Bush is proposing to cut health care benefits to the poor. Bush's 2009 budget proposes \$18.2 billion in Medicaid cuts over the next five years, which will leave more children of lower-income families with little or no coverage.

Bush also recently vetoed the bipartisan State Children's Health Insurance Program, which would have covered more than 3.3 million additional children of low-income families. To elaborate on his decision, Bush was quoted in *The Nation* saying he believes "government cannot provide affordable health care."

In just one example of the wider problem, the current contract situation with Verizon shows the dire crisis working families face. Their five-year contract expires this summer, and members are fighting to ensure that medical coverage is included in their next contract.

"We went on a strike in 1989 to preserve our health care benefits," said IBEW Local 2222 Business Manager Myles Calvey, who is also an International Executive Council member. "We are facing the exact same scenario in 2008."

The High Cost of War

While the tax base of hundreds of cities and towns suffers from plummeting property values and reduced payrolls, the current administration has driven our nation into greater debt



with a seemingly unlimited military budget for the war in Iraq.

The military budget is riddled with waste and cost overruns by some of the same politically-connected contractors who stand in the way of workers when they try to organize at home. The majority of Americans no longer support the way this war is being fought.

The Government Accountability Office found that 95 major weapons systems have exceeded their original budgets by a total of \$295 billion and are delivered nearly two years late on average.

In 2003, the White House said that the Iraq war would cost from \$50 billion to \$60 billion and that Iraq would rebuild using its domestic oil revenues. (San Francisco Chronicle).

Today, the total cost of the war is expected to reach \$3 trillion. Each day, the federal government spends \$435 million in Iraq. As oil nears \$120 a barrel, the Iraqi government is pocketing a \$70 billion windfall in oil revenues this year. The money is adding to a surplus, not being spent on infrastructure repairs, which are still falling on the U.S. (The Week).

The San Francisco Chronicle reports that, with \$435 million per day, the United States could enroll 58,000 children in Head Start; put 8,900 police officers on the street; provide health insurance to 329,200 low-income children; hire 10,700 border patrol agents; provide college Pell grants to 163,700 students and provide foreclosure prevention counseling to 260,000 families.

But the financial cost of the war pales in comparison to the human toll. The Pentagon's extension of tours in Iraq and Afghanistan to 15 months from 12 months has resulted in the longest Army combat tours since World War II. Dwell time, the period between deployments, has also been reduced for soldiers, many of whom have served two or more tours. Many service members are at a physical and psychological breaking point. Suicides increased 13 percent between 2006 and 2007. Thirty percent of Iraq and Afghanistan veterans are experiencing post traumatic stress syndrome. Over 40,000 have been treated for

substance abuse. Despite this growing need for professionals, the military has seen a 22 percent decrease in licensed psychologists in recent years.

The IBEW membership rolls include thousands whose love of country led them to enlist in the military. The sons and daughters of working families form the bulk of the troops in Iraq. The administration's poor treatment of our troops is reason enough to call for a change in Washington. USA Today reports that a Defense Department audit found that nearly half of the Army's contractors performed no tests on body armor before sending it to the battlefield.

A bipartisan majority of the Senate has passed a new G.I. bill,

introduced by Sen. Jim Webb (D-Va.), that will double current educational compensation for veterans of the wars in Iraq and Afghanistan. Increased benefits will also be available to National Guard and Reserve veterans, above levels in the current G.I. bill. After threatening to veto the measure, President Bush signed it. At the signing ceremony, Bush implied that he and Sen. John McCain (R-Ariz.) were for the measure all along, despite their record of opposition.

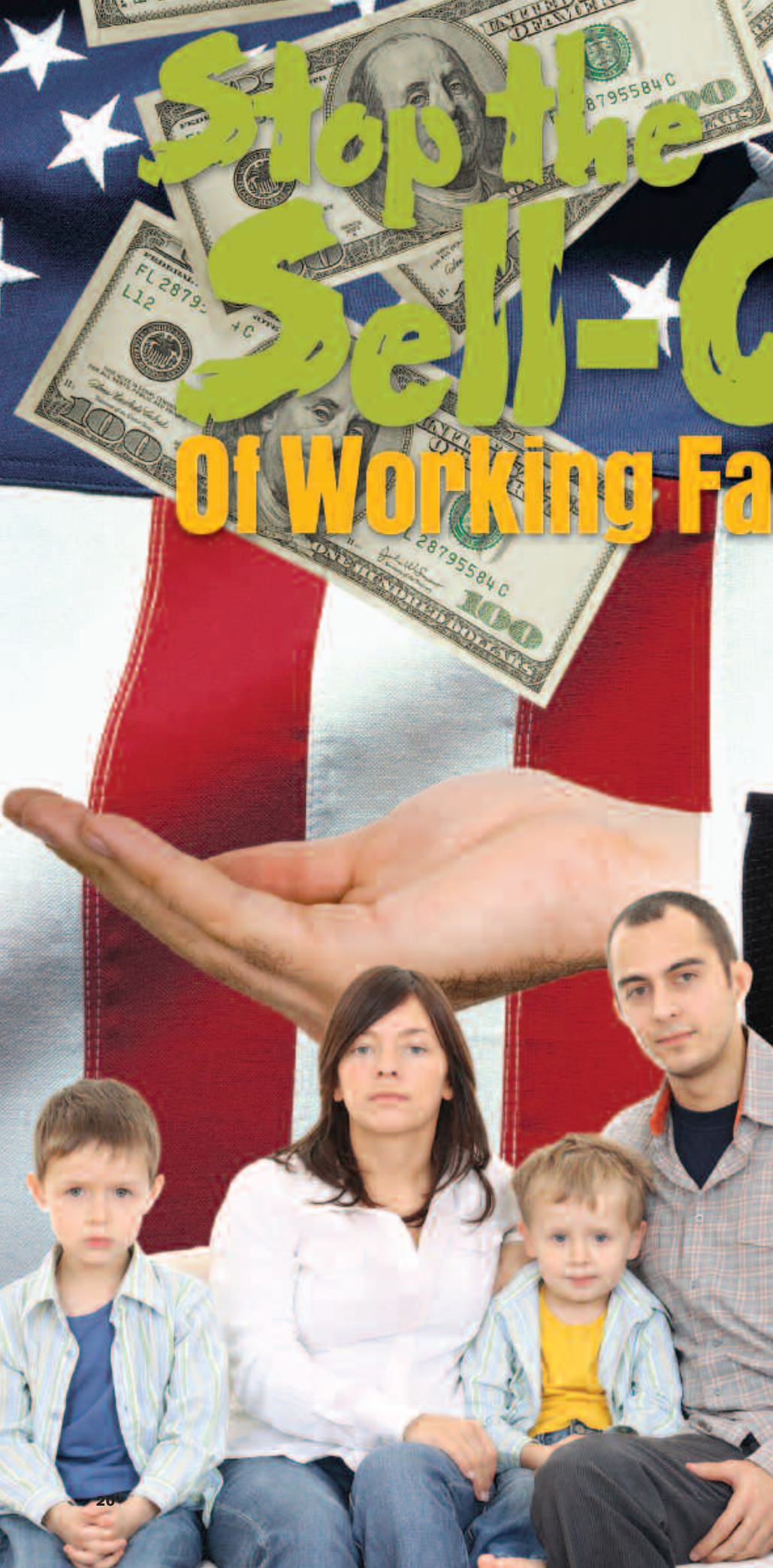
America's Neglected Infrastructure

Our nation's bridges, roads and railroads are aging and failing. The United States needs an administration that understands that putting Americans to work rebuilding our infrastructure is essential to maintaining our nation's productivity and our standard of living.

Look at the facts:

- Poor maintenance of roadways results in 13,000 traffic fatalities each year.
- 150,000 bridges are rated structurally deficient or obsolete.
- More than 3,500 dams are considered unsafe.
- \$11 billion is needed annually to replace aging drinking water facilities.
- \$1.6 trillion of investment is needed for infrastructure repairs and rebuilding over the next five years. (American Society of Civil Engineers).
- America needs \$2 billion a year in rail infrastructure investment to meet the minimum freight transportation needs outlined by the Association of State Highway and Transportation Officials.

Despite these extensive needs, the federal government has reduced investment in public infrastructure, leaving state and local governments to fill a gap that keeps widening. ■



Stop the Sell-Out Of Working Families

The last eight years have seen an unprecedented assault on government agencies devoted to protecting American consumers and workers. From gutting safety and environmental regulations to political cronyism in the highest levels of the federal government, the Bush administration has consistently put the interests of corporate lobbyists and right-wing ideologues over the public good.

Republican President Theodore Roosevelt helped create the Food and Drug Administration and break up corporate monopolies that were fleecing consumers. Richard Nixon signed the Environmental Protection Act into law and created the Occupational Safety and Health Administration.

Because of this long-standing bipartisan consensus that saw the need for government protection from unscrupulous corporations, each generation of Americans could expect better working conditions, better housing, better schools,

better public services and a cleaner and safer environment. That is until George W. Bush came into office in 2001.

Throughout his presidency, Bush has used his authority to gut regulations and laws in order to make the rich richer, allow big corporations to squeeze their employees and pollute the environment, and reward his friends and backers with governmental appointments.

“Bush hasn’t just taken big corporate money,” said International President Edwin D. Hill. “He’s put them in charge of our government so they can try to roll back nearly every important reform working people have won.”

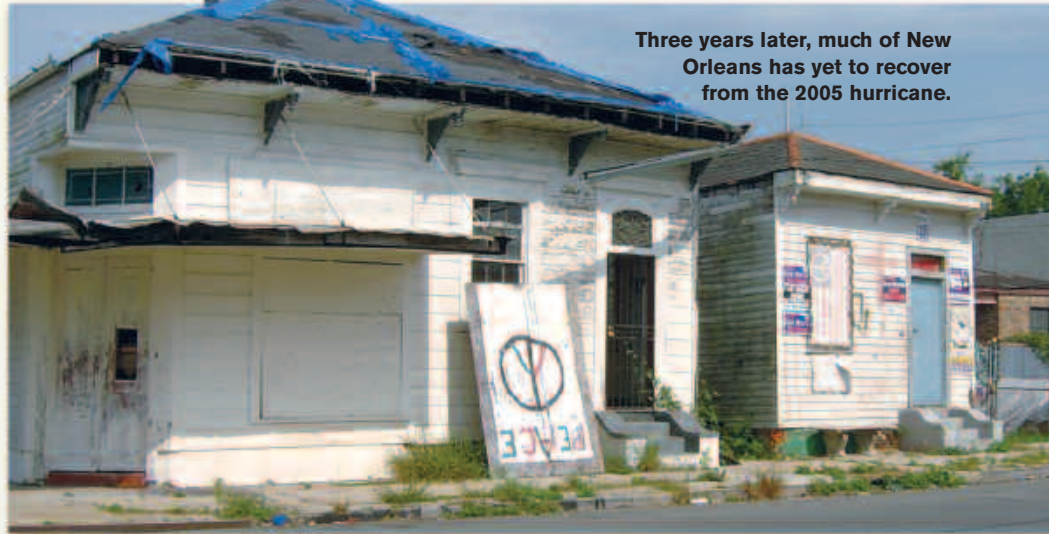
The advice President Dwight Eisenhower, a Republican, gave in his final speech as president remains relevant today. “In the councils of government, we must guard against the acquisition of unwarranted influence, whether sought or unsought, by the military-industrial complex,” he said. “The potential for the disastrous rise of misplaced power exists and will persist.”

Katrina Disaster

Hurricane Katrina was one of the worst natural disasters to hit the United States in modern times, but it was governmental neglect and political cronyism by the Federal Emergency Management Administration that turned the event into a tragedy of historic proportions.

Throughout Bush’s first term, the government failed to develop effective emergency plans for large-scale disasters, ignoring warnings by scientists and engineers that New Orleans’ levees would be dangerously ineffectual against a major hurricane.

FEMA Director Michael Brown had no background or experience in disaster management, owing his job to political connections with Bush and the GOP. A report by a bipartisan committee created



Three years later, much of New Orleans has yet to recover from the 2005 hurricane.

by the House of Representatives to study FEMA’s response found Brown and his agency largely responsible for the magnitude of the disaster.

Despite criticism from both Congress and the media over the administration’s failure in New Orleans, Bush used the tragedy to reward his corporate friends, awarding no-bid private contracts to Haliburton Energy Services to rebuild the city.

“They’re going to squeeze down on what workers get and then inflate what the management is going to be able to rake out as the profit for the company,” said Rep. Henry Waxman (D-Calif.), chair of the House Government and Oversight Committee. “That’s wasting our money and also depriving people who need the income from a hardworking job.”

In addition to overturning Clinton-era contractor responsibility standards, Bush also suspended the Davis-Bacon Act, which sets a minimum pay scale for workers on federal contracts by requiring contractors to pay the prevailing or average pay in the region, on Katrina clean-up projects. That executive action was overturned weeks later after a public outcry.

Inside the Anti-Labor Department

Unlike many of President Bush’s appointees, the name of Secretary of Labor Elaine Chao is not likely to ring a bell with many Americans, but she is perhaps the most anti-worker labor secretary in the post’s history.

“Chao’s tenure as secretary of labor is stained with dismantling critical mine safety protections, displaying open hostility toward workers and their unions, and collaborating with corporate interests, most notably through her husband, Sen. Republican leader Mitch McConnell (Ky.,” said American Rights at Work Executive Director Mary Beth Maxwell.

Under Chao’s watch, the Mine Safety and Health Administration eliminated 100 mine inspector positions while failing to fine mine owners who violated federal safety regulations. It is no surprise the mine industry has experienced several high profile, tragic incidents and reported a 41-percent increase in the number of miner deaths, the worst fatality rate in more than five years.

Chao also led the fight to replace feder-
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Stop the Sell-Out

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ally mandated ergonomics standards with voluntary agreements and championed Bush's effort to change labor law that would have deprived approximately 8 million workers of their overtime pay.

During her tenure, she has staffed the department with corporate lobbyists and anti-union advocates, including one who even wrote a paper titled "How to Eliminate the Department of Labor."

While the Bush administration has managed to decrease funding for nearly every federal regulatory agency, one government office has grown substantially in the last eight years.

The Office of Labor Management Standards was founded in 1959 to enforce the Landrum-Griffin Act, which was meant to protect union members and their interests by promoting democratic procedures within labor organizations. Normally run by career civil servants with a background in labor law, Bush decided to put GOP political operative Don Todd—one of the men behind the infamous 1988 "Willie Horton" ad—in charge.

Without legal training or experience with unions, Todd has used his position at OLMS to increase the paperwork load on unions by 60 percent, while adding new reporting requirements that could force more than 100,000 additional union leaders—now defined by the OLMS to include stewards and safety committee volunteers—to issue conflict-of-interest reports on even minor personal financial transactions such as car loans. (Center for American Progress)

Bush Gives Mine Workers the Shaft

The highly publicized deaths of 14 miners in Sago, W.Va., in 2006 brought to light the sad state of mine safety enforcement by the U.S. Department of Labor's Mine Safety and Health Administration. Sago had received 208 citations from the



MSHA in the previous year, but was still permitted to operate. The lack of accountability is no accident.

David Lauriski was appointed in 2001 to oversee mine safety after a long career as a coal industry executive. In 2003, under Lauriski's influence, the Mine Safety and Health Administration proposed to weaken regulations mandating frequent testing of coal dust in mines, a major cause of explosions.

Lauriski supported the administration in cutting mine inspector positions. He resigned in 2005 after the Labor Department's Inspector General confirmed a CBS "60 Minutes" report that his agency had awarded no-bid contracts to several companies, including two that had ties to Lauriski and one of his assistants.

The administration could have replaced Lauriski with an expert on mine safety. Instead, it appointed Jonathan L. Snare, a lawyer and lobbyist for a union-busting law firm.

FDA—Still Keeping Us Safe?

Contrary to its mission, the Food and Drug Administration has undermined the safety and welfare of Americans.

Tainted imports and an apparent lack of will by officials to vigorously vet the foods and drugs that enter the American market have shaken confidence in the once trusted agency.

The Bush White House has cut the number of FDA inspectors every year since 2003. Thirteen FDA laboratories throughout the nation conduct health and safety testing. The administration proposed cutting seven of them. At the same time, imports from countries with little or no safety standards (like China) have doubled on grocery store shelves and in toy stores since the implementation of NAFTA and World Trade Organization agreements. (United Steelworkers)

"It's bad enough that we have a trade deficit with China," said Sen. Charles E.



Schumer (D-N.Y.), chair of the Joint Economic Committee. "It is even worse that there is a dangerous quality deficit threatening the safety and health of American consumers." (Bloomberg News)

Recent headlines tell an alarming tale. Lead paint in children's toys prompted massive recalls. Imported pet foods including lethal additives like melamine—a chemical used in plastics manufacturing—led to public outcry last year after dogs and cats died or became seriously ill. Giant pharmaceutical companies like Merck (which has paid millions of dollars in settlements over its heart attack-inducing drug Vioxx) are slow to report the possible side effects of their drugs for fear of losing profits. (The Nation, United Steelworkers)

By appointing insiders who care more about protecting industry than American consumers, the administration has put citizens' health at risk by the very agency that was designed to protect them.

Daniel Troy served as the Bush administration's first FDA administrator and chief counsel. Prior to this appointment, Troy represented tobacco companies in their suit against the FDA over advertising. During his term, the FDA slowed the investigation into the drug Ephedra, a diet supplement linked to more than 100 deaths. (U.S. News & World Report)

Bush next appointed Mark McClellan, brother of the now notorious former White House Press Secretary Scott McClellan and a Bush loyalist, to helm the FDA. Like Troy, McClellan fought calls for lower drug prices (instead, he proposed that Canada and Western European nations raise their prices to match American costs). (Boston Globe)

"He's more liked by the pharmaceutical industry than any other commissioner I can remember," said Dr. Sydney Wolfe, health research director at Public Citizen, a consumer watchdog group. (Boston Globe)

McClellan was replaced by Lester Crawford, whose tenure as FDA commissioner culminated in a Justice Department investigation for violating conflict of interest laws due to vast stock holdings he had in companies he was supposed to regulate. After resigning in disgrace, he was sentenced to three years' probation and \$90,000 in fines. (Associated Press)

Gambling with Rail Security

Seven years after 9/11, our nation's railroads and mass transit systems still lack the basic security needed to protect passengers, workers (including thousands of IBEW members) and cities from terrorist attacks. According to a report by the House of Representatives Homeland Security Committee, \$9 per passenger has been spent on airline security since 9/11, while only one penny per passenger has been spent on rail and mass transit safety.

After years of lobbying and helping to win Democratic control of Congress, the labor movement and our allies have made progress increasing funding for rail security, but our population centers are still vulnerable to the kind of casualties that accompanied terror attacks on rails and subways in Madrid and London, or even greater catastrophes.

The Pittsburgh Tribune reported that the U.S. Department of Homeland Security has estimated the carnage that would be accomplished if terrorists bombed one of the railroad tankers of chlorine gas that routinely pass through Las Vegas; more than 17,000 deaths, 10,000 injuries, with another 100,000 citizens reporting to trauma wards. The clean-up would take weeks and force the evacuation of 70,000 citizens.

The Federal Railroad Administration, an agency of the U.S. Department of Transportation, has documented thousands of security defects at railroad yards, chemical plants and storage facilities, but has only rarely initiated enforcement actions.

"It's criminal that we haven't done something about this," Sen. Joseph Biden (D-Del.) told the Pittsburgh Tribune. Biden, who commutes to Washington, D.C., from Delaware on Amtrak, proposes that the administration's tax cuts for the wealthy be restored to fund every recommendation of the 9/11 Commission. He wants additional federal police assigned to rail yards, enhanced cameras and gates, and the rerouting of dangerous cargoes around cities.

Big Business Versus the Environment

The U.S. Department of the Interior and the White House Council on Envi-



ronmental Policy are supposed to protect our national parks and our environment. But real oversight ends when those agencies are in the hands of a revolving group of big business cronies.

Appointed Secretary of the Department of the Interior in 2001, Gale Norton was an attorney who worked for a law firm that lobbied for corporate clients. During her tenure, Norton relaxed Interior's regulations on permits for oil and gas in environmentally sensitive areas.

Under Norton's direction, the Minerals Management Service waived two years of royalty payments for private companies drilling for oil in the Gulf of Mexico. The Department of Justice later forced Shell, one of the companies exploiting the Gulf's petroleum, to pay more than \$150 million in underpaid royalties after whistleblowers exposed their reporting failures.

After resigning in 2006, when members of her department were linked to the Jack Abramoff bribery scandal, Norton went to work for Shell.

The White House Council on Environmental Policy's former chief of staff, Philip A. Cooney, was appointed in 2005. Cooney, who had no scientific background, drew public scrutiny when he changed a number of official reports to understate the potential effects of global climate change.

The New York Times reported that Cooney crossed out a paragraph based on research that discussed how global warming might reduce glaciers and snowpack. Cooney resigned two days after the Times report. He now works for Exxon-Mobil. ■

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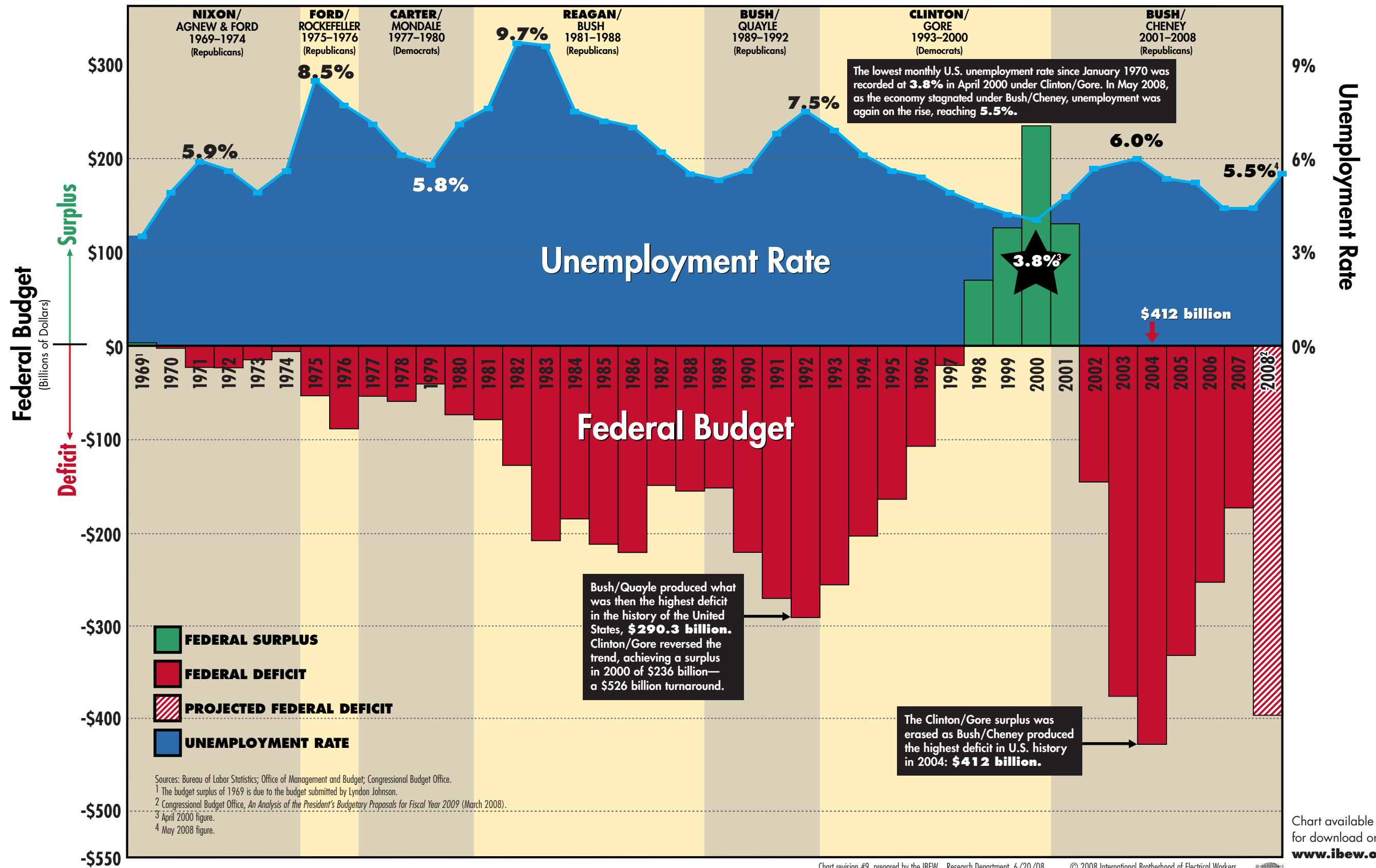


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John McCain

The Maverick Myth



Republican presidential candidate Sen. John McCain (R-Ariz.) has carefully cultivated a reputation as a political maverick, known for his straight talk and his willingness to buck party orthodoxy. But a study of his record shows that when it comes to issues of concern to working families, he has stood with President Bush and the congressional GOP all the way, voting with Bush 95 percent of the time, the most of any senator. In contrast, right-wing Oklahoma Sen. Tom Coburn supported Bush 89 percent of the time, while Senate GOP leader Mitch McConnell of Kentucky backed Bush 86 percent of the time. (Congressional Quarterly)

“Working families can’t afford another four years of George Bush and that’s what we would get with a McCain presidency,” said International President Edwin D. Hill.

■ Free Trade

McCain has been a committed supporter of the kind of trade deals that have sent good paying jobs overseas and devastated the manufacturing core of our country. He has voted for every bad trade agreement, including NAFTA and CAFTA as well fast track, which gives the president the authority to negotiate trade agreements without consulting with Congress. While campaigning in Iowa last year, McCain told the Des Moines Register that “NAFTA was a good idea. It has created millions of jobs and has helped the economies of all three of these nations.”

Most recently, McCain attempted to steer a \$35 billion Air Force contract away from the Washington state-based Boeing and to Airbus, a European aircraft company—a deal that would have cost more than 44,000 new and existing American jobs. The decision by the Air Force to award Airbus the contract was reversed by the Government Accountability Office in June.

■ Workers’ Rights

McCain has never been a supporter of the labor movement or of the right of workers to organize and collectively bargain. He voted

against the Employee Free Choice Act, which would remove barriers to joining a union, while opposing a bill that would bar employers from hiring permanent replacements for striking workers. He also supported Bush when he stripped collective bargaining rights from federal airport screeners.

■ **Infrastructure**

The bridge collapse in Minnesota that killed 13 people last year made clear the costs of our decaying industrial infrastructure. But for McCain, the problem wasn't caused by reduced federal funding for our roads, bridges and electrical infrastructure, but by "pork barrel" spending, instead saying that government has been spending too much. He voted against \$1.6 billion in school construction funding to help school districts repair their most dilapidated public school buildings and against a six-year reauthorization of the federal highway and transit program that would create 1 million jobs protected by Davis-Bacon prevailing wage standards. (AFL-CIO)

■ **On the Economy**

McCain himself admitted he doesn't know a lot about the economy and it shows. Despite the economy entering what looks to be a severe recession, McCain told Bloomberg TV in April: "I think if you look at the overall record and millions of jobs have been created ... you can make an argument that there's been great progress economically."

Despite initially opposing President Bush's tax cuts, McCain now supports extending those same cuts. Under his plan, nearly 60 percent of the \$225 billion in proposed tax cuts will go to the top 1 percent of taxpayers, while the corporate tax rate would drop from 35 percent to 25 percent. (Wall Street Journal) McCain's tax cuts would shrink federal revenues by a quarter over 10 years, driving the deficit up by \$2 trillion. (American Prospect-Center on Budget and Policy Priorities)

In response to the mortgage crisis, McCain voted against a measure to discourage predatory lending practices and failed to vote on a bill that would overhaul the mortgage lending practices of the Federal Housing Administration (AFL-CIO). McCain's response is not surprising, as one of his top advisers is former Texas Sen. Phil Gramm, whose efforts to deregulate the banking and financial services industry helped set the stage for the current crisis. (Washington Post)

And despite declining wages, McCain joined with his GOP colleges in opposing raising the federal minimum wage.

■ **Social Security**

McCain voted for Bush's Social Security privatization plan and says the only solution to fixing Social Security is through private accounts, telling the Wall Street Journal in April: "As part of Social Security reform, I believe that private savings accounts are a part of it—along the lines that President Bush proposed." (AFL-CIO) McCain also voted to raise the eligibil-

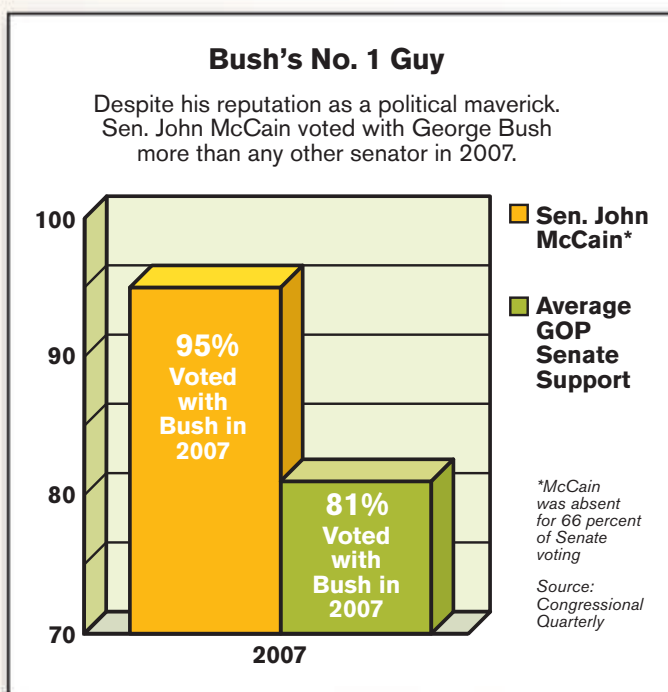
ity age for Medicare and against a measure to provide temporary health insurance assistance to retirees of bankrupt steel companies.

■ **Energy**

While claiming to support green jobs, his emphasis on tax cuts for the wealthiest Americans make federal investment in green job creation nearly impossible. McCain also missed an opportunity to end big oil tax breaks to invest in clean energy in 2007 when he helped defeat a bill to close \$13 billion in tax breaks for major oil and gas companies to invest in new clean energy technologies such as wind and solar. (Center for American Progress)

■ **Health Care**

With the exception of his time as a prisoner of war, McCain has been covered from birth by government-run health insurance—an option he doesn't want the rest of coun-



try to have. "I am convinced that the wrong way to go is to turn over your lives to the government and hope it will all be fine," he said. (American Prospect)

McCain's health care plan would shift the burden of health care from employers by encouraging them to push their workers off company plans into an unregulated private insurance market. Those like McCain, a skin cancer survivor, with preexisting conditions would likely be weeded out by insurance companies as a bad financial risk.

McCain also joined with Bush to oppose the expansion of the State Children's Health Insurance Program, which would have provided health insurance coverage to more than 4 million more children.

BCTD CELEBRATES 1 YEARS OF SERVICE AND ACTIVISM



The 100th anniversary of the Building and Construction Trades Department, AFL-CIO, came and went in March. But the milestone, like the accomplishments the department has amassed



over the years, was quietly celebrated. From solving thorny jurisdictional disputes among the trades to projects like Helmets to Hardhats, to the innovative organizing programs that have led to a 100,000-member increase in the trades last year, the BCTD has been a pillar of the labor movement.

“The best way to commemorate the BCTD’s anniversary,” says IBEW International President Edwin D. Hill, is to strengthen the labor movement by “learning about and spreading the department’s benefits to new members and veteran members alike.” No building trades union holds more leading positions in state and local councils than the IBEW.

This year, the BCTD is poised to play an influential part in the presidential election. A six-state membership mobilization strategy has been developed that will focus on two states in the East; two in the Midwest and two in the West, where the department’s numbers and leadership structure can make a difference. Over 350 IBEW delegates attended the department’s national legislative conference in April to chart plans for 2008.

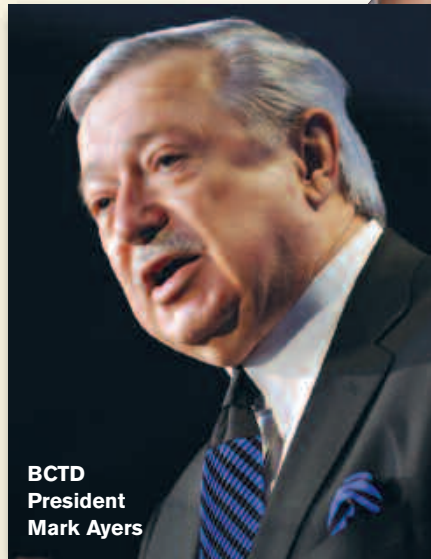
Under the leadership of President Mark Ayers, the former director of the IBEW Construction and Maintenance Department, and Secretary-Treasurer Sean McGarvey from the International Union of Painters and Allied Trades, the BCTD is enhancing its public image. Boosted by IBEW-initiated efforts like the Code of Excellence and strengthened alliances with key industry groups like the Construction Users Roundtable, the building trades are poised to attract vast

amounts of projected industrial work slated over the next two decades.

“We are looking at new and more creative ways of communicating,” says Ayers. Electronic newsletters, a redesigned Web site (www.bctd.org) and video news briefs will help “connect the department and state and local councils in both the U.S. and Canada, making them aware of the work of a myriad of programs and areas.”

The BCTD serves its members in a variety of ways:

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**BCTD
President
Mark Ayers**



BCTD MEMBER UNIONS

- International Association of Bridge, Structural, Ornamental and Reinforcing Iron Workers
- International Association of Heat and Frost Insulators and Allied Workers
- International Brotherhood of Boilermakers, Iron Ship Builders, Blacksmiths, Forgers and Helpers
- International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers
- International Brotherhood of Teamsters
- International Union of Bricklayers and Allied Craftworkers
- International Union of Elevator Constructors
- International Union of Painters and Allied Trades
- Laborers’ International Union of North America
- Operative Plasterers’ and Cement Masons’ International Association of the United States and Canada
- Sheet Metal Workers’ International Association
- United Association of Journeymen and Apprentices of the Plumbing and Pipefitting Industry of the United States and Canada
- United Union of Roofers, Waterproofers and Allied Workers



BCTD CELEBRATES 100 YEARS

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The Office of the General Counsel represents the collective interests of the building trades before federal departments, agencies and the courts.

The Office of Field Services assists leaders and affiliates in the negotiation and administration of agreements, including the National Construction Agreement and the General Presidents' Maintenance Agreement. The office also administers coordinated bargaining with the Tennessee Valley Authority and Walt Disney World in Florida.

The Center for Construction Research and Training, a non-profit organization, is an international leader in applied research, training and service to the construction industry. The center, based in Silver Spring, Md., analyzes corporate and government policies related to construction, specializing in promoting safe and healthy working conditions in the trades. (Visit www.cpw.com).

The National Coordinating Committee for Multi-employer Plans. Like the Center to Protect Workers Rights, NCCMP is a non-profit organization founded by the Building Trades to provide educational programs for trustees, plan professionals, government officials and legislators. The committee protects the interests of nearly 10 million workers

BUILDING AND CONSTRUCTION



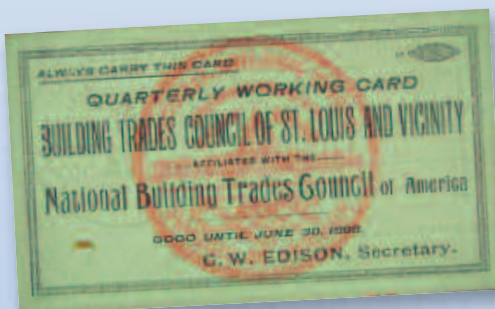
1891 silver dollar

- **1890s.** Local building trades councils were organized in cities such as New York and Chicago.

- **1908.** The Building Trades Department of AFL-CIO was formed.
- **1921.** After demonstrating their competence in World War I, the building trades pushed for an eight-hour day, union wage scales and safe working conditions. Construction employers responded by launching an "open shop" movement.

Building trades lost their "closed shop" protections in Seattle, Detroit, Duluth, Los Angeles, Minneapolis, Philadelphia, St. Paul, and San Francisco.

- **1929.** Stock market crash. Seven out of 10 tradesmen were out of work.



1898 Building Trades card



1911 Labor Day in Erie, Pa.



1912 quarterly dues pin

- **1930s.** BCTD lobbied for public works projects, shorter workweek and labor legislation such as Davis-Bacon Act (prevailing wage), signed in 1931.

Building Trades defend their jurisdictions inside industrial plants from encroachment by CIO unions.

- **1940s.** Building Trades prepare for World War II. By 1942, they were joining the Seabees—newly-authorized Naval construction battalions.



1940 journeyman and apprentice oiling threads

In Canada, the trades revived the shipbuilding industry and built the infrastructure for their aircraft industry—both in record time.

The Taft-Hartley Act was enacted in 1947. It prohibited the closed shop

participating in collectively bargained multi-employer pension, health and benefit plans. (Visit www.nccmp.org).

Helmets to Hardhats is a national, federally-funded program that connects National Guard, Reserve and transitioning active-duty military members to quality career training and jobs in construction. The program is co-sponsored by the BCTD and construction industry employer associations.

In 2007, over 18,000 veterans registered as Helmets to Hardhats candidates, with 1,550 hired as apprentices or direct employees. (Visit www.helmets-tohardhats.org).

The Committee on Women in the Trades was formed in 2005 to increase

the number of women in skilled trade careers by promoting strategies for recruitment, retention and leadership advancement.

The Gulf States Workforce Development Project is a long-term program of regional work force development in the southeastern United States. The project includes the work of the **Gulf Coast Construction Careers Center**, which helps local citizens find work rebuilding coastal communities devastated by Hurricane Katrina. The center offers a three-week skills refresher course to prepare students, who are paid \$10 per hour, to enter apprenticeships and other trade programs. (See "New Orleans Trades Build Hope," Winter 2008 IBEW Journal).



TRADES DEPARTMENT TIMELINE

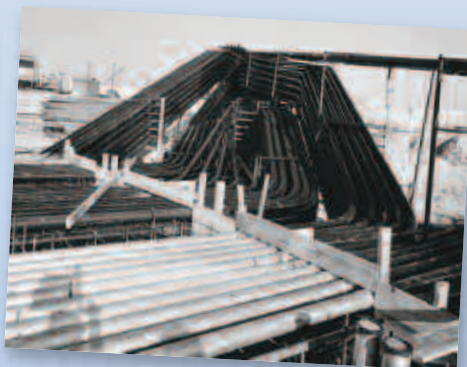
and it classified secondary boycotts and jurisdictional strikes as "unfair labor practices" and therefore illegal.

- **1955.** The BCTD held its first national legislative conference in Washington, D.C.
- **1956.** President Dwight D. Eisenhower signed the Interstate Highway Construction Bill, which included Davis-Bacon prevailing wage protections.

The first project maintenance agreement was put in place at the Tidewater Refinery in Delaware. It included a no-strike, no-lockout provision, along with a grievance procedure with binding arbitration.

- **1960s.** Building trades establish a Missile Sites Labor Policy and Commission in response to President Kennedy's call to build a space program to send a man to the moon.

The Joint Committee on Equal Employment Opportunities was



1962 building Cape Canaveral missile pad



2008 quarterly dues pin

formed to implement new civil rights policies in the construction industry.

- **1970s.** President Nixon temporarily suspends the federal Davis-Bacon Act as well as state prevailing wage laws.
By the mid-to-late 1970's, there were but a few union construction strongholds left in the United States.
- **1980s.** The Construction Organizing Membership Education Training program—COMET—was developed by the IBEW and adopted by the BCTD.
- **1990s.** Between 1996 and 1998, building trades unions added more than 150,000 members.
- **2000s.** Helmets to Hardhats and the National Drug and Alcohol program were launched. New multi-craft organizing approaches targeted nonunion employers and workers.
- **2007.** Vigorous organizing brings 100,000 new members into the building trades.



RETIREES

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Local 11 Retirees Club Pres. Marty Cohen celebrates his 70th birthday this summer. Shown here is a 2007 commissioned cartoon sketch of Pres. Cohen.

Summer Luncheon

RETIREES CLUB OF L.U. 11, LOS ANGELES, CA—At this writing, the Local 11 Retirees Club summer luncheon was scheduled for June 11. One of the highlights scheduled for the event was cartoonist Raul Pascual, commissioned to draw caricatures for the members. Marty Cohen, club president, celebrates his 70th birthday this summer. His grandson Daniel Brock, a fourth-year apprentice and member of Local 11, got engaged to Miss Jodie Johnson. The couple plan to live with Marty. Congratulations to both Marty and Daniel!

At the May meeting of the Retirees Club, three new board members were appointed. Congratulations to David Smith, Sandra Smith and Dolores Gomez. We appreciate their dedication and commitment on behalf of our retired members.

Retiree Butch Bachand is pursuing his passion for serving delicious gourmet meals. At an Electrical



Local 22 retired member William Jaksich (second from left) receives 60-year service award. From left are: Local 22 Bus. Mgr. Gary Kelly, Bro. Jaksich, Retirees Club Pres. Louis Masters Jr. and IBEW Eleventh District Int. Rep. John F. Bourne.

Training Institute event, he served his famous "Dynamites" sandwiches, served with all the fixings. We're glad to see Butch is enjoying retirement.

Thank you to retiree James "Doc" Holliday for assisting us with early morning picketing against Hirex Corp. It's appreciated.

We convey our deepest sympathy in the loss of Stanley L. McIntyre, a Local 11 District 4 member for over 50 years. Our thoughts are with his family.

BOB OEDY, P.S.

Retirees Awards Dinner

RETIREES CLUB OF L.U. 22, OMAHA, NE—On Sat., April 19, Local 22 sponsored the annual retirees years-of-service awards dinner held at the union hall. Forty-six retirees were invited to receive service awards. Presenting the awards were Local 22 Bus. Mgr. Gary Kelly and Asst. Bus. Mgr. Stan Elsasser.

Award recipients were as follows. For 20 years of service—Ed Brown; for 30 years—Harold Agnew, Dale Hansen, Don Bolter, Larry Masters, Randy Cody; 35 years—Philip Finch, Denny Rosenbaum, Willard Jones, Robert Meier; 40 years—Wayne Flesher, newly retired Asst. Bus. Mgr. Bill King, Klaus Preuss, Larry Haacke, Bob Mason, John Ryan, Delbert Hawkins, Darrell Oliver, Jon Tedford; 45 years—Dale Ellison, Carl Sullivan; 50 years—Jerome Cromwell, Gerald Howrey, Carl Miller, Joe Schneiderwind, Paul Smith, Mike

Flanigan, Lester Landis, Harry Mindrup, Al Selk, Don Starks, Lyle Freeburg, John Meysenburg, Ray Pilus, Ed Smith, Don Warren; 55 years—Charles Fox, William Sobbing, George Schinker and Donald Schwalm.

Top honors for 60 years of service went to Robert Clark, Robert Wiese, Kenneth Garey, Hugh Polson, Bill Jaksich and Henry Sykora. Wives of members receiving awards for 50 or more years of service were invited to attend; those attending were Vi Lantis, Carol Freeburg and Dorothy Jaksich.

WALTER S. ZYLA, P.S.

Service Award Banquet

RETIREES CLUB OF L.U. 58, DETROIT, MI—Greetings from the Association of Retirees, Wives and Widows of Local 58.

Nearly 200 honorees and guests attended the annual service award pin party held Sat., April 26, at our local union hall. The food was excellent, and the chance to visit with fellow retirees was priceless. The members shown in the accompanying photo received IBEW service award lapel pins for 50, 55, 60 or 65 years of service.

Some of our retirees have been meeting with Bus. Mgr. Joe Abdo's office and Pres. Eileen Crawford in preparation for our centennial anniversary in 2013. Interviews with some retirees have helped identify many photographs we've amassed over the years. The old photos bring back wonderful memories.

Local 58 retirees with 50-65 years of service display their awards at the April 2008 luncheon banquet.



Bro. Dennis McCann, from our Association, is working with the president on this task.

At press time we were looking forward to the June 25 luncheon in Marysville, MI, at the former banquet hall known as the Crystal Palace.

On a motion by C. Mott and a second by J. McFeely, the current officers and Board of Directors were nominated to their various elected positions. As this article went to press, nominations were still being accepted, through the meeting in June.

Bob Barrett has been ill recently and a get-well card would do him wonders.

Remember to buy American and support our local unions. Our union has been and will continue to be the backbone of our well-being.

FRANK A. MAISANO, P.S.

Club Celebrates 25 Years

RETIREES CLUB OF L.U. 60, SAN ANTONIO, TX—Our club recently celebrated 25 years with a grand meal and eight entertaining bingo games. We also elected Retirees Club officers: Pres. Gene Chamberlain, Vice Pres. Tommy Huckelba, Sec. Treas. Charlie Watson, Ladies Auxiliary Chair Peggy Schulz; Executive Board members Bobby Wolff, Al Reina, Lamar Clanton, Tommy Caldwell, Bill Wurzbach; and Sgt. at Arms Tommy Frazier.

Service pins were awarded at the April 2007 meeting. Fifty-year pins went to Bob Baker and Bobby Katz; 55-year pins—Tommy Caldwell and Virgil King; 60-year pins—Bill Wurzbach; and a 65-year pin—Bob Schmidt. In December 2007, a retirement watch was awarded to Don Orłowski. Congratulations to all!

Our Ladies Auxiliary bought pillows and sewed colorful pillow cases for The Children's Shelter in San Antonio for Christmas. The ladies brought their sewing machines and made beautiful gifts for the children. Peggy Schulz was in charge and her helpers were Billie DeSalme, Marilyn Chamberlain, Bobby Ray, Linda Caldwell, Janice

The Local 60 Retirees Club Ladies Auxiliary made holiday gifts for children residing at a San Antonio shelter. Participating on the project were: front row, from left, Billie DeSalme, Marilyn Chamberlain and Bobbie Ray; back row, Janice Caldwell, Maxine Myers, Linda Caldwell, Rose Watson, Polly Frazier and Peggy Schulz.



Caldwell, Maxine Myers, Rose Watson and Polly Frazier.

We sadly report the deaths in 2007 of: Harold Harlos, Bob Rose, Cecil Chamberlain, Alvin W. Pogue, Jesse C. Futral, Daniel H. Steward, Louis C. Wisenheimer Jr., John Dillman, Sidney N. Greene and Pat Capps. This year we have lost Wesley J. Lucas and Louis Laskowski. May they rest in peace.

Our club meets the second Thursday of each month from January to May, and from September to December. Join us for fun, fellowship and food!

LURA WURZBACH, P.S.

Retirees Officers Elected

RETIREES CLUB OF L.U. 90, NEW HAVEN, CT—On May 6, 2008, the Local 90 Retirees Club met at our regular monthly meeting to hold the nomination of officers. As in the past, by unanimous vote, the four current officers were re-elected. They are: Pres. Rip Kirby, Vice Pres. Ace DellaCamera, Sec. Hugh McGuire and Treas. Bob Gallagher.

On June 3, we held our last meeting before the summer vacation break. The June 3 meeting was also our pizza meeting. Retirees Club meetings will resume on Sept. 2, 2008, which will begin our new year.

We invite all Local 90 retirees to join us at any of our meetings. Meetings are held the first Tuesday of each month, except July and August at 1:30 p.m. We meet at 2 North Plains Industrial Rd., Wallingford, CT 06492.

We wish all IBEW members and their families a happy, healthy and safe summer.

RICHARD LAUNDER, P.S.

May Awards Breakfast

RETIREES CLUB OF L.U. 99, PROVIDENCE, RI—We recently held our annual May Breakfast at the Marriott Hotel in Providence. This year, 55 retired brothers along with their spouses or significant others enjoyed a wonderful breakfast and pin ceremony. We were also pleased to have both Providence



Boston Local 103 Retirees Club members and officers enjoy Florida golf outing. Clockwise from lower left are: Maurice Murphy, Paul McGrady, Bob Daly, Dick Lindsey, Frank Wallace, Joe Flanagan, Bob Raeke, Paul Sweeney, Bill Walker, Les Crawford, Paul Whitall, Paul Toner and Leo Monahan.

Mayor David N. Cicilline and Rhode Island Secretary of State Ralph Molis join us for this very special event.

The officers had the pleasure of assisting Local 99 Bus. Mgr. Allen P. Durand in awarding service pins and certificates to our honored guests. Receiving 50-year pins were: James D. Gerkin, Daniel J. Hogberg, Henry J. Janton, Joseph Maguire, John T. O'Brien, Terry D. Pierce, Edward C. Rotella, Edward M. Skwiz, Leo H. Therien and Paul Therien. Fifty-five year pins were awarded to: Charles F. Canning, Edward L. Lewis, Thomas G. O'Neill, Arthur E. Shaffell and Arthur A. Watson. Sixty year pins were awarded to: Herbert Clark and Ernest A. Iomondi. We were happy to see our new members in attendance for this special event.

The month of June marked a new beginning for our club. Local 99 Bus. Mgr. Durand swore in our newly elected Retirees Club officers: Pres. Robert Pierce, Vice Pres. Sahag Bedrosian, Sec. Donald Simpson and Treas. John Ostrander. We wish our new club officers well and know they will keep the spirit of brotherhood alive.

After the summer vacation, our next meeting will be held Tues., Sept. 16. We look forward to seeing you in the fall.

RAYMOND GERMERSHAUSEN, P.S.

Salutations from Boston

RETIREES CLUB OF L.U. 103, BOSTON, MA—Greetings to our many retired members throughout the country. It has been a busy spring in New England with our annual golf safari to Florida, luncheons, election of officers and the annual service pin awards ceremony.

A number of new golfers made the third annual trip to Orlando on

March 1 for a week in golf paradise. The cost has gone up to about \$1,200 for airfare, accommodations and tee times at premier golf links. Very inexpensive for golf nuts.

In June, Local 103 held the annual service pin award night. Pins are awarded for members with 20-, 25-, 30-, 35-, 40-, 45-, 50-, and 50-plus years of service. The event is attended by approximately 150 members and their families. The cost of awards and pins is borne by Local 103.

The Retirees Club biannual election of officers was held in June. We thank former Pres. Tony Calvino, Vice Pres. William Walker and Executive Board members Al Gricus and Kevin Moynihan for their past service.

Newly elected officers are Pres. Leo Monahan, Vice Pres. Vincent Crowley; and elected to fill Executive Board vacancies, Paul Toner, Bernie Sharpe and John Mahoney. Re-elected were Sec. John O'Donnell, Treas. Joe Murphy and Executive Board members Bill Horan, Pat Mannion and Bob Pietrillo.

LEO MONAHAN, PRES.

Active Club Members

RETIREES CLUB OF L.U. 130, NEW ORLEANS, LA—Retirees Club members and guests had a great time at the June meeting. We presented two 60-year active club members, Bros. Emile Buccola and Karl Vosloh, with watches. Congratulations, brothers. Well deserved.

Congratulations also to our club members who are age 90 and above: M.E. Joseph, Anthony Ziegler, Henry Daries and Ralph Ehrensing. Live on, Brothers.

We had a bus trip in May to the Hollywood Casino on the Mississippi Gulf Coast and all 55 riders



Local 130 Bus. Mgr. Robert "Tiger" Hammond (center, rear) congratulates Retirees Club members who received 65-year service pins. From left: Warren Seher, J.O. Sanchez, Bus. Mgr. Hammond, Olgden Bosch and John Mangiaracina.

enjoyed themselves. As of this writing, our next bus trip was scheduled for July 2008.

We extend our deepest sympathy to board member Philip Fielding and his family on the loss of his lovely wife, Gayle. God bless you and your family, Bro. Fielding.

We all thank our Retirees Club Pres. Ron Clark for sticking with his job through difficult times during family illness.

We give a big thanks to Local 130 Bus. Mgr./Fin. Sec. Robert "Tiger" Hammond and his staff for the Alexander Room's face uplift. Job well-done!

We are saddened to report the passing of: Bros. James T. Adams, Sidney Cantelli, Gerald Ferguson, James M. Ferguson, Wilfred Hebert, Warren Kempff, Raymond Landry, Clifford Leblanc, Anthony Parker and Michael P. Wigginton. May they rest in peace.

We apologize for a misprint in our article published in the spring 2008 issue of the Journal: Ashton Stockton passed away not Ashton Stephens.

Our next article is scheduled for the fall issue of the Journal. Till then, vote union.

BUDDY CARVER, P.S.

Chicago Club Growing

RETIREES CLUB OF L.U. 134, CHICAGO, IL—We recently had our corned beef dinner. The event was a sellout and everyone enjoyed the new location for the dinner. Our club is getting bigger and more lively.

Election of officers was held in March. Congratulations and welcome to all newly elected officers. Thanks to Bob Mersch, our past club president, for doing a good job.

Our new officers are: Pres. Lou Rodriguez, Vice Pres. Mario Coletta and Executive Board members Bernie Martin, Rich Sipple (former business agent) and Jerry Warchol. Our re-elected officers are: Treas. Don Mahoney, Carl Busch and Bob Smedberg. Congratulations and good look to all. *[Editor's Note: We are saddened to announce that Local 134 retired Bro. Carl Busch*



Local 134 Bus. Mgr./Fin. Sec. Timothy Foley (far right) pictured with some of the Retirees Club officers and members. From left are Retirees Club Treas. Don Mahoney, Bro. Carl Busch, Vice Pres. Mario Coletta, Executive Board member Jerry Warchol, Pres. Lou Rodriguez, Bro. Bob Smedberg, Executive Board member Rich Sipple and Bus. Mgr./Fin. Sec. Foley.

passed away suddenly on Sunday, May 25, 2008.]

At this writing we were looking forward to a June luncheon entertainment, at which our 50-, 55- and 60-year members were scheduled to be recognized.

A golf outing will be held in September.

RICHARD BRONARS, P.S.

Lake County, IL, Retirees

RETIREES CLUB OF L.U. 150, WAUKEGAN, IL—The summer looks to be a busy one. In May we went to White Pines State Park for a luncheon, play, dinner, overnight in a log cabin and breakfast in the morning.

In June we were treated to a tour of the Great Lakes Naval Station. This included seeing the battle stations and the sailors doing their training. It was very impressive. We are lucky to have the station in our jurisdiction. It keeps a lot of electricians at work.

In July we went to see the Tempel Lipizzan show. The beautiful, white Lipizzan performance horses practically dance in the air. The legendary Lipizzan breed was saved from threatened destruction during World War II.

In August we will tour the John Cuneo museum and have lunch there. This is an elegant estate, located in Libertyville, IL, which has been turned into a museum.

In September we will participate in the annual Jubilee Days Labor Day Parade in Zion. We hope for fair weather. The following week we will have our annual potluck luncheon at the Holst's place in Wadsworth.

We hope you retirees will join us. Our meetings are the second Tuesday of the month at the union hall at 1 p.m.

DIANE HOLST, P.S.

Retirees Officers Elected

RETIREES CLUB OF L.U. 306, AKRON, OH—Elections were held at our May meeting and Bro. Tom Bosso was elected as our new presi-

dent. Bro. John Felber is our new vice president and Bro. John Scaffidi our secretary/treasurer.

Discussions were held regarding upcoming activities for summer and a day bus trip to Mountaineer was one of them. This could be a great chance for some of us to get an hour and a half away from home and share some Social Security and IBEW pension dollars with our families and friends in West Virginia!

Welcome home to all our returning "Snow Birds," who head for warmer climates right after Christmas. The golf links are busy and the lakes are overrun with fishermen, so spring has sprung here in northeast Ohio.

Each year while placing flags on veterans' graves, I visit the grave of retired Bro. Al Hartley to say hello



Attending the Local 557 Retirees Club lunch in April are, from left: Cliff Gregory, Ken Gorte, Dean Kinsella, Harold Kluck and Leon Nickodemus.

and gaze upon the only tombstone I have ever seen with the IBEW logo on it.

We are saddened by the recent loss of retired Bros. Gene Warner and Bill Armour.

BOB SALLAZ, P.S.

Retirees Receive Watches

RETIREES CLUB OF L.U. 466, CHARLESTON, WV—Hello from wild, wonderful West Virginia. The hills of "almost heaven" West Virginia were beautiful again this year.

Local 466 retirees thank the local union for treating us so well. The administrations of Bus. Mgr. Dave Young and of former business manager Dave Efaw, as well as secretary Amie Robinson, have been very good to us. They all make us feel that we are still part of this great organization.

Retirees meet the first Wednesday of the month at 1:30 p.m. at the union hall. Spouses are welcome and food is always provided by the union hall.

In 2001 a motion was passed to give all present and future Local 466 retirees an IBEW watch for their service. Thanks to all who helped complete this task. We have 119 retirees and three we haven't yet located. When you retire, please come to the retiree meeting to receive your watch.

I am proud to be a part of this group. We hope more members

come out to join us in rehashing old times shared. Remember to vote—it is very important.

We say our last farewells to members we lost in recent months: Sam Christian, Jim Brown, Joe Cochran, Kelly Lee Holder, Larry Cook, Don Snodgrass, Dennis Pennington, Randal Short, Bill Rectenwald Sr., Willie Roach, John Hagerman Sr. and Jay Adkins. May the Good Lord bless and keep you.

We thank our veterans and all those now serving in our armed forces, keeping our state motto true: "Mountaineers are always free."

LARRY FOGARTY, P.S.

Memorial Plaza Fund

RETIREES CLUB OF L.U. 557, SAGINAW, MI—For many years retirees have gathered at The Coun-

try Buffet on Bay Road in Saginaw on the second Wednesday of each month. A great meal selection is offered for a reasonable cost at a facility that prides itself on using union electricians to maintain its operation.

The retirees group collects a donation each month that is targeted to benefit the Saginaw County Veterans Memorial Plaza Endowment Fund. The Plaza was formed a few years ago by relocating the World War I, World War II and Korean War memorials and creating a Vietnam Memorial all in one location. The lighting and power was installed by Local 557 volunteers with donations from Schoen Electric.

Now, the Plaza has bricks that are inscribed with the names of honorees and placed in the walkways. The bricks may be purchased by anyone. Our retirees' donation of \$300, on behalf of IBEW Local 557, goes through the Saginaw Community Foundation, and the trustees will list this donation on their annual report.

Remember: Join Local 557 retirees at noon on the second Wednesday of each month.

We honor veterans because they have served to maintain our freedom, including our freedom to choose our leaders. So be sure and vote at every opportunity.

JOHN E. CLEMENS, P.S.



Local 611 Retirees Club members Tracy Hall (left) and Harold Paschke, joined by Christine Paschke, review some of the Local 611 photos being collected. Bro. Harold Paschke received his IBEW 50-year service pin in 2007.

Retirees Take on Project

RETIREES CLUB OF L.U. 611, ALBUQUERQUE, NM—Local 611 retirees have taken on a project to collect data and pictures relating to the history of our local, which was chartered in 1914.

Data has been collected on the various office and meeting locations the local has operated over the last 94 years—12 different locations in all. Other data, on events and activities, is being obtained from union records and the public library, but more help is needed. Local 611 will celebrate its 100th anniversary in just six short years, and it will take the entire six years to collect everything necessary for the anniversary. Nap Duran, Glen Grazier, Vivian Romero and Harold Paschke have given their time to help identify members in dozens of pictures, some dating back 50-60 years.

After all, who has the time to search for archives data? Retirees, of course. We really need you retired members to step forward and help with this project. Attend meetings, drop us a line or give us a call for more information.

Be sure to vote on Nov. 4. According to the Alliance for Retired Americans, at least one-third of all voters in most 2008 presidential primaries were over age 60. Older Americans remain the most reliable and consistent group of voters.

Be sure to keep in your thoughts Bros. Nap Duran and Ted Cordova, who are having health problems. Also, please remember past president Albino Garcia, who has Alzheimer's and is in a nursing home.

TRACY HALL, P.S.

Golden Age Road Runners

RETIREES CLUB OF L.U. 640, PHOENIX, AZ—Local 640 retirees belong to an organization called the

Golden Age Road Runners. We have a breakfast at the hall once a month and a board meeting once a month, but only from October to May. It's too hot for us in the summer.

Our club officers are: Pres. Jim Decker, Vice Pres. Jim Riley, Sec. Gay Riley, Treas. Sue Dolphin, Board Chmn. Wayne Key, Sgt. at Arms & Chaplain Jack Foulk; and Board members Bob Pell, Ron Bruce, Chuck Foster and Jim Young.

We try to keep track of all retirees and send out newsletters to inform members when we lose a brother or sister and we have a wall with all names of those who pass, thanks to Don Shaw. We let the retirees know about the IBEW picnic and we help with donations like the Hacienda De Los Angeles home for the disabled. The rest of the time we talk about old times and old buddies. We give a scholarship to the most outstanding apprentice each year and love to see the expression of thanks.

We have door prizes at our breakfasts and a wonderful cook, Maggie, who gives us a choice of three different breakfasts: egg burritos, ham, eggs and potatoes, or a continental breakfast.

We are a proud group of union people.

GAY RILEY, SEC.

Retiree Luncheon

RETIREES CLUB OF L.U. 702, WEST FRANKFORT, IL—Approximately 192 retirees and their guests attended a luncheon held April 17 at Local 702's union hall. Local 702 Bus. Mgr. Paul Noble welcomed everyone and praised all the retirees for their past and continued support of Local 702 and the labor movement as a whole.

The Retiree's Club is set up for

any Local 702 retirees who are interested in joining and attending the events. The club meets the first Thursday of every other month. If you are interested in joining the club, please contact the Local 702 union hall.

MARSHA STEELE, P.S.

70-Year Service Award

RETIREES CLUB OF L.U. 915, TAMPA, FL—At Local 915's annual pin meeting in April, retired Bro. Bob McDonald received a 70-year pin. Bro. McDonald is 91 years young. He drives himself to our monthly Retirees Club meetings. Also he says grace for us before we have lunch. We wish Bro. McDonald many more healthy years to come.

We would like to invite all IBEW retirees living here in West Central Florida to our Retirees Club meetings. We meet the first Monday of every month at 12 noon, at the Local 915 meeting hall, 5621 Harney Rd., Tampa. Lunch is provided.

DENNIS FIELD, P.S.

Active 'Pride and Unity'

RETIREES CLUB OF L.U. 972, MARIETTA, OH—Our club meets the first Wednesday of each month.

We gather for lunch, followed by a short business meeting, and then enjoy "catching up" and "yesterday" discussions. This is our first newsletter item since our club was founded a couple of years ago.

We nominated officers at the April meeting and held our election in May. The May meeting was preceded by a lunch provided by the club and followed by card playing.

The Labor Day parade is an event we look forward to each year. The parade allows us an opportunity to coordinate with our local union. Local 972 is not a large local in terms of numbers, but we are large when it comes to "heart, pride and unity." Over 100 active and retired members turn out to represent our union at the parade each year. Our parade units are led by Old Glory followed up by the banners of the local and club, and all the Local 972 participants wearing matching caps and shirts.

We want to let everyone know we exist and are active. We intend to stay that way and to keep in touch from time to time.

Pray for our troops!
JOE D. SCHOFIELD, P.S.



Local 915 Retirees Club member Bob McDonald (center) receives his 70-year service award, presented by Local 915 Bus. Mgr. Bill Dever (right) and Pres. Randall King (left).

Local 702 retirees and guests attend April retirees luncheon at the union hall.



Brothers and Sisters, we want you to have your JOURNAL! When you have a change of address, please let us know. Be sure to include your old address and please don't forget to fill in L.U. and Card No. This information will be helpful in checking and keeping our records straight. **If you have changed local unions, we must have numbers of both. U.S. members—** mail this form to IBEW, Address Change Department, 900 Seventh Street, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20001. **Canadian members—** mail this form to IBEW First District, 1450 Meyerside Drive, Suite 300, Mississauga, Ontario L5T 2N5.

All members— you can change your address on line at www.ibew.org

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Don't forget to register to vote at your new address!

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IN MEMORIAM

PBF Death Claims Approved for Payment in April 2008

Local	Surname	Amount	Local	Surname	Amount	Local	Surname	Amount	Local	Surname	Amount
1	Helle, N. J.	6,250.00	11	Johnson, C. C.	6,250.00	58	Grassel, G. S.	6,250.00	111	Altman, O. W.	2,948.00
1	Kemp, D. W.	3,000.00	11	Marble, P. A.	3,000.00	58	May, A. F.	6,250.00	111	Potter, J. L.	3,000.00
1	Moll, A. W.	3,000.00	11	Salvino, J.	3,000.00	58	Rafail, R. G.	3,000.00	111	Skinner, E. T.	3,000.00
1	Radcliff, W. G.	3,000.00	11	Schweibinz, H. T.	2,937.58	58	Sielaff, H. J.	3,000.00	112	Black, R. L.	3,000.00
1	Staten, J. R.	3,000.00	11	Sherman, D.	3,000.00	58	Silette, J. P.	3,000.00	112	Jain, T. P.	3,000.00
1	Terracina, S. J.	3,000.00	11	Szabados, M.	2,817.54	60	Laskowski, L. T.	3,000.00	112	Mitchell, R. E.	3,000.00
2	Buckley, W. A.	3,000.00	11	Walker, P. E.	3,000.00	60	Lucas, W. J.	6,250.00	113	Throckmorton, W. H.	3,000.00
2	Johnston, K. T.	6,250.00	12	Walsh, F. J.	3,000.00	64	Brocius, J. M.	3,000.00	115	Chapman, W. G.	3,000.00
2	Saling, M. E.	6,250.00	13	Fox, W. C.	2,940.00	66	Collins, R. L.	720.24	117	Doherty, J. W.	3,000.00
2	Wissmann, D. A.	1,500.00	13	Johnson, M. D.	2,887.96	66	Hickman, J. T.	2,916.78	124	Baxley, J. S.	6,250.00
3	Arone, R. R.	3,000.00	13	Sparks, K. L.	3,000.00	66	Matthews, P. J.	2,911.00	124	Jack, P. E.	3,000.00
3	Bianco, J. R.	2,840.00	14	Bunce, D. C.	6,250.00	66	Myers, R.	3,000.00	124	James, L. R.	3,000.00
3	Bonuso, J.	6,250.00	16	Schroeder, E. H.	3,000.00	66	Rowell, C. L.	3,000.00	124	Scott, H.	3,000.00
3	Dacres, N. R.	2,965.50	17	Spitz, R. J.	2,947.09	68	Murray, A. P.	3,000.00	124	Wilson, L. L.	3,000.00
3	D'Ambra, B. A.	3,000.00	17	Tarr, O. L.	3,000.00	70	Shelton, P. H.	3,000.00	124	Zuck, G.	3,000.00
3	Dorus, J. P.	750.00	18	Carter, M. L.	2,572.50	71	Campbell, D. C.	12,500.00	125	Clapper, C. G.	3,000.00
3	Ehrenfreund, D.	3,000.00	18	Morrison, G. R.	1,480.27	73	Kelbell, G. E.	2,872.00	125	Nieland, W. G.	3,000.00
3	Friedman, G. M.	2,928.78	20	Brown, R. E.	2,926.00	76	Heizmann, J. A.	6,250.00	126	Gemmell, G. P.	3,000.00
3	Geraci, A.	12,500.00	20	Holder, C. L.	6,250.00	77	Comer, L. R.	3,000.00	126	Patrick, L. R.	2,930.00
3	Holland, B. D.	3,000.00	20	Tyson, J. W.	2,934.66	77	Elrod, C. C.	3,125.00	126	Roland, J. M.	3,000.00
3	Jagde, R. F.	3,000.00	21	Heffernan, S. J.	6,250.00	77	Everson, G. O.	3,000.00	126	Roswell, R.	3,000.00
3	Kramer, S. W.	3,000.00	22	Andersen, W. J.	2,965.19	77	Finley, E. H.	3,000.00	127	Jessen, P. F.	2,962.47
3	Lotardo, J. T.	2,965.33	22	Barr, M. D.	6,250.00	77	Lawrence, F. E.	2,971.27	129	Brotzki, B. A.	3,000.00
3	Maimone, Z. V.	6,250.00	22	Potter, H. M.	3,000.00	77	McCabe, P. L.	3,000.00	130	LeBlanc, C. J.	3,000.00
3	Martincic, J.	2,953.00	23	Robinson, J.	3,000.00	77	Pickett, H. T.	2,963.19	130	Mittelstaedt, J. S.	3,000.00
3	Miller, R.	3,000.00	24	Blumberg, J.	3,000.00	82	Pierce, R. J.	3,000.00	134	Balek, A. M.	3,000.00
3	Riley, D. J.	2,930.00	24	McLeod, H. T.	2,952.00	84	Humphrey, J. C.	2,721.54	134	Beall, R. J.	2,949.38
3	St John, G. H.	1,470.40	24	Mowbray, C. B.	1,500.00	84	Miller, A. C.	2,887.98	134	Biancofiore, F. M.	3,000.00
3	Studley, E. M.	6,250.00	24	Sauter, D.	6,250.00	84	Newton, A. E.	3,000.00	134	Cole, B. C.	3,000.00
3	Surdi, R.	6,250.00	24	Smith, C. V.	6,250.00	86	Blair, R. L.	2,083.33	134	Devos, J. P.	3,000.00
3	Toro, A. J.	6,250.00	25	Dailey, D. P.	3,000.00	86	Wisotzke, R. W.	6,250.00	134	Dompke, N. J.	2,887.98
3	Troise, F.	3,000.00	25	Gurecki, A. E.	6,250.00	90	Visconte, S.	3,000.00	134	Fegan, P. A.	2,914.50
3	Widera, M. A.	3,704.38	26	Bradtmueller, H. F.	3,000.00	94	Greenaway, E. J.	2,884.00	134	Ferrier, J. M.	2,938.38
3	Zanone, M.	2,946.00	26	Hicks, T. D.	3,000.00	96	Croteau, A.	3,000.00	134	Fisher, G. G.	3,000.00
5	Brooks, J. L.	3,000.00	26	Kann, M. J.	1,500.00	96	Foss, M. A.	2,961.21	134	Fitzgerald, R. M.	2,943.99
5	Leonard, E.	3,000.00	31	Feyma, G. G.	3,000.00	97	Menteer, L. R.	3,000.00	134	Fleming, O. H.	2,948.30
5	Weiblinger, L. A.	3,000.00	34	Lepper, W. H.	3,000.00	98	Brosious, D.	3,000.00	134	Ford, F. J.	1,500.00
6	Busch, L. K.	3,000.00	34	Riggs, W. D.	3,000.00	98	Coppinger, J. D.	3,000.00	134	Grant, C. J.	2,206.50
6	Fernsten, C. D.	6,250.00	35	Lazlo, F. J.	3,000.00	98	Hogan, J. J.	3,000.00	134	Hart, J. F.	2,861.32
6	Loer, P.	3,000.00	38	Joyce, T. J.	3,000.00	98	Johnston, J. D.	1,000.00	134	Hofstetter, R. J.	2,960.00
6	Miller, G. R.	2,882.12	38	O'Brien, J. E.	3,000.00	98	Spaeth, D. D.	2,276.21	134	Jenner, G. N.	3,000.00
6	Vaughn, F. L.	1,000.00	38	Smith, R. J.	3,000.00	98	Wharton, J. F.	2,932.78	134	Kandron, J. J.	3,000.00
7	Barron, D. J.	2,938.44	41	Goldbach, R. H.	3,000.00	99	Anderson, O. W.	3,000.00	134	Manning, P. J.	3,000.00
7	Brothers, R. E.	3,000.00	43	Carlisle, R. D.	3,270.50	99	Mollo, G. J.	3,000.00	134	Manso, J.	1,500.00
7	Cote, W. L.	3,000.00	46	Anderson, E. A.	2,963.19	100	Smith, L. A.	3,000.00	134	Markman, J.	2,929.98
8	Moench, D. F.	3,000.00	46	Brotche, C. L.	3,000.00	100	Witherell, A. F.	3,000.00	134	McLaughlin, F. D.	3,000.00
8	Payne, D. R.	6,250.00	46	Cartwright, R. P.	4,601.92	102	Dabrio, R. J.	2,949.74	134	Nutile, R. A.	3,000.00
8	Tarka, T. J.	6,250.00	46	Ober, W. G.	2,783.44	102	Harvey, O. J.	6,250.00	134	Simmons, B. L.	3,125.00
8	Wagner, C. R.	3,000.00	47	Gregory, J. M.	2,916.00	102	Male, J. R.	3,000.00	136	Caradine, J. R.	2,954.00
9	Cleckler, F. B.	3,000.00	48	Anderson, L.	3,000.00	102	Mayer, S. J.	3,000.00	136	Konetes, G.	1,500.00
9	Deering, H. T.	3,000.00	48	Chitester, E. W.	1,000.00	102	Read, L.	2,880.00	136	McAnear, M. G.	12,500.00
9	Lasota, C. J.	3,000.00	48	Cobb, D. J.	6,250.00	102	Smith, W. J.	3,000.00	141	Myers, T. J.	1,470.40
9	Quinlan, W. J.	3,000.00	48	Engelbart, J. L.	6,250.00	102	Smith, B.	2,930.00	143	Erickson, C. E.	3,000.00
11	Clark, M. L.	3,000.00	48	Hopper, A. A.	2,947.19	102	Trojanowski, E.	3,000.00	146	Younger, R. C.	3,000.00
11	Corsini, G. M.	2,960.87	48	Kjornes, T. E.	6,250.00	102	York, W. J.	2,940.79	153	Jordan, W. L.	3,000.00
11	Davis, E. A.	2,960.00	48	McLeod, J. D.	3,000.00	103	Band, S. Z.	3,000.00	153	Martorano, A. S.	3,000.00
11	DeAnda, S.	2,334.38	48	Precechtil, B. A.	3,000.00	103	Cronk, W. W.	2,959.99	153	Sweazy, R. E.	3,000.00
11	Friedrichsen, L. S.	3,000.00	48	Snyder, R. W.	2,848.00	105	Buckley, B. T.	3,000.00	153	Watkins, J. L.	3,000.00
11	Goolsby, G. E.	2,937.58	51	Beel, C. L.	3,000.00	105	Daly, C.	3,000.00	164	Moat, A. A.	3,000.00
11	Hively, C. G.	3,000.00	51	Keiser, F. R.	2,822.37	105	Munday, J. F.	3,000.00	164	Ponce, J. J.	6,250.00
11	Hutchison, E. T.	2,954.57	56	Laskowski, T. W.	3,000.00	110	Lakour, L. V.	2,946.00	164	Ronay, L. W.	3,000.00
11	Jackson, R. M.	1,500.00	58	Ballard, C. E.	3,000.00	110	Miller, J. E.	3,000.00	164	Solleder, D.	3,000.00
11	Jarrett, T. J.	3,000.00	58	Boddy, C. H.	3,000.00	110	Parenteau, L. L.	3,000.00	175	Day, H. F.	3,000.00

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175	Keenum, C. E.	3,000.00	340	Phillips, R. A.	3,000.00	480	Brown, R. W.	3,000.00	661	Baird, J. G.	3,000.00
175	York, W. A.	3,000.00	340	Snow, G. B.	3,000.00	481	Fleming, J. W.	4,811.09	665	Boutwell, D. P.	5,601.85
176	Chester, L. E.	2,964.79	345	Black, B. E.	2,846.58	481	Montgomery, R. L.	5,135.44	665	Hoisington, J. H.	3,000.00
176	Walters, W. L.	3,000.00	347	Cox, R. R.	3,000.00	481	Windle, J. M.	3,000.00	666	King, R. M.	6,250.00
180	Scola, J. L.	3,000.00	347	Ludwig, S. M.	6,250.00	483	Brewster, B. J.	3,000.00	666	Phillips, D. H.	3,000.00
193	Maurer, H. O.	3,000.00	347	Metten, J. W.	3,774.49	486	Moss, G. E.	3,000.00	666	Rowan, R. V.	3,000.00
193	Werries, D. D.	3,000.00	347	Thornton, R. E.	3,000.00	488	Beran, F.	3,000.00	667	Lake, R. C.	3,000.00
194	Burnett, B. P.	3,820.00	349	Seaman, L. V.	3,000.00	488	Perin, E. S.	3,000.00	673	Kelsey, D. M.	4,038.40
194	Doty, D. G.	2,083.33	349	Seiglie, C. E.	2,929.58	494	Baldwin, F. R.	2,950.20	683	Clarke, T. W.	6,250.00
194	Hankins, A. J.	3,000.00	351	Batt, J. R.	6,250.00	494	Cannon, R. J.	3,000.00	684	Benthall, J. M.	2,942.39
196	Reed, M. L.	3,000.00	353	Adam, T. W.	6,250.00	494	Erickson, O. J.	3,000.00	684	Stacey, E. S.	3,000.00
197	Koons, R. E.	2,942.88	353	Bacon, P. S.	6,250.00	494	Gotter, R. F.	2,955.19	688	Winkle, G. L.	3,000.00
201	Sheldon, E. E.	3,000.00	353	Davis, A. H.	3,000.00	494	Hooten, J. C.	3,000.00	695	Munsey, G. M.	3,000.00
210	Kisby, C. E.	3,000.00	353	Dieke, M. P.	2,560.00	494	Nell, C. J.	12,500.00	701	Gibbons, C. J.	4,069.75
210	Knecht, C. A.	3,000.00	353	Iceton, W. L.	3,000.00	498	Weeman, J. R.	2,840.00	701	Grif, A. A.	3,000.00
212	Kathman, E. A.	3,000.00	353	Jeffries, F. T.	3,000.00	505	Alexander, E. M.	2,944.00	702	Blumenstock, R. D.	6,250.00
212	King, E. C.	3,000.00	354	Gray, J. R.	3,000.00	505	Johnson, C. A.	3,000.00	702	Kelton, H. L.	3,000.00
212	Lamkin, B. L.	3,000.00	354	Monk, B. S.	6,250.00	513	Vadalabene, A.	3,000.00	702	Matheny, E. D.	6,250.00
212	Lemmons, J. H.	3,000.00	354	Rohner, R. H.	3,000.00	518	Hipple, T. E.	3,000.00	704	Willenborg, J.	3,000.00
212	Satzger, W. L.	3,000.00	357	Goff, A. H.	3,000.00	527	Bishop, K. A.	6,250.00	714	Peterson, V.	2,955.99
212	Smith, C.	3,000.00	357	Johnson, H. A.	2,963.67	527	Dickens, R. B.	3,000.00	716	Aldis, J. W.	2,806.95
213	Jackson, W. E.	2,941.90	357	McCollum, H. E.	3,000.00	529	Blakely, R. G.	3,000.00	716	Cain, W. D.	2,960.00
213	Sudeyko, R. J.	2,954.00	357	Vasconi, W. L.	3,000.00	530	Landry, R. R.	731.50	716	Davila, R. G.	2,947.19
213	Tompkins, D. E.	3,000.00	357	Willard, E. S.	2,903.98	531	Hunt, R. R.	3,000.00	716	Dunn, B. A.	3,000.00
222	Head, A. E.	3,000.00	363	Humeston, J. D.	3,000.00	540	Westhoefer, D. F.	3,000.00	716	Eldridge, C. L.	3,000.00
222	Pittman, D. E.	6,250.00	363	Smith, K. C.	6,250.00	551	Williams, F. W.	3,000.00	716	Noland, J. W.	6,250.00
230	Anderson, G.	3,000.00	364	Diehl, C. L.	3,000.00	553	Conn, H. J.	3,000.00	725	Brown, W.	3,000.00
230	Doe, J.	2,664.00	369	Bradbury, J. M.	3,000.00	557	Achard, F.	3,000.00	725	Peterson, C. M.	3,000.00
231	Blakely, D. E.	6,250.00	369	Coates, W. W.	3,000.00	557	Hill, J. F.	3,000.00	725	Salter, G. L.	3,000.00
233	Kraft, B. J.	3,000.00	369	Cumby, A. A.	3,125.00	557	Losee, A. W.	3,000.00	725	Waldrup, W.	3,000.00
234	Santa Cruz, A. A.	3,000.00	369	Kenney, R. J.	2,968.22	557	Small, R. H.	3,000.00	725	Walls, R. J.	3,000.00
236	Spraragen, L. H.	6,250.00	369	True, W. W.	3,000.00	558	Clark, N.	6,250.00	743	Burkpile, J. W.	3,000.00
242	Coffey, J. A.	2,930.00	375	Lutz, D. G.	3,000.00	558	Etheredge, B. T.	3,000.00	743	Kane, W. J.	2,958.39
245	Gray, J.	3,000.00	375	Petz, J. F.	2,914.00	558	Howard, H. A.	3,000.00	760	Brown, W. T.	2,000.00
245	Stanko, E.	3,000.00	379	Burch, J. C.	3,000.00	558	Jenkins, J. L.	2,951.91	760	Evans, W. H.	2,930.00
246	Lucarelli, J. J.	6,250.00	382	Fowler, H. E.	3,000.00	558	Keys, F. E.	2,878.77	760	Justice, C. R.	3,000.00
252	Clark, A. E.	2,860.76	387	Childers, H. H.	3,000.00	558	Lentz, A. N.	3,000.00	760	Millsaps, C. K.	5,305.00
252	Cranmore, N. L.	2,904.78	387	Lewis, E. F.	2,934.38	558	Newbern, W. E.	2,932.78	768	Glover, J.	3,000.00
252	Grzesiek, T. K.	6,250.00	401	Carson, J. F.	3,000.00	567	Andrews, C. W.	3,000.00	769	Miller, R. H.	3,000.00
252	Hough, G. M.	6,250.00	405	Edaburn, A. E.	3,000.00	567	Clavet, A. J.	3,000.00	769	Payne, J. R.	3,000.00
252	Middlebrook, J.	2,791.00	405	Kobes, J.	3,000.00	569	Farinosi, E.	3,000.00	772	Frazer, L. R.	3,000.00
254	Mikkelsen, G. C.	2,963.19	413	Franta, R. R.	3,000.00	569	Hampton, L. B.	2,855.97	776	Coleman, J. M.	3,000.00
258	Gallant, E. V.	6,250.00	413	Simas, R. L.	3,000.00	569	Larson, A. V.	2,950.76	776	Ethridge, R. D.	3,000.00
266	Fisher, M. T.	6,250.00	426	Sturdevant, C. W.	3,000.00	570	Barfield, G. W.	3,000.00	776	Starnes, W. L.	3,000.00
269	Cunfer, A. S.	2,884.38	426	Voight, R. M.	3,000.00	570	McQueen, G. L.	3,000.00	776	West, R. H.	3,000.00
278	Zeller, R. C.	3,000.00	428	Bigham, R. L.	6,250.00	570	Riley, L. C.	3,000.00	794	Novicky, M. J.	3,000.00
280	Adkins, R. A.	6,250.00	428	Konzack, K. R.	3,000.00	570	Young, D. T.	3,000.00	804	Hogg, D.	3,000.00
292	Flom, S.	3,000.00	429	Gore, W. M.	3,000.00	584	Cupples, E. S.	2,921.99	813	Downey, D. S.	3,000.00
292	Gozola, G. J.	3,000.00	429	Heath, P. W.	3,000.00	584	Harkreader, J. H.	3,000.00	816	Buchanan, P. F.	3,000.00
292	Nelson, O. L.	2,901.58	436	Dowdy, J.	3,000.00	584	Harvey, G. O.	1,500.00	816	Cornelison, R. B.	3,000.00
292	Shields, W. G.	2,964.09	440	Laker, S. G.	3,000.00	584	Mann, J. E.	3,000.00	816	Greif, L. J.	2,946.00
294	Villalobos, R. L.	3,000.00	441	Allen, J. C.	2,940.00	586	Kanonowicz, R. J.	6,250.00	816	Hamilton, M. K.	3,000.00
303	Batts, D. C.	1,500.00	441	Krase, E. W.	3,000.00	595	Moffat, D. F.	2,870.36	816	Meador, C. A.	6,250.00
305	Breeden, C. W.	1,466.58	441	Muir, H. H.	3,000.00	595	Onweiler, A. S.	2,962.60	841	Lawrence, W. F.	3,000.00
305	Finch, M. S.	2,938.00	441	Peters, E. W.	1,500.00	595	Price, R. R.	1,472.19	852	Eubanks, D. L.	4,703.00
306	Johnson, C. O.	3,000.00	443	Peters, W.	3,000.00	601	Brennan, L. C.	3,000.00	855	Dearth, R.	3,000.00
306	Ryan, F. D.	3,000.00	443	Spigener, W. J.	3,000.00	601	Samek, P. P.	3,000.00	855	Dull, H. C.	3,000.00
306	Skraba, J. P.	3,000.00	444	King, C. W.	3,000.00	611	Crawford, G. L.	2,905.50	855	Smalley, T. E.	3,000.00
306	Yankulov, P. R.	6,250.00	445	Mudge, L. E.	3,000.00	611	Kreidler, C. W.	3,000.00	861	Geoffroy, E.	2,946.00
313	Scott, J. P.	3,000.00	449	Allen, R. J.	3,000.00	611	Zinn, J. L.	2,948.79	873	Myers, J. L.	3,000.00
313	Whitehead, J. W.	3,000.00	449	Bevens, H. L.	3,000.00	613	Hendrix, R. F.	3,000.00	876	Christiansen, L. C.	3,000.00
317	Harris, J.	3,000.00	449	Taylor, S. E.	3,000.00	613	Ivey, C.	3,000.00	889	Henry, R. E.	3,000.00
322	Buckner, C. B.	6,250.00	453	Brown, E. B.	3,000.00	613	Kemp, O. E.	3,000.00	890	Robinson, D. C.	6,250.00
326	Dispensa, A. V.	2,827.16	453	Coats, K. L.	3,000.00	613	Neal, V. F.	3,000.00	894	Lazure, R. J.	6,250.00
332	Ceballos, R. B.	3,000.00	455	MacLeod, W. M.	3,000.00	617	Eggleson, R. D.	3,000.00	903	White, L. E.	3,000.00
332	Charles, A. G.	2,803.25	461	McCall, E. E.	3,000.00	617	Soucie, C. P.	3,000.00	910	Jagaciewski, E.	3,000.00
332	Dionne, J. B.	6,250.00	465	Reeser, A. G.	3,000.00	625	Walker, D.	6,250.00	915	Belcher, H. B.	3,000.00
332	Gauss, A.	1,500.00	473	Warner, D.	1,800.00	640	Bruce, R. L.	3,000.00	915	Hoepfner, P. A.	2,944.00
332	Nurick, M. W.	3,000.00	474	Bratton, R. G.	2,943.89	640	Cunio, R. L.	2,956.79	915	Martin, T. V.	1,000.00
332	Thornton, R. D.	3,000.00	474	Chandler, G. W.	3,000.00	640	Naab, H. E.	6,250.00	917	Jones, B. E.	3,000.00
340	Bachus, C. L.	2,925.32	474	Porter, W. L.	4,014.36	640	Simpson, G. M.	6,250.00	932	Borg, L. D.	3,000.00
340	Boyce, J. E.	3,000.00	477	Eaves, M. W.	3,000.00	659	Crumrine, C. C.	2,929.58	948	Comaromi, P.	2,880.00
340	Brown, C. L.	3,000.00	479	Thore, B. F.	3,000.00	659	Johnston, M. W.	2,950.00	948	Vyskocil, J. R.	6,250.00

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949	Vogel, E. J.	2,875.18	1455	Edgar, S. E.	3,000.00	Pens. (1788)	Stewart, J. E.	3,000.00	Pens. (I.O.)	Lollar, E.	3,000.00
952	Walbridge, T. C.	3,000.00	1474	Wilson, T.	3,000.00	Pens. (I.O.)	Anderson, E. M.	3,000.00	Pens. (I.O.)	McAlister, C. L.	3,000.00
965	Allen, W. B.	3,000.00	1516	Cooper, D.	3,000.00	Pens. (I.O.)	Ashley, O. G.	3,000.00	Pens. (I.O.)	Middleton, E. K.	2,858.12
969	Rabideau, R. E.	3,000.00	1523	Kelly, J. L.	3,000.00	Pens. (I.O.)	Barlow, J. N.	2,950.00	Pens. (I.O.)	Montrrose, S. B.	3,000.00
979	Dean, T. P.	6,250.00	1547	Hayden, F.	3,000.00	Pens. (I.O.)	Barton, J. M.	3,000.00	Pens. (I.O.)	Mooney, J. A.	3,000.00
995	Richburg, J. A.	3,000.00	1547	Holman, W. K.	2,888.00	Pens. (I.O.)	Beil, N. H.	3,000.00	Pens. (I.O.)	Morris, J. R.	3,000.00
995	Sims, R. P.	3,000.00	1547	Leister, D. H.	2,839.96	Pens. (I.O.)	Berghoff, E. H.	3,000.00	Pens. (I.O.)	Mullinax, T. W.	2,935.98
1002	Stephens, A.	2,935.86	1547	Young, K. W.	2,745.00	Pens. (I.O.)	Boone, D. C.	3,000.00	Pens. (I.O.)	Neil, T.	3,000.00
1116	Harmon, J. K.	5,167.84	1579	Parker, W. M.	3,000.00	Pens. (I.O.)	Brannam, E. L.	2,947.19	Pens. (I.O.)	Niles, T. J.	3,000.00
1116	Riccio, J. F.	3,000.00	1579	Thompson, J. E.	3,000.00	Pens. (I.O.)	Brightwell, T. A.	3,000.00	Pens. (I.O.)	Palmieri, B.	3,000.00
1141	McClung, F. D.	2,954.02	1687	Bedard, R.	3,277.50	Pens. (I.O.)	Carpenter, A. W.	3,000.00	Pens. (I.O.)	Partin, I. G.	3,000.00
1146	Allison, J. B.	3,000.00	1701	Hartz, W. T.	2,952.00	Pens. (I.O.)	Clark, T. C.	3,000.00	Pens. (I.O.)	Peters, W. R.	3,000.00
1147	Fausch, S. J.	3,000.00	1701	Penrod, C. D.	3,000.00	Pens. (I.O.)	Demoss, H. S.	1,500.00	Pens. (I.O.)	Reynolds, M. G.	3,000.00
1186	Aikey, P. O.	6,250.00	1739	Wicksted, A. H.	3,000.00	Pens. (I.O.)	Dixon, P. B.	2,948.79	Pens. (I.O.)	Rooks, W. H.	2,881.58
1186	Fong, R. L.	2,942.39	2113	Jones, J. L.	3,000.00	Pens. (I.O.)	Edwards, T. V.	2,935.98	Pens. (I.O.)	Sand, T. P.	3,000.00
1186	Ishihara, S.	2,960.00	2113	Nash, R. J.	6,250.00	Pens. (I.O.)	Elliott, J. P.	3,000.00	Pens. (I.O.)	Shepard, J. J.	3,000.00
1205	Dortch, D. E.	3,000.00	2150	Speigel, J. J.	2,892.00	Pens. (I.O.)	Engelbrecht, H. C.	2,912.00	Pens. (I.O.)	Sholley, H. E.	3,000.00
1245	Jacques, L. P.	3,000.00	2286	Haley, B. C.	3,000.00	Pens. (I.O.)	Entzminger, F. K.	1,500.00	Pens. (I.O.)	Smith, W. L.	2,930.00
1245	Malek, J.	3,000.00	2295	Kester, H. C.	3,000.00	Pens. (I.O.)	Everett, R. H.	2,878.36	Pens. (I.O.)	Smith, F. J.	3,000.00
1245	Marti, R. A.	3,000.00	I.O. (3)	Kirk, R. J.	6,250.00	Pens. (I.O.)	Fiedler, R. E.	3,000.00	Pens. (I.O.)	Stevens, K. E.	3,000.00
1245	Reit, I.	3,000.00	I.O. (3)	Stelzl, T.	6,250.00	Pens. (I.O.)	Gallant, J.	2,958.00	Pens. (I.O.)	Stewart, A. R.	3,000.00
1260	Ching, W. W.	2,923.18	I.O. (11)	Rowan, W. F.	6,250.00	Pens. (I.O.)	Garrison, R. N.	2,592.00	Pens. (I.O.)	Thompson, J. L.	1,463.00
1316	Busbee, J. S.	6,250.00	I.O. (549)	Farley, J. M.	6,250.00	Pens. (I.O.)	Henaghan, W. C.	3,000.00	Pens. (I.O.)	Walters, J. M.	2,943.99
1319	Fisher, J. E.	3,000.00	I.O. (549)	Geary, V. F.	6,250.00	Pens. (I.O.)	Henning, F. L.	3,000.00	Pens. (I.O.)	Williams, R. J.	3,000.00
1319	Koptcho, R.	1,000.00	I.O. (1289)	Pirrello, J.	6,250.00	Pens. (I.O.)	Heyduck, G. H.	3,000.00	Pens. (I.O.)	Woss, R. L.	3,000.00
1340	Hodges, G. L.	3,000.00	Pens. (323)	Kegley, G. E.	3,000.00	Pens. (I.O.)	Ignace, G. R.	3,000.00	Pens. (I.O.)	Wyndham, C. A.	3,000.00
1362	Carpenter, F. B.	3,000.00	Pens. (477)	Wallace, D. S.	2,400.00	Pens. (I.O.)	Jeffries, J.	1,500.00			
1377	Guggenbiller, C. V.	3,000.00	Pens. (835)	Johnson, W. B.	3,000.00	Pens. (I.O.)	Lang, G. J.	2,250.00			
1391	McLendon, L. C.	3,000.00	Pens. (840)	Race, C. C.	3,000.00	Pens. (I.O.)	Langfeldt, M. E.	2,831.97			
1439	Serniak, S.	2,944.00	Pens. (875)	Taylor, O. M.	3,000.00	Pens. (I.O.)	Larder, R. J.	3,000.00			
Total Amount \$2,212,051.35											

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PBF Death Claims Approved for Payment in May 2008

Local	Surname	Amount	Local	Surname	Amount	Local	Surname	Amount	Local	Surname	Amount
1	Canton, G. H.	3,000.00	9	Stetzer, D. G.	6,250.00	34	Puckett, L. A.	2,916.00	58	Ferguson, J. R.	3,000.00
1	Liescheidt, W. H.	750.00	11	Cole, F. G.	3,000.00	35	Daigle, J. J.	3,000.00	58	Loehne, H. A.	3,000.00
1	McCarthy, R. P.	3,000.00	11	Dartt, M. B.	3,000.00	38	Parker, J.	3,000.00	58	Smith, C. H.	3,000.00
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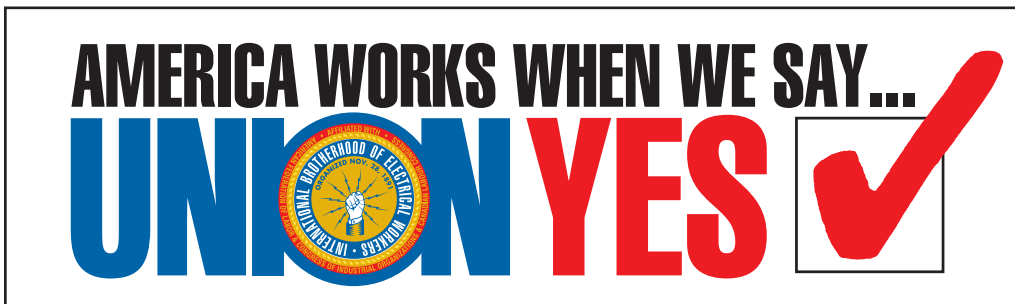
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1141	Conklin, G. L.	2,942.39	1547	Young, K. W.	915.00	Pens. (I.O.)	Entzminger, F. K.	1,500.00	Pens. (I.O.)	Rounds, M. G.	2,935.58
1141	Harris, K. D.	2,948.50	1555	Balsler, A. B.	2,944.00	Pens. (I.O.)	Findley, J. W.	3,000.00	Pens. (I.O.)	Roysden, J. O.	3,000.00
1151	Croxton, A. A.	3,000.00	1579	Marchisio, N.	3,000.00	Pens. (I.O.)	Fogelman, H. A.	2,727.92	Pens. (I.O.)	Schuldt, J. N.	3,000.00
1186	Maeda, T. E.	6,250.00	1814	Gantert, J. W.	3,000.00	Pens. (I.O.)	Holm, H. E.	1,960.53	Pens. (I.O.)	Simmons, E. J.	3,000.00
1186	Nakasone, L. K.	2,877.56	1925	Fuller, G.	2,946.00	Pens. (I.O.)	Hughes, J. F.	3,000.00	Pens. (I.O.)	Siegel, A. W.	3,000.00
1205	Butler, T. R.	6,250.00	1925	Howard, S. L.	6,250.00	Pens. (I.O.)	Hunt, W. E.	2,945.59	Pens. (I.O.)	Stasel, G. J.	2,956.84
1212	DeLaveau, J. J.	3,000.00	1984	Taylor, J. E.	3,000.00	Pens. (I.O.)	Johnson, J. K.	3,000.00	Pens. (I.O.)	Stockdale, O. D.	3,000.00
1245	Ferguson, C. W.	3,000.00	2150	Kurtz, T. E.	6,250.00	Pens. (I.O.)	Kania, E. A.	3,000.00	Pens. (I.O.)	Trouard, R. M.	3,000.00
1245	Sires, J. E.	3,000.00	2286	Bean, L. R.	3,000.00	Pens. (I.O.)	Kirk, T. R.	3,000.00	Pens. (I.O.)	Tucker, C. M.	3,000.00
1249	Skaritz, F. J.	2,955.19	2286	Hargrave, W. J.	3,000.00	Pens. (I.O.)	Kirts, E. H.	3,000.00	Pens. (I.O.)	Van Winkle, J. B.	3,000.00
1249	Webber, D. M.	3,000.00	I.O. (363)	Weissinger, P. C.	3,000.00	Pens. (I.O.)	Klee, W. D.	3,000.00	Pens. (I.O.)	Wenz, H.	3,000.00
1253	Fidalgo, A.	3,000.00	Pens. (467)	Crowell, W. E.	3,000.00	Pens. (I.O.)	Lang, G. J.	750.00	Pens. (I.O.)	Young, B. M.	3,000.00
1253	Spencer, L. E.	3,000.00	Pens. (637)	Kent, C. E.	3,000.00	Pens. (I.O.)	Langer, O. J.	3,000.00	Pens. (I.O.)	Zellers, R. E.	3,000.00
1260	Borero, J. S.	3,000.00	Pens. (835)	Moyer, L. L.	3,000.00	Pens. (I.O.)	Lathrop, L. M.	1,443.00	Total Amount		\$1,793,908.94

IN MEMORIAM

PBF Death Claims Approved for Payment in June 2008

Local	Surname	Amount	Local	Surname	Amount	Local	Surname	Amount	Local	Surname	Amount
1	Demling, A. E.	3,000.00	11	Bevan, R. L.	3,000.00	57	Jones, V. O.	4,767.09	90	Kinney, P. J.	3,000.00
1	Greathouse, H. R.	3,000.00	11	Clarke, L.	3,000.00	58	Browning, H. D.	3,862.69	97	Van Patten, M. C.	3,000.00
1	Powell, J. E.	6,250.00	11	Waddell, L. A.	3,000.00	58	Carlson, E. J.	3,000.00	98	Bienkowski, F. M.	6,250.00
1	Silverstein, M. D.	3,000.00	16	Manion, F. M.	3,000.00	58	Chaffee, R. M.	3,000.00	98	Johnston, J. D.	1,000.00
1	Washington, F.	3,000.00	18	Sutton, G. H.	2,943.99	58	Chepeska, N.	2,955.19	99	Demers, R. A.	2,571.43
3	Barbosa, J. D.	6,250.00	20	Glover, V. W.	2,936.36	58	Cote, G.	3,000.00	102	O'Hala, S. E.	3,000.00
3	Beagen, J. J.	2,927.19	20	Leslie, C. A.	3,000.00	58	Dikin, L. A.	2,952.15	102	Reich, D. C.	3,000.00
3	Biancanello, D. P.	3,000.00	20	Perry, O. F.	3,000.00	58	Gill, C. W.	3,000.00	103	Cohen, D.	1,500.00
3	Carlson, G. R.	6,250.00	20	Townley, H. W.	6,250.00	58	Johnson, S.	6,250.00	103	Fitch, K. A.	3,000.00
3	Domenick, B. C.	3,000.00	21	Twohig, W. R.	3,000.00	58	Kaiser, F. G.	2,943.31	103	McGee, B. A.	3,000.00
3	Figuerola, L. A.	3,000.00	22	Hansen, D. L.	4,267.80	58	Mamp, L. J.	3,000.00	103	Rogers, D. M.	6,250.00
3	Grosso, G. P.	3,000.00	22	Jensen, C. R.	3,000.00	58	Tyrrell, W. J.	2,929.98	103	Trawick, M. L.	6,250.00
3	Heckel, C.	2,950.00	22	Oliver, C. M.	6,250.00	64	O'Neil, J. E.	3,000.00	104	Dechene, D. P.	6,250.00
3	Hines, O. A.	2,920.00	24	McConville, F. D.	3,000.00	66	Collins, R. L.	720.23	105	Cairns, D. Y.	3,000.00
3	Ippolito, P.	4,897.53	24	Shelven, R. S.	3,000.00	66	Hall, E. W.	3,000.00	117	Browning, W. L.	6,250.00
3	Koesel, J. A.	3,000.00	25	Hubley, D. W.	5,347.00	66	Paul, L. E.	6,250.00	120	Goff, C. J.	3,000.00
3	Moy, K. B.	6,250.00	38	Cannon, S.	3,000.00	66	Siracusa, J. D.	2,869.00	125	Fine, A. M.	3,000.00
3	Rizzone, R. E.	4,982.56	38	D'Amico, O.	3,000.00	68	Armentrout, J.	6,069.94	125	Jarvis, C. R.	3,000.00
3	Rosario, F.	4,422.50	38	Gaffney, L. P.	1,500.00	68	Bartlett, E. S.	2,958.00	125	Moore, F. W.	3,000.00
3	Shea, A.	2,892.00	38	McFadden, R. B.	3,000.00	68	Hinkle, C. L.	5,143.75	126	Kline, L. A.	6,250.00
3	Sineno, J. P.	3,000.00	40	Picker, C. D.	3,000.00	70	Decker, W. R.	6,250.00	126	Lightcap, H. L.	3,000.00
3	St John, G. H.	1,470.39	41	Falkner, F. H.	2,864.78	71	Brandon, P. H.	3,000.00	126	Mc Hugh, C. F.	3,000.00
3	Stelloh, F. C.	6,250.00	41	Pawelski, F. L.	2,935.86	77	Aucutt, T. M.	3,000.00	126	Myers, J. P.	3,125.00
5	Stemnock, J. C.	3,000.00	43	Drake, R. C.	3,000.00	77	Sweitzer, O. B.	3,000.00	130	Camp, G. P.	6,250.00
6	Hunt, R.	1,442.00	46	Gross, A. J.	2,955.06	77	Wilson, M. J.	6,061.00	130	Cantelli, S. G.	3,000.00
6	Marques, C. A.	3,125.00	46	Scoccolo, T.	2,945.59	82	Fেকে, W. T.	3,000.00	130	Hebert, W. T.	3,000.00
7	Milano, L.	3,000.00	48	Abercrombie, J. R.	3,000.00	82	Salter, J. W.	3,000.00	134	Ablin, B.	750.00
9	Gill, W. F.	3,000.00	48	Olson, J.	3,000.00	84	Blaxton, G. H.	3,000.00	134	Carroll, T. M.	3,000.00
9	Kaiser, R.	3,000.00	48	Ostrander, G. G.	3,000.00	84	Faulkner, E. M.	12,500.00	134	Gladney, J. A.	1,000.00
9	Masella, J.	3,000.00	56	Bossart, F. A.	3,000.00	89	Henry, J. H.	6,250.00	134	Haymaker, V. M.	2,935.86

Local	Surname	Amount	Local	Surname	Amount	Local	Surname	Amount	Local	Surname	Amount
134	Hehr, C. R.	3,000.00	363	Donnelly, R. G.	3,000.00	613	Rachels, M. D.	3,000.00	1393	Wallace, D. R.	6,250.00
134	Hooks, M. J.	3,000.00	364	Boomgarden, J.	12,500.00	617	Celillo, P. M.	2,937.59	1393	Whybrew, E. E.	2,945.59
134	Mahler, J. A.	2,961.78	364	Harver, L. D.	3,000.00	617	Olivera, E. P.	2,944.50	1393	Wood, J. L.	5,588.50
134	Matesic, N. M.	2,938.00	369	Duvall, E. E.	3,000.00	640	Gosbin, J. L.	2,961.46	1426	Hagen, M.	3,000.00
134	McGuinn, J. J.	3,000.00	369	Ernst, C. R.	2,940.79	640	Johnson, A. D.	3,000.00	1516	West, M. V.	6,250.00
134	Murphy, J. W.	3,000.00	369	Harley, C. I.	3,000.00	648	Chenault, C. D.	3,000.00	1547	Hardin, P. H.	12,500.00
134	Ostien, A. F.	3,000.00	369	Smith, E. S.	2,939.18	648	Jackson, H. L.	3,000.00	1547	Ritter, R. E.	5,995.00
134	Procik, W. T.	3,000.00	369	Witte, J. P.	3,000.00	650	Monahan, K. A.	861.34	1579	Wildner, D. A.	3,000.00
134	Rausch, R. J.	3,000.00	424	Ross, A. J.	3,000.00	659	Tipton, H.	3,000.00	1687	Bergeron, G. M.	6,250.00
134	Riskin, C.	3,000.00	424	Young, S. F.	6,250.00	666	Morton, T. L.	3,125.00	1852	Savoie, G.	6,250.00
134	Steinmetz, W. T.	6,250.00	428	Hunter, R. W.	3,000.00	676	Miller, J. F.	3,000.00	1852	Seymour, K. B.	12,500.00
134	Sullivan, G. J.	2,949.00	429	Curtis, L. F.	3,230.28	682	Curry, W. D.	3,000.00	1924	Beasley, T. M.	6,250.00
134	Thomas, A. S.	2,951.00	429	Griffiths, D. W.	4,900.00	684	Serbousek, L. A.	3,000.00	2286	Smith, J. R.	2,933.58
134	Tully, M. P.	3,000.00	429	Parham, J. D.	2,920.00	697	Broster, H. R.	3,000.00	I.O. (134)	Haleem, C. L.	6,250.00
134	Wagner, R. P.	2,944.00	430	Rosser, D. J.	3,000.00	697	Church, R. B.	3,184.69	I.O. (134)	McCauley, T. P.	5,537.02
134	Wheeler, R. T.	3,000.00	440	Heers, M. D.	6,250.00	702	Barvid, W. A.	3,000.00	I.O. (352)	Rose, R. K.	6,250.00
136	Millwee, W. I.	3,000.00	441	Belacic, B. B.	2,969.00	702	Hamilton, R. Z.	3,000.00	I.O. (379)	McGowan, A. L.	6,250.00
143	Cobaugh, J. J.	3,000.00	441	Jones, S.	3,000.00	704	Dalsing, M. J.	3,000.00	I.O. (573)	Stiffler, R.	3,000.00
143	Rodgers, J. P.	2,927.18	444	Caldwell, J. L.	3,000.00	712	Bosco, A. J.	2,947.66	I.O. (741)	Smith, H. H.	5,950.00
145	Mann, R. B.	6,249.99	449	Casper, P. D.	5,174.32	712	Kovach, W. C.	2,943.50	Pens. (302)	Wood, W. V.	2,835.50
146	Mills, R. E.	2,920.00	453	Sell, J. J.	12,500.00	716	Davis, C. H.	3,000.00	Pens. (637)	Monahan, J. C.	3,380.98
159	Schmale, R. D.	3,000.00	453	Wilson, R. A.	2,880.00	716	Deckard, H. C.	3,000.00	Pens. (2253)	Tremblay, A.	2,939.18
160	Boeshans, B. J.	2,875.17	456	Ogden, A. S.	2,943.99	716	Haltom, T. H.	6,250.00	Pens. (I.O.)	Augustin, W. A.	3,000.00
164	Frankowski, J.	3,000.00	457	Steele, V. A.	6,250.00	716	West, F. M.	3,000.00	Pens. (I.O.)	Bartlett, P. T.	3,000.00
164	Prichard, G. E.	1,500.00	465	Chenault, E. L.	3,000.00	728	Miller, L. O.	3,000.00	Pens. (I.O.)	Baumeister, C. J.	3,000.00
164	Schroeder, J. F.	3,000.00	474	Gann, J. S.	3,000.00	743	Drexel, H. W.	3,000.00	Pens. (I.O.)	Blitz, H.	2,936.00
175	Keys, W. C.	2,930.00	474	Gewin, F. E.	3,000.00	753	Baker, J. D.	3,000.00	Pens. (I.O.)	Bradley, R. A.	3,000.00
175	Patten, F. L.	2,943.50	474	Scipper, A. L.	3,000.00	760	Campbell, C. O.	2,953.59	Pens. (I.O.)	Capek, F. J.	3,000.00
175	Pitts, M. J.	3,000.00	479	Hunt, M. E.	6,250.00	760	Grigsby, W. F.	2,760.00	Pens. (I.O.)	Caposieno, M. M.	2,960.00
175	Sapp, F. H.	3,000.00	481	Vidito, C. H.	3,000.00	760	Hunt, C. E.	2,900.00	Pens. (I.O.)	Cedar, E. C.	3,000.00
177	Boekhout, F. J.	3,000.00	483	Lipera, F. J.	1,500.00	763	Becerra, M. E.	10,000.00	Pens. (I.O.)	Currey, J. E.	3,000.00
177	Esposito, A.	3,000.00	494	Corning, R. C.	2,940.79	768	Dyer, J. C.	3,000.00	Pens. (I.O.)	Dixon, M. E.	3,000.00
177	Tesori, R.	6,250.00	499	Willbrandt, G. L.	3,000.00	769	Mott, T. B.	1,500.00	Pens. (I.O.)	Dobbs, F. E.	3,000.00
180	Guhl, G.	3,000.00	518	Carpenter, P. B.	3,000.00	772	Lorick, H. T.	2,751.95	Pens. (I.O.)	Driscoll, J. P.	2,953.02
181	Fanning, R. M.	3,000.00	520	Edmiston, K. B.	1,467.50	816	Jessup, H.	3,000.00	Pens. (I.O.)	Fleshman, T. J.	3,000.00
193	Judd, D. R.	2,935.58	520	Meredith, C. E.	2,700.00	816	Wilson, G. C.	3,000.00	Pens. (I.O.)	Fudge, G.	3,000.00
194	Doty, D. G.	2,083.33	520	Wright, A. J.	6,250.00	817	Falk, F. C.	2,878.36	Pens. (I.O.)	Gibbs, H. E.	3,000.00
212	Bricker, P. J.	6,250.00	531	Graham, E. W.	3,000.00	833	Brakefield, C. B.	3,000.00	Pens. (I.O.)	Hafener, R. O.	3,000.00
213	Johannson, D.	3,000.00	531	Lubs, R. G.	3,000.00	833	Downey, W. A.	3,000.00	Pens. (I.O.)	Hawkins, L. M.	2,769.56
222	McKee, C. J.	3,000.00	532	Alt, S. M.	3,125.00	861	Miller, B. T.	3,000.00	Pens. (I.O.)	Holm, H. E.	980.26
245	Gillmore, C. H.	3,000.00	540	Johnson, R.	2,932.00	876	Smith, L.	3,000.00	Pens. (I.O.)	House, C. R.	1,471.19
246	Mellion, W.	3,000.00	551	Anderson, D. O.	3,000.00	903	Newell, D. H.	2,930.50	Pens. (I.O.)	Johnson, W. P.	3,000.00
258	Arndt, G. C.	2,931.20	551	Edmunson, M. D.	3,000.00	915	Dayhuff, W.	3,000.00	Pens. (I.O.)	Land, J. H.	3,000.00
258	Shirley, R. H.	3,000.00	551	Giusti, D. A.	3,000.00	915	Lowe, G. B.	3,000.00	Pens. (I.O.)	Luke, C. H.	3,000.00
271	Hamner, D. M.	6,250.00	551	McKinney, M. A.	2,908.00	932	Speaker, E. W.	3,000.00	Pens. (I.O.)	Masso, A.	3,000.00
275	Purchase, R.	3,000.00	553	Bland, L. B.	3,000.00	949	Gillette, J. B.	3,000.00	Pens. (I.O.)	Miller, H. A.	3,000.00
278	Kullbom, A. G.	3,000.00	568	Guy, J. M.	2,890.00	956	Ramsay, S. F.	3,000.00	Pens. (I.O.)	Miller, L. J.	2,945.59
278	Shelton, F. R.	3,000.00	569	Allen, K. M.	6,250.00	993	Blair, W. H.	3,000.00	Pens. (I.O.)	Nelson, E. D.	1,500.00
278	Snyder, D. M.	6,250.00	569	Blackwood, P. H.	3,000.00	993	Keesen, R.	6,250.00	Pens. (I.O.)	Nixon, M. L.	2,720.00
280	Castillo, D.	6,250.00	569	Gillen, J. R.	1,474.00	1023	Eddington, O. R.	3,000.00	Pens. (I.O.)	Peters, K. M.	3,000.00
292	Sushak, F. J.	2,938.00	569	Neal, T. C.	3,874.00	1116	Doran, J. A.	2,880.00	Pens. (I.O.)	Sanderson, D.	2,890.76
292	Wood, K. E.	2,966.39	569	O'Bryan, E. E.	2,947.19	1141	Musick, R. L.	5,523.30	Pens. (I.O.)	Sawyer, R. G.	3,000.00
295	Jones, W. T.	3,000.00	586	Farley, M.	6,250.00	1220	Cerny, G. A.	3,000.00	Pens. (I.O.)	Scarpino, J. A.	3,000.00
295	Minton, B. D.	3,000.00	595	Gustafson, W. J.	2,939.18	1220	Houston, H. P.	3,000.00	Pens. (I.O.)	Simpson, J. E.	3,000.00
300	Eastman, E. M.	3,000.00	595	Ryan, J.	2,931.18	1245	Hess, A. W.	3,000.00	Pens. (I.O.)	Stein, S. S.	2,928.00
300	Willett, L. J.	2,934.00	606	Towner, T. L.	6,250.00	1253	Williams, R. L.	3,000.00	Pens. (I.O.)	Woods, J. E.	3,000.00
304	Donaldson, M. L.	2,881.58	611	Highfill, T. D.	3,000.00	1319	Blaine, S. E.	6,250.00	Pens. (I.O.)	Zupancic, J. M.	3,000.00
304	Einerson, D.	2,930.93	611	Martinez, E.	2,220.00	1377	Venus, M. J.	3,000.00			
306	Patten, E. T.	2,932.00	613	Carter, D. I.	2,000.00	1393	Cook, J. E.	3,000.00			
307	Dean, A. D.	2,958.26									
312	Hutchison, M. D.	3,000.00									
322	Sundberg, J. G.	3,000.00									
332	Wieteska, L. P.	3,000.00									
340	Warner, K. E.	6,250.00									
343	Lawler, F. L.	3,000.00									
350	Eagen, G. P.	2,967.08									
351	Myers, W. G.	2,909.98									
351	Breuls, J. R.	1,500.00									
353	Currie, J. S.	6,250.00									
353	Down, G. A.	2,920.00									
353	Shaw, C. M.	6,250.00									
357	Kelley, J. P.	3,000.00									
357	Smith, D.	2,880.00									
Total Amount \$1,310,487.75											



MAY EXECUTIVE COUNCIL MEETING

MINUTES AND REPORT OF THE INTERNATIONAL EXECUTIVE COUNCIL'S REGULAR MEETING

Chairman Pierson called this regular meeting of the International Executive Council to order at 8:30 a.m., Monday, May 19, 2008. Other members of the Council in attendance were Shoemehl, Dowling, Goodwin, Calvey, Clarke, Calabro, Lucero and Lavin.

INTERNATIONAL PRESIDENT HILL

International President Edwin D. Hill met with the members of the International Executive Council a number of times to discuss a variety of matters affecting all branches of the Brotherhood.

INTERNATIONAL SECRETARY-TREASURER LEE

International Secretary-Treasurer Lindell K. Lee presented financial reports covering the IBEW Pension Fund and the Investment Portfolio of the Brotherhood—both Canada and in the United States.

NORMAL PENSIONS

APPROVED

The International Executive Council approved five hundred three (503) normal pension applications, as follows:

MEMBERSHIP IN L.U.

Apel, Patrick J.....	1
Ferkol, Louis C.....	1
Jones, Michael J.....	1
Knibb, David W.....	1
Means, Mack D.....	1
Whitebread, Charles F.....	2
Barrett, Paul J.....	3
Davis, Howard.....	3
Downie, Richard C.....	3
Esposito, Frank D.....	3
Galizia, John.....	3
Hinkson, Hector P.....	3
Knowles, Joseph.....	3
Lacroix, George C.....	3
Lucas, Ronald A.....	3
Maharaj, Sam S.....	3
Menendez, Troadio.....	3
Napolitano, Francis N.....	3
Ninatanta, Manuel.....	3
Olive, Jose.....	3
Quitoni, Dennis J.....	3
Ramos, Louis.....	3
Rosich, Robert J.....	3
Rosinsky, Eugene N.....	3
Soldatich, Frank C.....	3
Waschitz, Norman.....	3
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The International Executive Council unanimously approved International President Hill's and International Secretary-Treasurer Lee's request to grant the Vietnam Veterans Memorial Center \$250,000.00. This grant, to provide the necessary financing to build the Vietnam Veterans Memorial Education Center, is approved based on the founder and President's guarantee to use union only labor in the construction of the Center.

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Sutton, Robert B.	313
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Earl, Ronald B.	353
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Boydin, Steven L.	364
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Leslin, Richard H.	364
Schavland, Endre E.	364
Worman, Robert C.	364
Burch, Richard C.	369
Duggins, Stanley J.	369
Johnson, Rita E.	369
Mullarkey, Robert M.	369
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Shawver, Harry E.	697
Waddle, Robert E.	697
Algrim, Thomas J.	701
Backhaus, Charles A.	701
Norris, Rochester C.	701
Svarz, Robert J.	701
Trumbull, Robert W.	701
Brenningmeyer, David B.	702
Hutton, Richard K.	712
Sutliff, Robert M.	712
Geiger, Arnold F.	714
Haider, Gary R.	714
Cornelius, Edward L.	716
Hengst, Danny L.	716
Kersh, Bobby H.	716
Weiss, Arnold	716
Walden, Mark V.	721
Gayesk, Martin J.	728
Suzewits, Larry L.	728
Thurston, Peter C.	728
Umbras, Steven R.	728
Richardson, David M.	733
Walton, Edward J.	743
Zup, William C.	747
Bidaud, Charles A.	756
Bolden, Charles R.	760
Moretz, Jerry A.	760
Pauli, Merle W.	760
Powell, Ronald N.	760
Sherrad, Charles M.	760
Washington, Roy L.	760
Whaley, Jack W.	760
Bech, Steven D.	768
Palmer, Edward F.	769
Hyatt, David M.	773
Taffinder, Leslie J.	773
Barnhill, David G.	776
Hatton, James	776
Anderson, John W.	804
Bendo, Larry	804
Couch, William	804
Schultheiss, George	804
Stumpf, Richard W.	804
Woodall, John	804
Johnson, Frank A.	816
Scott, Kenneth D.	816
Dees, Richard S.	852
Smith, James D.	852
Dull, Stephen A.	855
Roth, James M.	855
Johnson, Kenneth R.	861
Fording, William K.	873
Kazmierkoski, Pete R.	876
Knapp, D. J.	876
Aston, Richard J.	890
Villamere, Thomas R.	894
Mosher, Thomas L.	910
Owen, Edward N.	910
Dumelle, Richard J.	914
Bold, Ross H.	915
Keyer, Robert J.	915
McKendree, James I.	915
Rizzuto, Richard P.	915
Richards, William H.	917
Caldera, Alfred D.	932
Sampson, Ronald L.	970
Uustitalo, Arlen R.	970
Frenkel, Klaus	993
Barnette, Benjamin C.	995
Stensrud, Duane M.	995
Smith, Ronald H.	1003
Zdebiak, Stanley J.	1003
Smith, Richard P.	1105
Beutler, Leslie D.	1141
Bruno, Donnie J.	1141
Murphy, John D.	1141
Sandersfield, David M.	1141
Araki, Lawrence S.	1186
Delima, John K.	1186
Iboshi, Francis S.	1186
Kashiwabara, James K.	1186
Kiyota, Kenneth M.	1186
Koga, Clyde K.	1186
Lee, Robert A.	1186
Lui, Francis	1186
Morisawa, Martin R.	1186
Murakami, Alan M.	1186
Nakao, Daniel M.	1186
Oshiro, Henry S.	1186
Sato, Benjamin Y.	1186
Shimabukuro, Dean Y.	1186
Shimamoto, Robert T.	1186
Suematsu, Carlton S.	1186
Tokoro, Raymond H.	1186
Watanabe, Clyde H.	1186
Anderson, James J.	1205
Fain, Michael W.	1245
Hensley, Donald E.	1316
Dickson, Patrick D.	1319
Gusler, James A.	1319
Day, Larry K.	1340
Ramsey, Richard W.	1340
Woodfork, Curtis L.	1466
McCoy, Darrell D.	1516
Duhon, Ray W.	1545

Atkins, James A.	1547
Hickey, Kenneth R.	1547
Laughlin, Kris A.	1547
Simmons, Avery G.	1547
Waugaman, Richard L.	1547
Porter, Randall D.	1553
Cook, Douglas R.	1555
Leblanc, Ronald J.	1555
Miller, Stephen L.	1579
Lacasse, Marcel	1687
Paquette, Rhea	1687
Boling, Jesse L.	1701
Miller, William L.	1703
Wolsdorf, John M.	1710
Carson, William W.	1739
Cook, Thomas E.	1805
Hunt, Herman A.	1925
Geiger, Arnold F.	2085
Lewis, Gary D.	2113
Buelow, Douglas C.	2150
Podolski, Raymond L.	2150
Murphy, John A.	2330
Rideout, Michael	2330
White, Harold	2330

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Bianchino, Anthony	3
Perillo, Andrew	3
Donatelli, Thomas J.	5
Griffin, Patrick J.	5
Hintemeyer, Lee J.	5
Johnson, George W.	5
Myzel, Wendell F.	41
Dowler, Harold C.	48
White, Jerrill J.	84
Gemmell, Robert	115
Bracher, Albert J.	134
Costa, Frank P.	134
Gonsowski, George R.	134
Hain, Ronald A.	134
Hanas, Terry L.	134
Horsch, Robert J.	134
Krohn, John A.	134
Milash, Leonard P.	134
Omalley, Patrick E.	134
Ruther, Gerald F.	134
Vock, Edward J.	134
Szykalski, David C.	160
Sullivan, John J.	210
Frohlich, Paul J.	245
Jenkins, Thomas W.	259
Murdoch, Jim M.	329
Harnelik, Alanson W.	343
Kammer, Terry L.	359
Jones, William D.	443
Vince, John A.	569
Fernekees, James T.	688
Secrist, Robert E.	731
Cmar, George M.	776
Weber, Gregory	804
Coons, Michael D.	814
Mills, Marvin R.	814
Robens, Charles E.	905
Olsen, Victor S.	1055
Kirch, Phillip A.	1250
Kelder, Dennis E.	1263
Arndt, John L.	1319
Congrove, Roy G.	1379
Elder, Laurence F.	1701

TOTAL DISABILITY PENSIONS APPROVED

The International Executive Council approved three hundred twenty (320) total disability pensions, as follows:

MEMBERSHIP IN LU.	
Clements, Rodney D.	1
Hartman, Robert W.	1
Jorgovan, Michael S.	1
McCormick, Philip J.	1
Montgomery, Tammy R.	1
Patrick, Arthur L.	1
Armada, Lorraine J.	3
Bone, Michael F.	3
Bove, Edward C.	3
Brennan, Lawrence J.	3
Caputo, Anthony J.	3
Carey, Edward J.	3
Casella, Albert J.	3
Christiani, Robert S.	3
Cinelli, Michael F.	3
Colon, Raymond	3
Dalton, Sean P.	3
Bradley, Robert E.	3
Downing, Robert T.	3
Dunne, Martin F.	3
Ferraro, Vincent A.	3
Gilmarin, Kevin S.	3
Grignon, Guy	3
Haselton, Robert F.	3
Jack, James J.	3
Mackiewicz, Stanley A.	3
Messer, William	3
Mezzasalma, Nunzio J.	3
Moscato, Antonio	3
Pugh, Lawrence	3

Reese, Jerome R.	3
Riccio, Michael A.	3
Riegler, Michael R.	3
Roth, Frank J.	3
Simmons, Avery G.	3
Rufano, Anthony	3
Sarkis, Joseph E.	3
Scott, James M.	3
Serpe, Salvatore A.	3
Shannon, Charles R.	3
Shenkan, Bernard	3
Spinner, Frank T.	3
Stone, Hal I.	3
Tangney, Joseph P.	3
Tarantino, Frank M.	3
Thompson, Stanley	3
Torres, David	3
Valente, Giovanni	3
Venura, John M.	3
Borsato, John P.	5
Buelow, Douglas C.	5
Krieger, Jeffrey A.	5
Hall, Stephen J.	6
Stuteville, John T.	6
Vanderhorst, Stephan T.	8
Tothunter, George F.	9
Carr, Anthony M.	11
Kopec, Jan.	14
Cassin, John J.	16
Phillips, William A.	16
Gottschalk, James L.	17
Kerszykowski, Ted M.	17
Rayburn, Johnny E.	17
Basham, Charles W.	20
Cody, Randal L.	22
Czapla, Robert B.	24
Prettyman, James R.	24
Schwartz, William S.	24
Ditzler, Frederick C.	25
Duffy, Christoph	25
Fix, Daniel	25
Giacobbe, Joseph	25
Hain, Ronald A.	25
La Noce, John V.	25
Hutchens, Kevin	25
Slack, Arthur W.	25
Smith, Kenneth W.	25
Vita, Andrew	25
Bradbury, Ross D.	26
Moye, Dale L.	26
Delucco, Phillip M.	35
Lanaccone, Bart P.	35
Laput, William	35
Clegg, Paul J.	38
Decker, John	41
Grabowski, Stanley	42
McCombe, Donald C.	42
Cohen, Lynn B.	43
Johnson, Danny L.	46
Shamp, Mark L.	46
Dustin, Berry W.	48
Sherry, Clayton L.	48
Finnell, William J.	48
Lorenz, John D.	53
Young, Dennis O.	53
Dean, Albert A.	55
Horrocks, George O.	57
Brady, James P.	58
Danckaert, Rodger A.	58
Johnson, Phillip H.	58
Muthleb, Joyanal E.	58
Rogers, James W.	58
Timm, Gerald A.	58
Mini, James L.	60
Komives, Steve	68
Pickens, John M.	68
Vrba, Clyde T.	72
Jackson, Donald J.	77
Coviello, Michael J.	81
Farmer, Victor S.	82
Thompson, Ronald L.	82
Turner, Lewis W.	82
Yarnell, Jack E.	82
Gonzales, Dalbert V.	86
Donahue, Thomas E.	90
Provo, Bruce F.	96
Clark, Charles E.	98
Francis, Michael T.	98
Horton, Brian C.	98
McGinly, Robert J.	98
Cunningham, Leonard J.	102
Lemasters, Charles R.	102
Taylor, Warren D.	102
Delaney, John J.	103
Dolan, Stephen P.	103
Floyd, John R.	103
Rollins, Donald J.	103
Sheehan, Philip J.	103
Washington, George B.	103
Lamont, John R.	105
Bradley, Richard C.	110
Chudars, James J.	110
Dahlstrom, Todd J.	110
Sebitschka, James J.	110
Swanson, Lawrence J.	110
Soden, Charles E.	112
Wilhelm, Larry E.	125
Adams, James T.	130
Verges, Nelson T.	130
Ovansky, Donald L.	131
Eaker, James D.	134
Filippello, Anthony R.	134
Goritz, Donald J.	134

Holderrieth, Richard C.	134
Hough, George D.	134
Keglovitz, Michael	134
Koroyl, Michael S.	134
Mabus, Joseph C.	134
Bajza, Michael E.	134
Zavorka, Arthur W.	134
Anthony, Ernest J.	141
Chaundy, Robert E.	143
Bumgardner, Keith E.	145
Mara, Rhonda J.	145
White, William D.	145
Heise, Brian L.	146
Vedder, Robert	150
Mandich, Daniel J.	153
Harelson, Billy C.	159
Liess, Jane C.	159
Wilson, Walter J.	163
Phipps, James L.	175
Newell, David J.	177
Ferrier, Robert A.	191
Morse, Susan M.	191
Clark, Bruce	193
Smith, Robert N.	212
Boedecker, Billy E.	220
Caya, Joel G.	223
Grove, Marlin H.	229
Rich, Lindy L.	231
Regan, Michael J.	233
Hart, William P.	236
Butchko, George E.	252
Dufek, Frank E.	252
Davidson, Charles K.	257
Schubert, Robert L.	257
Reinke, Ronald L.	265
Thompson, Roger C.	270
Bunker, Mark R.	291
Lattimer, Alan T.	291
Murray, Dale L.	291
Keto, John F.	294
Harmon, James K.	294
Pilimi, Frank J.	294
Ellison, Noel D.	295
Melton, James T.	301
Jack, Harry E.	302
Tolman, David L.	304
Williams, Walter F.	306
Thomas, James	306
Bradbury, Alfred B.	313
Moore, James M.	313
Wamock, Thomas E.	313
Beheler, Robert E.	317
Justice, Jerry	317
Buterbaugh, Jack J.	332
Lalonde, Michael D.	332
Phinney, Terrance A.	332
Sharfraz, Leon J.	340
Metten, John W.	347
Careri, Giulio	353
Scott, Garry G.	353
Miller, Michael L.	354
Gazlay, Alan C.	363
Raquet, Michael A.	363
Simmons, Neil E.	363
Schuytling, Charles H.	364
Henderlight, John D.	369
Hulst, Keith B.	369
Reinhard, Russell J.	375
D'angio, James D.	387
Mell, Robert D.	388
McKnight, Frank J.	400
Nelson, Duane A.	426
Bull, Christopher D.	428
Lautsch, Kenneth E.	428
McKinney, Gordon W.	445
Casper, Philip D.	449
Owens, Gary E.	453
Hendricks, Frederick H.	456
Brown, George G.	464
Green, Ronnie T.	474
Benjamin, Daniel L.	481
Fleming, James W.	481
Montgomery, Robert L.	481
Moore, Richard L.	481
Lewis, James W.	488
McMellon, William	488
Hulse, Bruce T.	505
Nix, Cecil E.	518
Horton, Anthony A.	520
O'Connor, Steve L.	530
Wilson, William J.	531
Wesolek, James P.	557
Grigsby, Franklin C.	558
Jackson, Allen T.	569
Hill, Robert D.	575
Knore, Steven M.	575
Strang, William W.	575
Haas, Arthur W.	584
Martin, Gerard C.	586
Rober, Gerald	586
Atoria, Ralph	589
Alisea, Chris	595
Morales, Roy A.	595
Steffenson, Roger R.	595
Andujar, Harry	606
Felix, Nick A.	611
Janney, Ronald E.	613
Murphy, Billy E.	613
Mezzetta, Bruno P.	617
Hamper, Charles A.	640
Tilley, Robert G.	640
Zahrt, Franklyn J.	640
White, Joseph T.	648

Bach, William J.	654
Loughead, Robert B.	654
Theriot, Billy J.	654
Turner, William D.	659
McLellan, Stanley	665
Bajza, Michael E.	697
Frohngardner, David P.	697
Shragoff, Otto	697
Bartels, Jeffrey I.	701
Duck, Robert F.	701
Frothingham, Stephen L.	701
Havlik, Michael J.	701
Sarley, Robert W.	701
Wu, Wilbur	701
Jackson, Jack L.	702
Mondino, John W.	702
Haber, Peter J.	712
Bauer, Fred L.	714
Berrett, Melvin R.	714
Murphy, Patrick J.	716
Wilson, Richard O.	716
Wilcox, Theodore B.	725
Santoro, Carl B.	728
Bray, Kenneth C.	760
Brummett, Louis E.	760
Caughorn, Ronald S.	760
Janssen, Allen R.	768
Leddon, Frank J.	796
Dailey, Dale H.	807
Flanagan, Ricky J.	852
Reid, Garry L.	855
Intschert, George	910
Dickenson, Perry R.	934
Cowan, Ronald E.	968
Waybright, David W.	968
Denson, Steven W.	970
Bean, Lester O.	995
Murphy, Eddie R.	995
Keto, John F.	1070
Harmon, James K.	1116
Bruhli, Steven L.	1141
Ellison, Gary	1141
Ryan, Daniel E.	1141
Ryan, James L.	1141
Skaggs, David L.	1141
Williams, Walter F.	1141
Hidano, Don H.	1186
Davis, William J.	1205
Neissel, Russel J.	1249
Graman, David A.	1347
Wood, Jackie L.	1393
Bell, John L.	1516
James, Alan C.	1547
Wadden, Blair	1852

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Corbett, Douglas A.	26
Aguilera, Henry	134
Carraway, Kenneth A.	134
Crawley, Richard W.	134
Michalek, Jerry S.	134
Rogers, Joseph	134
Schnauer, Roland C.	134
Thompson, John J.	134
Wolfe, Lawrence A.	424
Sanford, Mackie L.	433
Johnson, Connie S.	464
Evans, Gary L.	1925

APPLICATION FOR VESTED RIGHT TO PENSION APPROVED

The International Executive Council approved applications for vested right to pension benefits for the following members:

MEMBERSHIP IN LU.	
Kaufman, Joseph T.	0043
Winter, Timothy E.	0228
Judd, Ron G.	0046
Steiner, Conrad F.	0441
Escoto, Robert	0134
Lightbody, Brian J.	0569
Perez, Jorge	0134
Rhyme, David W.	0702
Brown, David R.	0176
Nelson, Peter E.	0861
Vining, Gerald C.	0176

PAYMENT OF DEATH BENEFITS NON-RETIRED MEMBERS

Logan, Timothy C.	130	Pariseau, Sylvain	586	Biancanello, Dennis P.	3	Lindsay, Paul B.	11	Cannon, Smith.	38	Withrow, Loyd T.	68
Dehne, James A.	131	Hand, Thomas K.	606	Bianco, Joseph R.	3	Marble, Paul A.	11	Damico, Otto	38	Shelton, Paul H.	70
Budzinski, James B.	134	Towner, Thomas L.	606	Bliss, Samuel	3	Medrano, Carlos A.	11	Gaffney, Leroy P.	38	Tanner, Wendell S.	70
Cullinan, David A.	134	Dalton, John E.	611	Caporizzo, Alfred J.	3	Mikulich, Frank E.	11	Hala, John J.	38	Brandon, Patrick H.	71
Galvez, Thomas L.	134	Coker, Royce F.	613	Dacres, Noel R.	3	Miller, Warren E.	11	Joyce, Thomas J.	38	Lowland, Ronald O.	71
Hayes, James W.	134	Hobbs, Brian C.	613	Dalton, George.	3	Nelson, Arthur A.	11	Nichols, William J.	38	Brandal, George C.	72
Kreff, William J.	134	Talley, Donald J.	613	D'Ambr, Barto A.	3	Nelson, James L.	11	O'Brien, James E.	38	Carlson, Harold E.	73
Lacerra, William A.	134	Burke, Vincent J.	625	Delaney, Robert F.	3	Parker, Joseph	11	Parker, Joseph	38	Kellbell, George E.	73
Melchers, Mark M.	134	Walker, Darrell	625	Domenick, Bruno C.	3	Parker, James E.	11	Sharkin, William S.	38	Spracklen, Robert F.	73
Pescar, Florin E.	134	Naab, Harold E.	640	Ehrenfreund, David	3	Ramber, Edward G.	11	Smith, Richard J.	38	Williams, Meredith	73
Simmons, Bernard L.	134	Nicolosi, John F.	640	Figueroa, Luis A.	3	Salvino, John.	11	Straffen, John W.	38	Kirchmeier, Harlan A.	76
Smith, Timothy	134	Simpson, George M.	640	Fisher, William J.	3	Sanchez, Orlando L.	11	Williams, Thomas.	38	Lee, William A.	76
Steinmetz, William T.	134	Singers, Olin M.	640	Fox, Max.	3	Schweibinz, Henry T.	11	Davis, Howard E.	40	Minch, Rudolph J.	76
Blaser, John D.	145	King, Robert M.	666	Friedman, Gerard M.	3	Sheldon, Sol	11	Goldbach, Robert H.	41	Sorhun, Karl H.	76
Mann, Richard B.	145	Scruggs, Joe	681	Grosso, George P.	3	Sherman, Darryl.	11	Kane, Chester	41	Aucutt, Thomas M.	77
Carr, Barry C.	146	Clarke, Thomas W.	683	Hines, Orville A.	3	Spivey, Olin R.	11	Pawelski, Florian L.	41	Beard, Mark R.	77
Kolb, John W.	150	Moore, Jeffrey A.	683	Hodinka, Zoltan	3	Szabados, Michael	11	Szmania, Bernard J.	41	Cornier, Leonard R.	77
Lucid, James P.	164	Alvarez, Angel L.	697	Holland, Bruce D.	3	Viveros, Arnulfo C.	11	Valtin, Ronald H.	41	Everson, Glen O.	77
Macrae, Robert J.	164	Wendt, William E.	701	Hory, Stanley	3	Warshaw, Arthur J.	11	Vreeland, John K.	41	Finley, Earl H.	77
Carden, George D.	175	Blumenstock, Randall D.	702	Hulst, Russell L.	3	White, Thomas Y.	11	Zablotty, Joseph T.	41	Hartough, Jack.	77
Tesori, Robert	177	Mather, Eric D.	702	Jagde, Robert F.	3	Defusco, Tracy L.	12	Carlisle, Ronald D.	43	Kellams, Elwood E.	77
Bagley, Jerry W.	180	Coulter, Stephen H.	716	King, Louis	3	Branch, James E.	13	Derusso, Salvatore	43	Lawrence, Furnace E.	77
Perez, Luis E.	180	Fite, Daniel L.	716	Kissane, James	3	Hellige, Robert J.	13	Mansfield, Richard C.	43	McCabe, Patrick L.	77
Taylor, Gerhard A.	193	Lindner, Wayne G.	728	Kolar, Rudolph W.	3	Johns, Maynard D.	13	Pritchard, John E.	43	Pickett, Howard A.	77
Doty, Dennis G.	194	Edwards, Timothy P.	777	Kramer, Seymour W.	3	Sparks, Kenneth	13	Raulli, John C.	43	Rogers, Richard N.	77
Abel, Thomas H.	212	Meador, Clarence A.	816	Krichewsky, Arkadi	3	Shank, Robert J.	13	Darnutzer, James P.	44	Russell, Edward E.	77
Kosic, Marko.	213	Pulver, Dale F.	816	Laruso, Daniel A.	3	Bryant, Wayne L.	14	Frare, James E.	44	Sines, Myron J.	77
Lam, Allan C.	213	Dubois, William J.	870	Lash, Harold M.	3	Hegelsson, Alan W.	14	Terland, Pete.	44	Sorenson, Ernest T.	77
Yip, Man Shung.	213	Robinson, Dirk C.	890	Linskey, Joseph H.	3	Billings, Lawrence E.	15	Couture, Leighton J.	45	Barefoot, Jesse H.	80
Lawings, Ben F.	222	Lazure, Robert J.	894	Mangini, Chester J.	3	Cassin, John J.	16	Manion, Ross H.	45	Johnson, Charles C.	80
Pittman, Dougal E.	222	Rapp, Louis W.	903	Martincic, John	3	Manion, Fred M.	16	Rozen, David A.	45	Smith, Herman K.	80
Chamberlin, Jeff H.	226	Mikas, Bonnie L.	915	Matthews, Robert G.	3	Schroeder, Ervin H.	16	Snyder, Ross H.	45	Talley, Russell	80
Asikainen, Eric J.	230	Bryson, Larry G.	940	Miller, Reuben	3	Sutton, William H.	16	Anderson, Emil A.	46	Lawler, Robert T.	81
Buck, Joe A.	230	Presley, Gary D.	948	Pagnanella, Albert.	3	Thurler, Thomas W.	16	Brotsche, Conrad L.	46	Fecke, William T.	82
Blakely, Douglas E.	231	Vyskocil, John R.	948	Perman, Nathan	3	Brinker, Rex	17	Cartwright, Ronald P.	46	Hall, Custer L.	82
Evans, David E.	234	Dean, Timothy P.	979	Pfeifer, Peter W.	3	Hess, Dean A.	17	Chisholm, William D.	46	Manley, Edward J.	82
Spragaren, Lawrence H.	236	Nachbar, Walter	993	Prauda, Martin	3	Hess, Dean A.	17	Dones, Willie	46	Pierce, Ronald J.	82
Lucarelli, Jerome J.	246	Bean, Edsel O.	995	Provenzano, Alfred J.	3	Spivey, Leonard	17	Freer, Robert J.	46	Salter, Joseph W.	82
Grzesiek, Thomas K.	252	Anderson, Kenneth E.	1003	Thomsen, Todd R.	3	Lafond, Marc A.	17	Frink, Richard K.	46	Stewart, Robert D.	82
Hough, Gordon M.	252	Thomsen, Todd R.	1141	Riley, Donald J.	3	Rosario, Felix	17	Graff, George M.	46	Sumner, Bobbie R.	82
Gallant, Ed V.	258	Aikay, Paul O.	1186	Schantz, Edward	3	Tarr, Otis L.	17	O'Connor, Phillip W.	46	Blaxton, George H.	84
Fisher, Michael T.	266	Butler, Tommie R.	1205	Sheppard, Melvin P.	3	Carter, Marvin L.	18	Robinson, Allen E.	46	Miller, Arthur C.	84
Hamner, Daniel M.	271	Carlson, Curt E.	1205	Shea, Alvin	3	Evans, Robert C.	18	Sencerbox, Wayne L.	46	Newton, Arthur E.	84
Hoffman, Dwayne F.	271	Whitely, Daniel P.	1245	Smith, Ernest A.	3	St John, George H.	18	Thompson, Frank H.	46	Smith, Marion C.	84
Adkins, Roger A.	280	Watanabe, Brian L.	1260	Streger, Edward	3	Thompson, Garland H.	18	Gregory, James M.	47	Thompson, William T.	84
Kubesh, Bradley A.	292	Busbee, Jack S.	1316	Troise, Frank	3	Kehus, John A.	19	Long, Scott O.	47	Elam, Thomas J.	86
Reckner, Joel M.	292	Drumm, Robert E.	1393	Urban, Adam R.	3	Anderson, George P.	20	Anderson, Lloyd	48	Fritts, Robert A.	89
Haggerty, John B.	300	Weaver, James A.	1393	Wagner, Nicholas P.	3	Atkins, Windle R.	20	Bloye, Thomas R.	48	Anderson, Donald P.	90
Beal, James N.	302	Ely, Douglas A.	1516	Weiner, Arthur	3	Brinkley, Bobby H.	20	Hudson, Lee	48	Lusher, Richard V.	90
Yankulov, Patrick R.	306	Hardin, Phillip H.	1547	Widera, Mathew A.	3	Brown, Robert E.	20	Joki, Robert W.	48	Vicente, Salvatore	90
Shepherd, Erick W.	307	Snowder, David	1547	Woods, Seymour	3	Brown, Robert E.	20	Lewis, Donald E.	48	Greenaway, Edward J.	94
Ayers, Christoph R.	319	Thompson, Billy D.	1547	Zanone, Mario	4	McLeod, John D.	20	Sinn, Elmer L.	48	Sinn, Elmer L.	95
Edgar, Thomas W.	317	Wade, Paul R.	1547	Anderson, John H.	4	Olson, Joseph.	20	Foss, Malcolm A.	48	Foss, Malcolm A.	96
Buckner, Calvin B.	322	Piehier, Michael P.	1687	Brooks, John L.	5	Precechtil, Byron A.	20	Saulenas, Frank V.	48	Saulenas, Frank V.	96
Plesha, George W.	332	Day, Joseph L.	1852	Gallagher, Frank E.	5	Houck, Harry F.	20	Shambo, Theodore S.	48	Shambo, Theodore S.	97
Sallas, Freddie W.	332	Savoy, Gerald	1852	Leonard, Edward	5	Stahr, William J.	21	Beel, Carl L.	51	Van Patten, Morris C.	97
Welch, Louis S.	332	Beasley, Thomas M.	1924	Weiblinger, Lawrence A.	5	Inman, Dean M.	21	Keiser, Francis R.	51	Becker, Arthur C.	98
Ludwig, Shane M.	347	Howard, Scottie L.	1925	Busch, Leonard K.	6	Tyson, James W.	21	McGowan, William D.	51	Brosious, Donald	98
Adam, Terence W.	353	Benoit, Brett K.	2085	Felter, Bruce W.	6	Volk, Paul M.	21	Mitchell, Jack R.	51	Coppinger, Joseph D.	98
Hawley, Kevin J.	353	Libbrecht, Robert	2085	Loer, Paul	6	Robbert, John J.	21	Schad, Alvin J.	51	Galbraith, James J.	98
Patterson, Brian C.	353	Kurtz, Thomas E.	2150	Parish, Dick J.	6	Gillespie, Harold J.	22	Bunger, Wayne D.	53	Hogan, John J.	98
Paul, James P.	353	Mayfield, Dennis R.	2286	Young, Donald K.	6	Robinson, John	23	Grace, Jack M.	53	Neilson, John B.	98
Pinder, Garry A.	353			Bronner, Charles F.	7	Samuel, Donald C.	23	Bossart, Francis A.	56	Radbill, Robert	98
Steadman, Carl J.	353			Stelzl, Timothy	7	Armiger, George F.	24	Laskowski, Theodore W.	56	Spaeth, Donald D.	98
Cook, Lance A.	354			Merrell, Randall	3	Blumberg, Joseph	24	Bell, Jay C.	57	Thorton, Eugene R.	98
Cloud, Storm J.	357			Whiris, James F.	369	Kuehn, Ernest H.	24	Godby, Bobby C.	57	Wharton, John F.	98
Theo, Manuel	357			Sanders, Michael R.	387	McConville, Francis D.	24	Hatch, Vern L.	57	Wilson, John E.	98
Buonagarden, Joshua	364			Allen, John M.	396	Cote, Gerard	24	Ballard, Carl E.	58	Anderson, Oscar W.	99
Herp, David C.	369			Dunning, James G.	401	Moose, Charles E.	24	Boddy, Charles H.	58	Cubellis, John D.	99
Merrell, Randall	369			Lott, Kelly L.	401	Mowbray, Clifford B.	24	Call, Dan J.	58	Demers, Robert A.	99
Whiris, James F.	369			Steadwell, Derek	402	Smith, William J.	24	Chaffee, Robert M.	58	Fragano, Vincent M.	99
Sanders, Michael R.	387			Richmond, Patrick S.	405	Zink, Irvin C.	24	Cote, Gerard	58	Keenan, Edwin J.	99
Allen, John M.	396			Drover, Michael G.	424	Anders, Fred	25	Engel, Robert L.	58	Mello, Kenneth	99
Dunning, James G.	401			McHonic, John L.	424	Cruiger, Edward	25	Erickson, Carl R.	58	Earl, Roy W.	100
Rusk, Murray E.	424			Rusk, Murray E.	424	Dailey, Donald P.	25	Ferguson, James R.	58	Howell, Jack M.	100
Smith, Eric E.	424			McHonic, John L.	424	Dekleine, Rein L.	25	Gill, Carl	58	Morris, Vinko	100
Young, Stewart F.	424			Rusk, Murray E.	424	Deninno, Rocco	25	Loehne, Harry A.	58	Witherell, Alvin F.	100
Thomas, Michael J.	428			Smith, Eric E.	424	Heshe, John L.	25	Maki, Reino A.	58	Campbell, Andrew	102
Vincent, Toletis H.	428			Young, Stewart F.	424	Hudley, Donald W.	25	Mamp, Leo J.	58	Dabrio, Donald J.	102
Garcia, Rigo.	441			Thomas, Michael J.	428	Inglis, Lester F.	25	Rafail, Rafail G.	58	Gladden, Ronald J.	102
Torres, Ervin G.	441			Vincent, Toletis H.	428	Messmer, Thomas E.	25	Roulo, Ralph B.	58	Keiper, Franklin C.	102
Wilson, David A.	441			Garcia, Rigo.	441	Roth, Alfred H.	25	Rush, Blinn B.	58	Male, John R.	102
Garner, Matthew K.	446			Torres, Ervin G.	441	Tintle, George A.	25	Sielaffe, Henry J.	58	Mayer, Stephen J.	102
Sell, John J.	453			Wilson, David A.	441	West, Donald	26	Sillette, John P.	58	Ohala, Stanley E.	102
Carroll, Jonathan T.	455			Garner, Matthew K.	446	Zeglen, Edward S.	26	Smalstig, Russell L.	58	Read, Larry	102
Steele, Victor A.	457			Sell, John J.	453	Desalme, Robert L.	60	Smith, Custer H.	58	Smith, Bernard	102
Stampley, Rocky J.	479			Carroll, Jonathan T.	455	Laskowski, Louis T.	60	Smith, Donald E.	58	Smith, William J.	102
Thurston, Eugene F.	479			Steele, Victor A.	457	Brocius, James M.	64	Sundstrom, Elmer T.	58	Trojanowski, Edward	102
Cummings, Herbert J.	481			Stampley, Rocky J.	479	Hicks, Thomas D.	64	West, Donald	58	Tufano, Joseph	102
Carrano, Frank	488			Thurston, Eugene F.	479	Reeves, Loyd U.	66	Zeglen, Edward S.	58	York, William J.	102
Nell, Curt J.	494			Cummings, Herbert J.	481	Wexler, Robert E.	66	Desalme, Robert L.	60	Band, Myer	103
Steinert, Joel W.	494			Carrano, Frank	488	Meyer, John J.	66	Laskowski, Louis T.	60	Berry, Kevin B.	103
Bishop, Kirk A.	527			Nell, Curt J.	494	Stadler, John B.	66	Brocius, James M.	64	Cedrono, Joseph M.	103
Alt, Sean M.	532			Steinert, Joel W.	494	Feyma, George G.	66	Owens, Bruce E.	66	Cloutman, Thomas R.	103
Burbank, Mark K.	558			Bishop, Kirk A.	527	Lepper, William H.	66	Barber, Harvey H.	66	Cronk, Wylie W.	103
Clark, Nathan	558			Alt, Sean M.	532	Molitor, Robert E.	66	Collins, Robert L.	66	Edes, Duncan W.	103
Johns, Timothy L.	558			Burbank, Mark K.	558	Picton, Tommy M.	66	Givens, Floyd R.	66	Farrell, John R.	103
Moomaw, Jewell B.	558			Clark, Nathan	558	Puckett, Lowell A.	66	Hayman, George D.	66	Kelly, Joseph J.	103
McGovern, Paul.	568			Johns, Timothy L.	558	Riggs, William D.	68	Myers, Roy	66	MacKay, Allan J.	103
Allen, Kurt M.	569			Moomaw, Jewell B.	558	Schwinn, Kenneth W.	68	Rowell, Connie L.	66	Radcliffe, Francis R.	103
Davis, Guy R.	569			McGovern, Paul.	568	Haynes, Charles E.	68	Anderson, Jack C.	68	Sales, William C.	103
De Rohan, T. J.	569			Allen, Kurt M.	569	Daigle, Joseph J.	68	Bartlett, Ellsworth S.	68	Sargeant, Horace E.	103
Garcia, Jason B.	569			Davis, Guy R.	569	Hart, Alfred H.	68	Bassignani, Felix P.	68	Sheehan, John F.	103
Sparby, Brett A.	569			De Rohan, T. J.	569	Daigle, Joseph J.	68	Caron, James C.	68	Smith, Richard J.	103
Farley, Martin	586			Garcia, Jason B.	569	Hart, Alfred H.	68	Daughtrey, Oswald A.	68	Bourne, Gordon K.	105
Higgins, Barry D.	586			Sparby, Brett A.	569	Lazio, Frank J.	68	Flint, Earl V.	68	Buckley, Bertram T.	105
Kanonowicz, Rande J.	586			Farley, Martin	586	Panciera, Raymond J.	68	Hinke, Charles L.	68	Cairns, David Y.	105
				Higgins, Barry D.	586	Stamos, Michael	68	Murray, Arthur P.	68	Fernihough, James A.	105
				Kanonowicz, Rande J.	586	Blecker, Charles H.	68	Nichols, Kenneth E.	68	Hertz, Wallace	105
								Ramette, Donald C.	68	Lajeunesse, Lucien J.	105
										McLean, Terence J.	105

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Kirk, Ralph J.	3
Mecker, Theodore L.	3
Steinberg, Robert P.	3
Stelzl, Timothy	3
Rowan, William F.	11
Reh, Fred R.	26
McGowan, Arthur L.	379
Dunning, James G.	549
Lott, Kelly L.	549
Steadwell, Derek	741
Richmond, Patrick S.	741
Pirrello, J.	1289

PAYMENT OF DEATH BENEFITS RETIRED MEMBERS

The International Executive Council approved the payment of death benefits payable authorized under the provisions of Article XI, Section 4 of the IBEW Constitution to the following fifteen hundred twenty (1,520) retired members' designated beneficiaries:

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Canton, George H.	1
Coonce, Clyde E.	1
Delaney, Kenneth L.	1
Demling, Kirk A.	1
Alt, Sean M.	1
Burbank, Mark K.	1
Clark, Nathan	1
Johns, Timothy L.	1
Moomaw, Jewell B.	1
McGovern, Paul.	1
Staten, John R.	1
Taccina, Samuel J.	1
Washington, Frederick	1
Buckley, William A.	2

Munday, John F.	105	Manning, Peter J.	134	King, Eugene C.	212	Oconnor, Edward C.	309	Witte, John P.	369	Weeman, John R.	498
Shaw, Ernest	105	Manso, Joseph	134	Lankin, Buford L.	212	Wegener, Wallace M.	309	Betz, Andrew M.	375	Baldwin, Marvin L.	499
Curtin, Dale E.	110	Markman, John	134	Lemmons, Joseph H.	212	Hutchison, Marion D.	312	Hertzog, Dean D.	375	Hamilton, James E.	499
Di Iola, James M.	110	Matesic, Nicholas M.	134	Satzger, Walter L.	212	McDermott, John T.	313	Burch, Jefferson C.	379	Hellenschmidt, Roger H.	499
Hadhlich, Richard	110	Mathiesen, Joe	134	Smith, Carl	212	Moffitt, Frank E.	313	Lackey, James H.	379	Haggerty, Harold E.	502
Johanneck, Francis J.	110	Maurer, Harold	134	Stene, Jack W.	212	Scott, James P.	313	Wilson, Fred W.	379	Alexander, Emory M.	505
Lakour, Leonard V.	110	McLaughlin, Fred D.	134	Anderson, Milton H.	213	Bates, Sam	316	Davis, William	382	Johnson, Claude A.	505
Larson, Thomas L.	110	Mraz, Robert	134	Andrews, Harold K.	213	Harris, Jack	317	Fowler, Harold E.	382	McCord, Sanford S.	508
Miller, James E.	110	Mule, Anthony	134	Johnanson, Dave	213	Kinder, Milton C.	317	Childers, Hardy H.	387	Verrett, Carlyle A.	508
Parenteau, Louis L.	110	Murphy, Edmund P.	134	Lees, Clifford J.	213	Lyons, Billy G.	317	Hall, Gerald W.	387	Vadalabene, Andrew	517
Smolik, George A.	110	Novak, Joseph G.	134	Louie, Ying C.	213	Byrne, Jack M.	322	Lewis, Edgar F.	387	Bradford, Lawrence	518
Altman, Orrin W.	111	Nuttie, Ronald A.	134	Oneil, Harry	213	Couteau, Orville	322	Helbig, Robert E.	400	Carpenter, Preston B.	518
Brown, William O.	111	Ortmanns, Anton	134	Purdy, Henry F.	213	McGinley, Hugh J.	322	Miller, Richard W.	400	Hipple, Thomas E.	518
Potter, Jerry L.	111	Ostien, Arnold F.	134	Sipos, Steve I.	213	Sundberg, Jay G.	322	Carson, Jay F.	401	Marlow, Charles L.	518
Skinner, Edd T.	111	Paradee, Warren R.	134	Sudeyko, Robert J.	213	Kegley, Garnet E.	323	Holt, Lloyd R.	401	Minton, Charles R.	518
Black, Ray L.	112	Peischl, Leo	134	Tompkins, Dennis E.	213	Conrad, Glen T.	325	Powell, Corliss L.	401	Edmiston, Kenneth B.	520
Copstead, Earnest A.	112	Pollack, Wallace T.	134	Eldridge, Edward E.	219	Dispensa, Alfio V.	326	Woolverton, Alexander	402	Dickens, Raymond B.	527
Faleide, Allan O.	112	Quinones, Domingo	134	Serena, John Q.	219	Ceballos, Ron B.	326	Swanson, Thorold	402	Durio, Joseph A.	527
Jain, Theodore P.	112	Rasmussen, Erloy L.	134	Zouback, Anastasia D.	219	Charles, Alejandro L.	332	Edaburn, Alvin E.	405	Hobby, Welch E.	527
Mitchell, Robert E.	112	Rathmann, Thomas M.	134	Cason, Earl R.	222	Crawford, Robert G.	332	Kobes, Jacob	405	Warner, Raymond L.	527
Schreengost, Robert J.	112	Simonelli, John F.	134	Head, Albert E.	222	Furtny, Willis K.	332	Lawson, Henry I.	405	Wells, Joe T.	527
Talbot, Ember M.	112	Simonek, Robert N.	134	Head, Albert E.	222	Gauss, Alexander	332	Franta, Robert G.	413	Blakey, Robert G.	529
Ward, John W.	112	Siepiowski, John	134	Sheerin, Thomas J.	223	Kirmse, Walter	332	Simas, Robert L.	413	Deardoff, Donald M.	531
Cash, Frederick H.	113	Tansor, Walter R.	134	Corneilus, Emroy D.	226	Nurick, Michael W.	332	Edgar, Ernest G.	415	Graham, Eugene W.	531
Throckmorton, Wendell H.	113	Tendick, Kenneth D.	134	Robertson, Jack R.	229	Straub, John A.	332	Martinez, Onofre R.	415	Hunt, Robert R.	531
Chapman, William G.	115	Thomas, Arthur S.	134	Anderson, George	230	Thornton, Roy D.	332	McAfee, Dale B.	415	Bolenske, Andrew G.	531
Reynolds, Archibal R.	115	Thomas, Arthur S.	134	Arcuri, Gabriel	230	West, Edward L.	332	Allen, Aleck M.	418	Nelsen, John D.	532
Corbin, Larry P.	117	Thomson, Ben A.	145	Hortensius, H L.	230	Wieteska, Lee P.	332	Geweth, Karl	424	Nielsen, Leroy M.	532
Goff, Charles J.	120	Gray, Jackie	245	Whitworth, James L.	134	Bachus, Charles L.	340	Ross, Arthur J.	424	Colleen, Leonard E.	538
Algaier, Frederick J.	124	Stanko, Edward	245	Wright, Frederick J.	134	Boyce, James E.	340	Pauling, Martin F.	426	Johnson, Richard	540
Clark, Joseph M.	124	Mellian, William	246	Zapfler, Bernard W.	134	Champe, Vinton B.	340	Pickles, Robert D.	426	Sullie, Carl E.	540
Dotson, O J.	124	Clark, Arthur E.	252	Zygmuntowicz, Edward J.	134	Johnson, William R.	340	Sturdevant, Curtis W.	426	Westhoefer, Donald F.	540
Hirt, Ernest R.	124	Cranmore, Norman L.	252	Caldow, John R.	136	Phillips, Robert A.	340	Konzack, Kenneth R.	428	Anderson, Donald O.	551
Jack, Phillip E.	124	Grimston, Robert G.	252	Caradine, Jack R.	136	Snow, Guy B.	340	Madsen, Jack N.	428	Grady, Gene W.	551
James, Leonard R.	124	Middlebrook, James	252	Konetes, George	136	Talken, Henry A.	340	Hazelhurst, Charles W.	429	Williams, Frederick W.	551
Portmann, William O.	124	Seigle, Cesar E.	349	Milwee, William I.	136	Lawler, Francis L.	343	Kastens, Roy H.	429	Kastens, Roy H.	551
Scott, Harold	124	Waugh, Donald M.	349	Warren, Herchel	136	Owens, Louis F.	343	Heath, Phillip W.	429	Williams, Frederick W.	551
Van Camp, Vincent J.	124	Whitely, Gene B.	349	Smith, William P.	139	Schmitt, Vincent W.	343	Henley, Joe R.	429	Conn, Henry J.	553
Wilson, Logan L.	124	Eagen, Carl P.	350	Fizer, James W.	141	Montgomery, Westley A.	351	Journey, Wallace G.	429	Achard, Franz	557
Zuck, George	124	Armbruster, Robert J.	351	Myers, Thomas J.	141	Bansky, Raymond P.	351	Post, Clarence	430	Hill, John F.	557
Chandler, Vincent L.	125	Forrest, Charles S.	258	Cobaugh, John J.	143	Edward, A.	351	Rosser, David J.	430	Hooper, William H.	557
Clapper, Clayton G.	125	McKelson, George C.	254	Erickson, C E.	143	Barker, Dennis S.	353	Cox, William E.	436	Loose, Arthur W.	557
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Generation 3

Frank W. Jacobs Jr.—elected executive board 1952; served as business representative from 1956 to 1962.

Richard Jacobs—vice president, 1962-1967

Jack O. Jacobs—elected executive board 1975-1993; vice president 1993-1996; president 1996 to 1998. Retired in 1998.

Generation 4

Frank D. Jacobs—apprenticeship training committee 1994 to present; recording secretary 1998 to 2008; appointed business representative February 2008.

Dennis T Jacobs—member 1972 to 1974

Generation 5

Todd Kaplan—journeyman wireman, grandson of Richard Jacobs

I am a proud member of a strong union that my family has served and been served by for many years. My father always told me to try to leave the local better than when you got in. We must fight if we are going to leave it better for the next generations.

Frank D. Jacobs
Local 1 member, St. Louis

Greed's Offspring

It's a sad reality, the planned shutdown of the General Electric plant in Bloomington, Ind. As corporate greed and political corruption dictate manufacturing, American labor has little say in the matter.

Tyrant companies have merged to become more powerful and dominate in an effort to grind competition to powder. The threat of cheap labor in other countries is used to keep American workers in a sit-down-and-shut-up mode while the salaries of corporate CEOs and company executives reach the heavens.

It is a sad thing when the nation's leaders in political and corporate offices choose to reduce this nation to third world status. History keeps the record, and the record says freedom, the American way and American labor built this country. I choose to continue in the ranks of American labor. Some values should never be compromised.

Stuart Mullis
Local 1132 member, Cochran, Ga.

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ENTER THE IBEW PHOTO AND VIDEO CONTEST TODAY!

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Attention Photo and Video Buffs!

Photographs have the power to inspire and motivate, and that's why we try to capture images of the IBEW through our annual photo contest. With improved and cheaper technology and the rise of YouTube and other uses of video on the Web, the ability to make moving pictures is accessible to many. That's why we have expanded our photo contest this year to include video productions and will be awarding prizes in both categories.

Also new with this year's contest is that the IBEW membership will pick the winners on our Web site. The judges will take an American Idol-type role by selecting the finalists in the contest which will be posted on www.ibew.org. Keep an eye on future

issue of the Electrical Worker and the Web site for the announcement of when the judging will begin.

Read on for rules and eligibility for both contests. And start shooting!

PRIZES TO BE AWARDED IN EACH CATEGORY:

First Place	\$200
Second Place	\$150
Third Place	\$100
Honorable Mention	\$50

PHOTO AND VIDEO CONTEST RULES

1. This photo and video contest is open to active or retired IBEW members only. For the photo contest, the person submitting the photo must be the one who took the photograph. For the video contest, all production work must be performed by active or retired IBEW members. Members may enter more than one video production or photo.
2. International Officers and staff are not eligible.
3. Photo submissions can be in color or black and white, on slides, 300 dpi tiff file or glossy prints. The preferred print size is 8x10.
4. All submissions become the property of the IBEW Journal and Media Relations Department.
5. Photos and video entries must have an IBEW theme of some sort, with IBEW members at work, engaged in a union-related activity or subjects conveying images of the electrical industry or the union.
6. If members are featured in the photo, they should be identified. If large groups are pictured, the name of the group or the purpose of the gathering (e.g. a safety committee, a lineman's rodeo, a union meeting) can be submitted in place of individual names.
7. Photos previously published in the IBEW Journal are not eligible for submission.
8. The video contest offers two categories: one for members working in the broadcast branch (professional) and one for everyone else (non-professional). Each video entry must be clearly marked for category.
9. Video entries must be submitted on DVD-R and only one entry per DVD-R. All DVDs must be clearly marked in permanent marker with entry title, entry length, category name, entrant/s name and a short, written synopsis of the video entry and how it relates to the IBEW.
10. All photo and video entries must include a completed contest entry form.
11. Video entries must be submitted as either a Windows Media File or full non-compressed video in the NTSC format and can be in either the 4x3 or 16x9 aspect ratio. No other video file formats will be accepted. Entries are limited to 10 minutes in length.
12. Video entries must be produced specifically for this contest. No entry should have been previously broadcast, cablecast or webcast.
13. All video and still photographs (unless historical in nature) used in the video production must be original video shot and edited by entrant/s. Use of video or stills (unless historical in nature) from other sources is forbidden.
14. Please fill out the IBEW Contest Entry Form and affix it to each photo or video you submit for the contest and mail to the IBEW Photo and Video Contest, 900 Seventh Street NW, Washington, D.C., 20001.

DEADLINE: October 24, 2008

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