



I.A.H.F.I.A.W. LOCAL 36 NOVEMBER 2009 NEWSLETTER

OFFICIAL NOTICE of ELECTIONS!

Nominations for Union Officers were held at the November 13, 2009 regular Union Meeting. Elections will be on **Friday, December 11, 2009 at 7:00pm** at the Union Hall.

The Nominees are as follows:

Business Manager: 3 year term
STAN C. DANIELSON White Ballot

Business Agent: 3 year term
ALAN H. DAVIS White Ballot

Trustee: 3 year term
GREG MARKOWSKI White Ballot

Treasurer: 1 year term
MARK RUPLE White Ballot

E-Board (2): 2 year term
GABRIEL NUNEZ
DAVE GAMBLE
KELLY POWELL
DRENG ESPELIEN

Apprenticeship Com. (1): 3 year term
KELLY POWELL
MIKE THOMAS

Recording Secretary: 1 year term
GABRIEL MARKOWSKI White Ballot



Absentee Ballots

Absentee Ballots will be governed in accordance with Article XX, Section 13 (a), (b), (c), (d) and (e), Section 14 and Section 15 of the International Constitution & Bylaws. In summary: Section 13 (a). A member who wishes to cast an absentee ballot must make a written request for same, which request must be received no later than ten (10) days prior to the election. **(December 1, 2009)** (b). All such requests must be kept on file at the local union offices and made available for inspection, on

request, by the election committee and all candidates. (c). Absentee ballots requested in accordance with the above procedure shall be mailed by the corresponding secretary no less than ten (10) days prior to the election. Each ballot shall be addressed to a neutral or disinterested person designated by the election committee. The return envelope must be **signed** by the voter before it is mailed. No absentee ballot shall be counted unless it is received in a **signed** return envelope. (d). All absentee ballots must be received by election day in order to be counted. Once a member has requested an absentee ballot, he may vote in that election only by that means. (e). The designated neutral or disinterested person shall turn the absentee ballots received over to the Election Committee on the day of the election. They shall be counted with all other ballots. **Section 14.** Within the ten (10) day period prior to the union election day, members may apply in person at the local union office for an absentee ballot. They will receive an absentee ballot at that time, will mark their ballot in secrecy at that time, and will place the ballot inside a plain envelope as provided in Section 13 (c). The larger envelope will be delivered immediately to the neutral or disinterested person, and the envelope shall be processed in the manner provided in Section 13 (e). **The polls for Absentee Ballots will be closed at 4:30pm the day of Elections.**

DECEMBER UNION MEETING



We are looking forward to your attendance at the December meeting; besides some tasty treats we will be presenting service pins, certificates, and have raffles and prizes for Local 36 caps, shirts and Carhartt coats. Be sure to be there – And again there is talk of a **SURPRISE RAFFLE** but you have to be here to win it!!

"Tis the Season to Give"

We are asking all the members that can to donate canned food and bring it on the night of the Union meeting (or sooner); if you forget, please plan on giving \$2 at the door when you come to the Union meeting in December for the Sunshine Division. Please open your hearts and your wallets this Holiday Season- with just \$2 YOU can make a real difference in someone's life! **Give a gift to yourself and your family as well and make arrangements to have your MULTIPHASIC physical free of charge. In 2008 we only had 5 members take advantage of this opportunity. In 2009 there was some improvement with 13 members signing up. I was one of the 13 that signed up and I am very thankful I did.**

NEW BUSINESS

Michael Leland Miller, a member of Local 5 has requested a transfer to Local 36. We will be voting on his request to transfer at the January 8, 2010 Union meeting.

www.insulators36.org

Again, please check out our website if you have not done so already. We would like to use this more and more as a resource to keep members informed about current events. We currently have pictures of our officers on the site. If you are on there, but your picture is not, PLEASE make arrangements to come in and have your picture taken. Contact Shauna at the office and she will make arrangements to take your picture.

Update Your Information

PLEASE make sure you notify us of any address, phone number, e-mail or Beneficiary changes. This can affect you receiving payments, important notifications and benefits. If you know anyone that has had a recent change of address, please notify them personally in case they don't receive this Newsletter.



As stated earlier we will be giving out pins at the December Union meeting. The following

members are eligible to receive pins:

Aylwin L. Beyer	60 Year Pin
Michael Grier Sr.	45 Year Pin
Bernie H. Heuker	45 Year Pin
Jim C. Klock	45 Year Pin
Gary Rodehouse	40 Year Pin
David L. Smith	40 Year Pin
Richard Chipman	40 Year Pin
John J. Steiner	40 Year Pin
Donald M. Takach	40 Year Pin
Ronald A. Henson	30 Year Pin
Ralph L. Mills	30 Year Pin
Mark J. Ruple	30 Year Pin
Dan R. Baker	20 Year Pin
Larry S. Dahrens	20 Year Pin
Gary Moody	20 Year Pin
Dan L. Smith	15 Year Pin

Please notify us if you have already received this year pin, or if you think you should be receiving one and we do not have your name listed.

APPRENTICE APPLICATIONS!

Remember, the opportunity to apply for Apprenticeship with Heat & Frost Insulators Local 36 ends for 2009 on 11/30/09 at 2pm. You can still submit an application M thru F - 9am - 2pm. To apply go directly to Local 36 Apprenticeship Office located at 11145 NE Sandy Blvd., Portland, OR 97220 (Door is located on the east side of the building). If you have any questions please call Walt Caudle at 503/255-5124.

TWIC CARD REIMBURSEMENTS

WICA agreed to reimburse members for \$75 of the cost of the TWIC card for those members who have purchased them on their own.

To all our Members

Happy Thanksgiving

Fraternally yours,

Stan C. Danielson, Business Manager

Alan H. Davis, Business Agent

Peace on Earth

& Happy

"Safe" Holidays