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**A Message from Price Warwick, Jr.
Business Manager/Financial Secretary**

Dear Brothers and Sisters:

For the month of July, we had 48 JIW calls, 5 CE/CW calls, 26 Apprentice calls, and 1 Tele-data calls. The calls have been slow but are picking up, so keep an eye on the jobs board and come get a call. We had 1 new member appear and take the oath.

The federal government is preparing to release the \$1.2 trillion Bipartisan Infrastructure Law funds to accomplish the country's most ambitious infrastructure upgrade in decades. To ensure an adequate workforce is available, the Biden-Harris administration has launched a Talent Pipeline Challenge to support employer investments in equitable workforce development for infrastructure jobs. As a participant in the challenge, the IBEW has pledged to reach 10,000 Electric Vehicle Infrastructure Training Program (EVITP) credentialed electricians by August 2022. EVITP is a nationally recognized training standard for installing electric vehicle supply equipment, and the federal government is expected to require the training, which it considers essential to the safe long-term operation and maintenance of the electric vehicle charging infrastructure. This advanced skill program builds on the platform of qualified electricians' extensive knowledge, skills and experience, so EVITP certification is easily accomplished for many IBEW journey-level workers, requiring a short, 20-hour course, available through IBEW training centers for \$89.00. The Local Union will reimburse the \$89.00 fee to the first 168 members that receive and present the EVITP certification.

The midterm elections are less than 100 days away, if you need to register or update your registration, we have the forms and a registrar here at the Hall.

The Inside Agreement negotiations will be starting soon, if you have proposals you would like to submit bring them by or email them to ibew20@ibew20.org. There is a form you can use on the webpage announcement page.

The Awards Banquet is being planned for Saturday, November 12, 2022. There will be more info soon.

Anyone interested in helping IBEW members and their families affected by the natural disasters happening recently can go to the Local 20 website and click on the IBEW Unity Fund link to donate.

Remember to keep your dues and death benefits current. Dues are to be paid on the first day of the month to be current for that month. The IBEW Constitution states that no death benefit shall be payable upon the death of a nonretired "A" member if such member is more than (2) two months in arrears in per capita tax payments (dues).

RETIRED MEMBERS LUNCHEON

Dallas Retired Members:

The "Has Been Club" of IBEW Retired Members will resume their monthly luncheon at 11:30 AM, beginning the 2nd Wednesday of each month at The Martinez Restaurant, 901 Gross Rd., Mesquite, Tx.

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BIRTH ANNOUNCEMENTS

Congratulations to Brother Jose and Jacqueline Gasca on the birth of their daughter, Leilani Grace Gasca, on July 11, 2022. She weighed 6 lbs. 7 oz. and was 21¼ in. long.

SICK AND INJURED

We wish a speedy and complete recovery to those members listed on this months Sick and Injured list. If you or know of a member who would like to be added or removed from this list, please contact the Local Union 20 Business Office.

Carey Ray, Ty Heath, Sean Sullivan, Glenn Loosier, Patrick Newland, Daniel Reyes, Charles Basham, Craig Anderson, Reid Pack, Larry Estes, Robert S. Smith, Kenny Towne, Charles Fetterhoff-Smith, Kevin Armstead and James Skinner,

DECEASED MEMBERS

We would like to express our deepest sympathy to the family and friends of the below list of member who have recently passed away.

Non-Participant	Jerrold Stitt, III	Passed away July 27, 2022	He was a member 7 years
DB #703	Billy J. McClure	Passed away August 5, 2022	He was a member 68 years

Also, our sympathy goes out to the members listed below who have lost loved ones.

Clayton Braggs lost his mother, Lucy Miller, on August 4, 2022..

Fraternally,



Price W. Warwick, Jr.
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