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

Dear Brothers and Sisters:

For the month of November, we had 61 JIW calls, 7 CE/CW calls, 13 Apprentice calls, and 0 Tele-data calls. The work picture is picking up with some scattered calls coming in, so keep an eye on the jobs board.

We signed up 9 new members to the I.B.E.W. in the month. The E Board approved the following pension applications: Billy Eivens (40), and Rick Hernandez (41).

We have the watches and pins for the 50+ Years of Membership Awards here at the hall.

The Hall will be closed Friday, December 25<sup>th</sup> for Christmas Day and Friday, January 1<sup>st</sup> for New Year's Day.

Effective January 1<sup>st</sup> there is a \$.20 increase to the Main Plan Insurance from \$5.80 to \$6.00 per hour worked. This increase is split equally, the employer will pay \$.10 and the employee will pay \$.10. The hourly wage rate for JIW's will decrease by \$.10 per hour to \$31.50 on January 1<sup>st</sup>, all other Inside classifications will decrease proportionately.

To limit exposure to the staff and members of the Local Union, we are still limiting access to the hall to five (5) people at a time and you must wear a mask. We are still open, there is no change to our hours of operation, but the doors will be locked, and we will answer the door individually. We strongly encourage members to conduct any business by mail, email, phone, or online. There is no change to the referral procedure except some days roll call may be held outside to help limit exposure.

Due to the COVID-19 precautions we have been granted permission by International Vice-President Speer to cancel the January meeting. The E Board is still meeting regularly to approve the bills and handle all pressing Local Union business. We are monitoring the COVID-19 situation and are posting any updates to the website as needed. We will be conducting an informational "Virtual Meeting" presentation on meeting nights, at 7:00pm. The invitation information is on the webpage. There will not be any official business presented or acted on at this "Virtual Meeting".

Remember to keep your dues and death benefits current. If you are an active A member and more than two months behind on your dues, your beneficiary will not receive any death benefits from the Pension Benefit Fund or the Local Union's Death Benefit Fund. If you are a retired A member and receiving a pension from the Pension Benefit Fund your beneficiary will receive a death benefit from the Pension Benefit Fund and, if you are a participant, your beneficiary will receive a death benefit from the Local Union's Death Benefit Fund. Anyone in arrears of death benefits more than one (1) year is considered a non-participant and will not be eligible to receive benefits from the Local Union's Death Benefit Fund.

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Renew is continuing its annual Toy Drive for Cooks Children's. There is a link on the Local 20 website where you can donate to help these kids have a Merry Christmas.

Please contact Cesar Martinez for more information.

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### **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.

Chris Carlson, Sean Sullivan, Don Moore, Glenn Loosier, Daryl Cordell, Patrick Newland, Richard Serrano, Daniel Reyes, Sean Holloway, Hershel Pearson, Ken Dunlap, Charles Basham, Jack Enochs, Walter Johnson, Nate Wisner, James Rodgers, Richard Lewis, Craig Anderson, Reid Pack and David J. Brown.

### **DECEASED MEMBERS**

We would like to express our deepest sympathy to the family and friends of these members listed below.

DB #660	Stephen H. Hargrove, Jr.	Passed away 11/5/2020	Member 3 years
DB #661	Gregory L. Jones	Passed away 11/17/2020	Member 42 years
DB #662	Willard H. "Willie" Crenshaw, III	Passed away 10/28/2020	Member 42 years
DB #663	Christopher K. Dohner	Passed away 11/23/2020	Member 40 years

Also, our sympathy goes out to Steve Corley, for the loss of his daughter, Kim on 11/21/2020.

David King lost his Mother, Billie Doris King on 11/9/2020.

Edwin L. Reitz lost his wife, Patricia Reitz on 11/24/2020.

Charles Creech lost his wife, Judy Diane Creech on 11/3/2020.

### **RETIRED MEMBERS LUNCHEON**

The Dallas "Has Been Club" and the Fort Worth Retired Members luncheons are postponed until further notice.

Fraternally,



Price Warwick, Jr.  
Bus. Mgr./Fin. Sec.

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