

# IBEW LOCAL UNION NO. 20

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## A Message from A. C. McAfee Business Manager/Financial Secretary

Dear Brothers and Sisters:

Listed below are nominations for officers of IBEW Local Union No. 20, that were made at the General Membership meeting on May 1, 2012.

### President

Joe Dean Manry  
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Tony Lindeman  
Freddie Lopez  
Mike Morley  
Randell Slagle

### Examining Board (Not Officers)

Lewis Adamson  
Jorge Camacho  
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### STEWARD REPORTS

The following Stewards were present at the last General Membership Meeting and gave an update of their job:

Jeremy Voss - Conti Electric - GM Job

Stan Taber - Miller Electric - Data Center #2, Richardson

Mitch Burchfield - PDK - TMobile

Greg Padgett - Angiel Electric - Children's Hospital

Mark Chambers - Hargrove - Oncor Wire

Tony Griffin - Fisk -U. T. Southwest Hosp.

### DOOR PRIZE

The April Door Prize was won by Randy Slagle who donated it to the Good Brotherhood Fund.

The May Door Prize was won by Phillip Ellis.

The Door Prize is a months' Basic Dues.

### PENSION APPLICANTS

Listed below are applicants who were approved for their IBEW pension at the May 1, 2012 General Membership meeting.

Vincent Meinzer, Walter Shipley, Houston Sullivan, Michael Wolfe and Michael Wolverton

A special "Thank you", to each one for your many years of service and dedication to the IBEW. Best wishes and may you have many years of good health and fortune to enjoy your retirement years.

### SICK AND INJURED

To those members listed on this months' sick and injured list, we wish you a speedy and complete recovery.

Ralph Kirkham, Charles Freeman, Lee Loza and Ray Bixby

### DEATHS

No death's to report as of this publication. However, we do need to remember those who did lose loved ones.

Our deepest sympathy goes out to: Arthur Ramirez, who lost his brother, Carl Ramirez. (date was not provided)  
Tony Burge, who lost his father, Jerry Burge on April 17, 2012  
Eddie Horton lost his mother, Velma Horton on May 10, 2012

### RETIRED MEMBERS' LUNCHEON

#### FORT WORTH RETIRED MEMBERS

The Fort Worth Retired Members will meet at the IBEW 116 Federal Credit Union, located at 603 S. Adams in Fort Worth, TX. (corner of S. Adams and Pennsylvania), on the 1st Tuesday of each month at 12:00 Noon. Come at 11:00 AM if you want to play dominos. Lunch is at The Rose Bud at 1:30 PM. If you need more information, call Tooter Mills at 817-292-9727. (Con't. pg. 3)

**DALLAS RETIRED MEMBERS** (con't from pg. 2)

The "Has Been Club" of IBEW Retired Members are meeting at 11:30 AM on the third Wednesday of each month at Los Ranchos Restaurant, at 2224 Gus Thomasson Rd., Dallas, Tx.

**By James Creech:**

Old "has been", Don Illingworth, was up from either North of Stephenville or South of Desdemona. Take your pick, it's just about 900 sq. miles of real estate. Being North of Stephenville, brought to our minds the death of Brother Billy Joe Gordon. The guy who shot Billy Joe was from Stephenville. This also makes Don South of the town of Gordon which was named after Billy Joe's grandfather.

While on the subject of far away places, Brother Dennis Rook said he talked to Brother Charlie Rye from Lufkin who said he would be coming to a future meeting. Hope his GPS works better than big Alan Basye's.

Our crowd is getting so large that we were moved into a larger meeting room.

Brother Ray Walker wanted to know if the beautiful bar had always been there. But according to Lee Loza, the answer is "NO". Lee said he had wired the original building while working for Murr Electric in 1960, at which time was a Post Office. He had hung the florescent lights that we were eating under, and still burning, attests to Lee's electrical skills.

Speaking of Brother Lee Loza, he was one of the first people to come into our Local Union in our organizing campaign in the early 60's. Another good Brother at the lunch, Bobby McPherson, also came in about the same time.

So if any of our younger Brothers are reading this message, I would like to point out that some of our best members came into our Union by way of the open shop.

With Lee Loza not being present, this made Sleepy Dillard the oldest member present followed closely by Bill Dawson. The youngest member present was either Thomas Murry or Roger Warren.

For more information, please contact any of the above mentioned Brothers or call or e-mail James Creech at 972-279-7606, e-mail address is: jimdandy602@yahoo.com.

Fraternally,



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