



September 12, 2016

"One Workforce - One Struggle - One Union"

NDC VACATION
SCHEDULES
DUE MONTH OF
OCTOBER FOR
TWO-WEEK
CHRISTMAS
PERIOD

BALLOTS BEING MAILED

The National Election ballots are being mailed Tuesday, September 13, 2016. The local union has announced the endorsements that were finalized on September 8th at the GMM. You may have already read by now these endorsements as well as the door prizes. Voting in your union elections is very important. Your local EB has endorsed candidates that we feel will best represent our members, and those members who attended the GMM approved them unanimously. Now it is up to you once you receive the ballot in the mail to fill it out, bring it to work, and show it to any officer or steward. **We will record your name on a master list and, if you qualify for the early bird drawings, you will then be eligible for the entire \$600.00 in door prizes adopted at the GMM. Later submissions will miss out on the top prizes, but still be eligible for a number of \$50 drawings.**

Over the past 30 years, our local has the reputation of getting out the vote. We are always among the top locals in the country, with one of the highest member voting percentage for locals our size. This allows us to represent the membership much better when the time comes to contact National Officers because they know we get the vote out. There are also monetary incentives for locals who get the vote out. We would be eligible to have prize monies put into our Treasury again if we finish in the top three locals of our size. Now that we have a Retiree Chapter, they also have incentive to get the vote out. President of the Local Retiree Chapter, Doug Mirowski, is working to get his members to vote. They also received a monetary incentive prize in the past.

We have handouts available explaining the dates of importance, door prize rules, as well as the local union endorsements.

Yours in Union Solidarity,

Vince Tarducci, President

Chuck Camp, Vice President