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COVID-19 UPDATE!

**IBEW Local 649 actions taken under directives of
IBEW 6th District International Vice President David Ruhmkorff**

Brothers and Sisters of IBEW Local 649,

As everyone is aware, we are going through unprecedented times with the Coronavirus pandemic. Our main concern is the health and well-being of our members, staff and their families also to help prevent the disease from spreading to people in your home and community. Please use common sense and stay home if you are not feeling well.

In accordance with the directive of 6th District International Vice President David Ruhmkorff, IBEW Local 649 has cancelled the April 14, 2020 Regular Meeting. The Executive Board will continue as scheduled to conduct official union business. Executive Board members will be contacted on an individual basis on the procedure in place to conduct the meeting.

The Union Hall will be **CLOSED FOR WALK-IN BUSINESS THURSDAY MARCH 19, 2020**. The office will be staffed during regular business hours. Business Representatives and staff will be available to take your calls. **PLEASE DO NOT HESITATE TO CALL.**

The Training Center will be closed thru April 6, 2020.

Until further notice please follow the below procedures:

- Union Dues Payments – Check only Via Mail. Call the office for your total. Receipts will be mailed to you.
- Book 1 – Laid-off or quit, Call the Union Hall and we will take care of registration in order received.
- Book 2 – Registration, Call the Union Hall and we will take care of registration in order received.
- Permit Workers – Call the Union Hall to clear thru.

Please check the website for updates to this information.

Please note the following:

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For information regarding COVID-19: <https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-nCoV/index.html>

Everyone please be careful and take proper precautions to stay healthy. Also, PLEASE BE PATIENT as these are troubling times. Please contact the hall with a current email address to stay update as things are changing on a daily basis.

In Solidarity,



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