



Local 22

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Brothers and Sisters:

I hope this message finds you and your families safe and well. We have experienced an event unlike no other over the past couple months. Our conversations have changed by using words like social distancing, distance learning, hospitalization rates, pandemic and essential worker. We began utilizing video conferencing like zoom and google meet. We are not only using these video platforms to try and conduct our day to day business, but just too even see our friends and families. We have all experienced so much confusion and uncertainty .

From early on in this business we are programmed to show up to work, no matter if you're sick, if your kids were up all night or even if you spent a little too much time out after school with your classmates. It is just what we do! Some would even say we are a different breed. We work in many different conditions and weather, but always get the job done. Somehow through all of this confusion and uncertainty our members continued to go and work on the frontlines. We feel our members didn't get enough recognition as frontline workers during this pandemic. But yet, our members were deemed essential, but by no means are they expendable! You continued to do your job and we THANK YOU!

Work has definitely picked up but by no means have things returned to normal. It continues to be important for our members to be cautious and responsible. We must continue to the follow the safety guidelines. The Full Time Officers are incredibly grateful to our membership for their patience and understanding during these times of uncertainty. We are all here to support and assist you in these trying times. Please do not hesitate to call any of us with questions and concerns.

We would like to congratulate the 5th year class on completing their apprenticeship program.

From all of us, please continue to stay safe and best wishes to you and your families! We all thank you for what you do!

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