

Brothers and Sisters,

I am happy to announce that we are finally seeing some movement on the Steeplechase Data center in Eagle Mountain. Calls have started to trickle in on this project and based on the conversations that I have had with the Electrical Contractors that will be performing the work, this job will be moving forward rapidly. I want to welcome Cupertino Electric into our jurisdiction and I look forward to working with them for the next several years. This month, I had the opportunity to sit down with their on-site management team and I think this will be a great project for everyone involved.

It is nice to have a job like this in Utah right now but it brings with it the challenge of supplying the needed bodies to properly man it. With that being said, I want to report on the recent job fair that was recently held. Once again, we asked the Organizers and Reps from around the Eighth District, as well as Voluntary Organizers from our Local, to lend us a hand as we continue to get our message out. This group “Blitzed” the area, visiting job sites and doing house calls which resulted in a nice turnout to the job fair. We will continue our efforts to organize Utah and I’m asking the membership to help in any way you can. We will be growing our numbers over the next several months and I am asking you all to welcome our new Brothers and Sisters into this great Local. If you would like to get involved in these efforts in the future, please contact the Local organizers or myself and will gladly give you something to do.

Finally, the State and National mid term elections are taking place on the first Tuesday in November. I can’t stress enough the importance of getting involved in the election process. The attacks on Unions have never been more fierce than they are right now. Please pay attention to the process and elect the candidates that support the working families in Utah. If you have any interest in getting involved in the process over this last month of this cycle, please contact myself, Steve Woodman or Bryce Harding and we will let you know how you can help.

In Brotherhood,



Russell Lamoreaux
Business Manager

OCTOBER 2018 MEETINGS

SOUTHERN UNIT

Tuesday 10/2/18 at 7:00 pm
Hampton Inn and Suites
851 West 1250 South
Orem, Utah

NEW MEMBER ORIENTATION

Wednesday 10/3/18 at 4:30 pm
Local 354 Union Hall
3400 W. 2100 S.
Salt Lake City, Utah

COMMUNICATION UNIT

Wednesday 10/3/18 at 5:30 pm
Local 354 Union Hall
3400 W. 2100 S.
Salt Lake City, Utah

SALT LAKE UNIT

Wednesday 10/3/18 at 7:00 pm
Local 354 Union Hall
3400 W. 2100 S.
Salt Lake City, Utah

NORTHERN UNIT

Thursday 10/4/18 at 7:00 pm
Motel 6
1500 W. Riverdale Road
Ogden, Utah

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Message from IBEW #354

RENEW Committee

Hey Brothers and Sisters, the Renew committee will be holding it's monthly bootcamp on October 13th from 10 am to 2 pm for ce/cw's and apprentices to help practice their hands-on skills. The next Renew meeting will be on October 9th at 5:30. I'd like to thank the members that came out to help with our job fair blitz that we did in late September, Todd Baugh, Nick Bryant, Brawnson Dyer, Jake England, and Keith Hogan. We reached 527 job sites and 297 homes to talk to unrepresented electricians about the IBEW. If you'd like to get involved with anything at the local please contact me jared@ibew354.org



Lynn Richard "Birdman" Bird Jr. Passed away on August 27, 2018. At the time of his passing Lynn was 59 years old and had been an IBEW member for 41 years. His obituary can be viewed [here](#).

Class	Course Name	Instructor	Start Date	End Date	Start	End	State License	Hours
1243	2017 NEC General Significant Changes Part 1	Shaheen, Adam Ace	09/24/18	09/26/18	M, W	5:00PM	9:00PM	8 Core Hours
1265	General Installation Requirements/Codeology	Kristensen, John	09/24/18	09/26/18	M, W	5:00PM	9:00PM	8 Core Hours
1272	2017 NEC Grounding & Bonding	Beckstrand, Gary	09/24/18	09/26/18	M, W	5:00PM	9:00PM	8 Core Hours
1248	2017 NEC Significant Changes - Part 2	Shaheen, Adam Ace	09/25/18	09/27/18	T, TH	5:00PM	9:00PM	8 Core Hours
1240	Instrumentation	Shaheen, Adam Ace	09/29/18	09/29/18	SAT	7:00AM	3:00PM	4 Core / 4 Pro
1273	2018 NFPA 70 E	Beckstrand, Gary	09/29/18	09/29/18	SAT	7:00AM	3:00PM	8 Core Hours
1266	2017 NEC General Significant Changes Part 1	Kristensen, John	10/08/18	10/10/18	M, W	5:00PM	9:00PM	8 Core Hours
1269	2017 NEC Significant Changes - Part 2	Kristensen, John	10/15/18	10/17/18	M, W	5:00PM	9:00PM	8 Core Hours
1274	2018 NFPA 70 E	Beckstrand, Gary	10/15/18	10/17/18	M, W	5:00PM	9:00PM	8 Core Hours
1267	2017 NEC General Significant Changes Part 1	Kristensen, John	10/22/18	10/24/18	M, W	5:00PM	9:00PM	8 Core Hours
1275	2018 NFPA 70 E	Beckstrand, Gary	11/03/18	11/03/18	SAT	7:00AM	3:00PM	8 Core Hours
1270	2017 NEC Significant Changes - Part 2	Kristensen, John	11/12/18	11/14/18	M, W	5:00PM	9:00PM	8 Core Hours
1276	2017 NEC Overcurrent Protection Article 240	Beckstrand, Gary	11/17/18	11/17/18	SAT	7:00AM	3:00PM	8 Hr Core
1268	2017 NEC General Significant Changes Part 1	Kristensen, John	11/19/18	11/21/18	M, W	5:00PM	9:00PM	8 Core Hours

We are currently on Death Assessment #149