

LOCAL UNION No. 77

International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers





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VIA E-MAIL

TO: All Employers in IBEW Local 77 Jurisdiction

As you know, with the COVID-19 mandated date for vaccination approaching, there is a great deal of frustration, confusion and even anger being expressed publicly. Our membership is as prone to that as anyone.

There are rumors circulating of some form of protest or job action by employees throughout the state in the upcoming days or weeks. Local 77 is not sponsoring and does not condone any such job action. We do not anticipate our members will expose themselves to discipline or liability as part of any such protest.

That said, we are still in the midst of a pandemic. Illness on the part of employees and family members—COVID related or not—has not gone away. With that, we ask that you not jump to the conclusion that any employee calling in sick is engaged in any form of impermissible conduct under either the law or the collective bargaining agreement.

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We are, and will remain, willing to work with you if and when any issues arise.

Please feel free to contact me if you have any questions or concerns.

Sincerely,

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Business Manager/Financial Secretary

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