



3/6/23

Outside Line Weekly Safety Message

Accidents and Incidents

February 24th, 2023

Apprentice was a passenger in a bucket truck. While the driver started to back up, the apprentice stated that he wanted to get out to spot him. The driver told him to stay in the cab. While backing, the driver contacted an object outside the truck. The report did not mention, specifically, what was damaged in this incident.

February 24th, 2023

Apprentice was driving a bucket truck to the first job of the day. As he was coming to a stop, he did not see a low-hanging branch. The bucket contacted the branch, causing enough damage to require the entire bucket assembly be replaced.

Please be mindful of your surroundings when driving. Unfortunately, driving continues to be a major fault in the field. This is the single, most dangerous, task we perform, especially with the recent storm conditions.

Bulletin Board

Congratulations to new Local Union 1245 Journeyman Lineman:

None this week!

California-Nevada JATC Upcoming Training:

CPR –

3/10/23, 0600 – 1000

4/14/23, 0600 – 1000

First Aid –

3/10/23, 1000 – 1400

4/14/23, 1000 – 1400

OSHA 10 ET&D –

TBD

Visit www.calnevjatc.org, under the Web Services tab for more information.

JATC Opening for Lineman

3/27/23 – 4/7/23

See attached document for further details.

Send photos from storm!

membermedia@ibew1245.com

Redbook Review

Article 2.15 – Setting or Removing Poles

Highlights include:

Ground wires, guy wires or metallic hardware running the length of the pole shall not be attached to the pole

Energized conductors shall be spread to minimize accidental contact, or covered with approved protective devices, or the pole shall be covered with an approved guard, or the conductors shall be de-energized

All personnel, who may handle the butt of the pole, shall wear approved rubber gloves and sleeves rated for the nominal voltage

Contract Moment

Article 4.4, (a) – Minimum Call Out

“Any employee reporting for work on a scheduled work day, and does not start work for any reason beyond his/her control, and not having been notified prior to six (6) hours before starting time, shall be paid for two (2) hours at the applicable rate of pay (plus the applicable subsistence expense as set forth in Article V). Employees may be required to perform duties, including safety meetings, at headquarters during these two (2) hours. However, if an employee chooses to suspend work after having started work, due to inclement weather, the employee shall be paid for time worked only.”

Mental Health Resources

Member Assistance Program:

1-800-332-2191

National Suicide Prevention Hotline:

988 or

1-800-273-8255

SAMSHA Distress Helpline:

1-800-985-5990

NAMI Helpline

1-800-950-6264 or

Text to 62640

Outside Line Construction Contacts

Assistant Business Manager – Ralph Kenyon (707) 483-2948

Business Representative – Fred Aboud (775) 857-9750

Business Representative – Ben Contreras (707) 410-8834

Business Representative – Chris Miles (707) 660-9971

Business Representative – Ethan Stonecipher (707) 432-8450

Main Office – (707) 452-2700

Benefit Contacts

LINECO – (800) 323-7268

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APPRENTICESHIP OPPORTUNITY FOR POWER LINEMAN

The **California-Nevada Joint Apprenticeship Training Committee** offers a complete apprenticeship program comprised of home study, classroom instruction, and 7,000 hours of on-the-job training. Upon completion, you will be eligible to receive Journeyman status.

APPLICATION PERIOD: The California-Nevada JATC will accept applications **online** for 10 days from **March 27, 2023 until April 7, 2023**. Applications can **ONLY** be submitted online through our website and will not be available until **March 27, 2023**. The application must be completed **online** and ALL required documentation **MUST** be uploaded with your online application no later than April 7, 2023. The office will no longer accept documentation in-person or by mail. All documentation **must** be uploaded with your application.

To fill out an application, you may visit our website at www.calnevjtc.org. You will need to click on the Web Services tab and if you do not already have an account with us, you will need to create an account. **You can create your account before the application period opens**, however, you **will not** be able to fill out an online application until **March 27, 2023**. (Please note: it may take up to 24 - 48 hours to activate your online account).

You must meet the following minimum requirements to be considered:

1. Submit a completed application.
2. Must be a minimum of 18 years of age.
3. Must have acquired a high school diploma or G.E.D.
4. Have a valid unrestricted **COMMERCIAL** Driver's License.

Applicants who meet the minimum requirements, submit a completed application along with required documents and successfully pass an aptitude test will be eligible for an oral interview. *Applicants who qualify for a direct interview will have priority.* Applicants selected for indenture must complete a five-day orientation and climbing class to be eligible to continue in the training program.

Our jurisdiction covers the states of California and Nevada. Many of our jobs are in areas which require apprentices to have extended stays away from their principle residence. Any relocation, travel, and living costs are at the apprentice's expense.

If you have any questions, you can contact the office Monday through Friday, 7:00am to 4:00pm. The office is closed daily for lunch from 11:30am-12:30pm.

THE RECRUITMENT, SELECTION, EMPLOYMENT AND TRAINING OF APPRENTICES IS WITHOUT DISCRIMINATION BECAUSE OF RACE, COLOR, RELIGION, NATIONAL ORIGIN, OR SEX.

FEMALES AND OTHER MINORITIES ARE ENCOURAGED TO APPLY.