



Outside Line Weekly Safety Message

Accidents and Incidents

March 23rd, 2023

An apprentice was driving a digger truck, with a dump trailer attached. While driving, the trailer was suddenly rear-ended by a sedan. No injuries because of the incident.

March 25th, 2023

Apprentice was driving a bucket truck. While merging onto the freeway, another vehicle collided with the truck causing a minor collision. No injuries because of the incident.

March 28th, 2023

While travelling back to their home location, a crew witnessed a serious motor vehicle incident (MVI). This MVI involved a single, pedestrian vehicle hitting a concrete, center divider head on. The driver was trapped inside the vehicle because of the accident. The IBEW members stopped at the location, and blocked the shoulder and lane where the incident occurred. While at the location, the crew noticed smoke coming from the engine compartment. The crew extinguished the fire using their truck extinguisher. The crew waited until emergency services could arrive at the location. The driver of the car involved was last known in critical condition.

San Diego Electrical Annuity Plan (SDEAP)

If you have any interest in another retirement plan, please contact one of the Business Representatives for the application and plan summary. In addition, you can visit the below website for the applicable forms and summary:

https://569trusts.org/401k-plan/

Bulletin Board

Congratulations to new Local Union 1245 Journeyman Lineman:

Nicholas Crosby Dylan Brownlee Kyle Thorpe Chad Beeson Jordan Patterson

California-Nevada JATC Upcoming Training:

CPR – 4/14/23, 0600 – 1000

First Aid – 4/14/23, 1000 – 1400

OSHA 10 ET&D – TBD

Visit <u>www.calnevjatc.org</u>, under the Web Services tab for more information.

JATC Opening for Lineman 3/27/23 – 4/7/23
See attached document for further details.

Redbook Review

Article 2.21 – Rubber Gloving to 21 kV

- Gloves and sleeves shall be marked with the test date.
- Gloves and sleeves will be changed out on a 90-day cycle from the date they are issued.
- Blankets will be changed out on a 180-day cycle from the date they are issued.
- The shelf life of these items shall not exceed 6 months from the last test date. Rubber goods may be issued up to 6 months after the test date, the change-out cycle begins after issue.
- Any items the employee feels need to be changed out will be done without question, even if it's before the due date.
- Rubber Gloves and sleeves that have been issued once will not be re-issued to another employee until they have been re-tested.

Contract Moment

Article 5.4 – Transfer of Employees

"At least three (3) regular work days' notice shall be given to the Union and the employees

before workers are transferred from one reporting headquarters to another reporting

headquarters. Upon failure to give three (3) days' notice, as stated above, the Employer

shall pay one (1) additional day's subsistence for each day notice is not given, as defined in paragraph 5.2 to the existing shop headquarters. Where such penalty is applicable, it shall be based upon the headquarters from which the employee is being transferred."

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 NEAP/NEBF – (301) 556-4300 MAP – (800) 332-2191 9846 Limonite Avenue Riverside, CA 92509



Phone: 951/685-VOLT (8658) Email: mail@calnevjatc.org

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.

<u>APPLICATION PERIOD</u>: The California-Nevada JATC will accept applications <u>online</u> for 10 days from March 27, 2023 until April 7, 2023. <u>Applications can ONLY be submitted online through our website and will not be available until March 27, 2023</u>. The application must be completed <u>online</u> and ALL required documentation <u>MUST</u> 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 <u>must</u> be uploaded with your application.

To fill out an application, you may visit our website at www.calnevjatc.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.