

## Business Managers Report for November 2018

**Members Out of Work:** Plumbers-22, Fitters- 17, HVAC-1, Apprentices-13  
Members Traveled Out-11

Work has still been kind of stagnant since all the rain hit last month, we get a few in and a few go out. The next phase of Microsoft has already been bid on but none of the contractors have been notified if they awarded the projects yet.

We had the following members apply for the Business Agent position; Doug Begole, Ron Sopchak, Paul Harrison, Gary Gonzales, Murry Hughey, Trino Baltazar, Brian Lopez, John Vanek and Kris Mylius, I want to thank all of them for applying and taking interest in the future of the Local. Clyde and I ask all 9 applicants the same 6 questions and reviewed all their resumes and applications, after many lengthy discussions we agreed on Trino Baltazar as the new Business Agent. Trino will start training on December 3<sup>rd</sup> in order to get him up to speed as Clyde.

I would like to thank Clyde for all the hard work he has done for me and the Local in the past 6 years, lets all give him a round of applause, he has done such a good job we forget we only started this position for 6 years now.

I will be out of town on November 15<sup>th</sup> thru the 17<sup>th</sup> to attend the National Building trades mtg in Las Vegas, Sa Bld. trades will pay for it.

I have a SW Pipe trades meeting on November 27<sup>th</sup> thru the 29<sup>th</sup> in Annapolis Maryland at the UA headquarters, Clyde Lupe Don and I will attend.

Happy Veterans Day for all the vets we have out there, thank you for your service and your courage.

The Christmas party will be held on December 1<sup>st</sup> at the Hyatt Hill Country Resort, you should have received your invitations by now, please RSVP by November 14<sup>th</sup>, if you want to rent a room and if you are attending the party with your significant other.

I hope everyone has a safe and Happy Thanksgiving holiday.

Fraternally,

*Mark Potter*

Business Manager