

# Business Managers Report for November 2025

Members available for work: Plumbers-6, Fitters-9, Apprentices-14, HVAC-0

Members Traveled Out- 33

The month of October we had 77 dispatched out, Southland has announced that they will be expanding capacity in their fabrication shop to keep up with the upcoming demand, they will need to fill 20 booths with Mig welders on 2 shifts.

Muska Companies has become signatory with Local 142, they are a company out of Minnesota that has been awarded the Cosco project in New Braunfels.

We had our industry board meeting October 22<sup>nd</sup> with the contractors, the topic of absenteeism was discussed, please be sure we communicate out on the job sites that unexcused absences are not acceptable.

I attended the 2025 UA-MCAA labor relations conference. The topic of the DATA Center work all around the country, currently there are 400 Data Center projects out in front of us along with pharmaceutical projects, hospital projects and the energy sector projects which are all available for UA members. 216 apprentices attended the conference, Apprentice Mason Kotzur represented local 142 as our future leader, he attended apprenticeship workshops throughout the conference and gained a lot of experience on why it is important for apprentices to aspire to take on leadership roles once they have completed the apprenticeship program.

There is a new feature added to the website, you are now available to sign up for med gas & plumbing continuing Ed. on the [www.local142](http://www.local142) website, you can still call the training department to sign up for continuing ed if you prefer.

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