

Engineers News Local 234



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NOMINATIONS AND ELECTIONS OF OFFICERS

LOCAL 234

You are advised of the nominations and elections of officers for Local 234. which will be held as per the Constitution of the International Union of Operating Engineers, as well as the By-Laws of Local 234. You must be a Member in Good Standing at the time ballots are mailed in order to receive a ballot.

Nominations will be held at District Meetings only, as listed below:

District I – June 26, 2025 at 6:30 P.M. at 4880 Hubbell Avenue, Des Moines

District II – June 19, 2025 at 6:30 P.M. at 1112 29th Avenue S.W., Cedar Rapids

District III – June 12, 2025 at 6:30 P.M. at 418 Pavonia St., Sioux City

Nominations will be for the following offices, for a three-year term beginning September 1, 2025:

President, Vice President, Recording-Corresponding Secretary, Business Manager-Financial Secretary, Treasurer, Guard, Conductor, three Trustees at Large, three Auditors at Large, and three Executive Board Members (one to be elected from each District).

The election will be conducted by mail referendum in the month of August by your Election Committee and a Certified Public Accountant. The Officers will be ceremoniously installed at your semiannual General Membership Meeting on September 27, 2025.



Front Cover: Sister Jenaleah Kroeger attended The Tradeswomen Build Nations (TWBN) Conference in New Orleans, Louisiana from September 27–29, 2024. This conference is the largest gathering of tradeswomen with over 5,000 women who work in every craft in the Building and Construction Trades. Although the percentage of women who work with the tools remains low, TradesWomen Build Nations welcomes women into the trades and offers both new and experienced tradeswomen opportunities for networking, skill building, leadership development and organizing.

BUSINESS MANAGER'S REPORT



Jason Copple
Business Manager
Financial Secretary

With the mild winter we have had, Members were able to finish the 2024 season pretty strong. There were some projects that started late in the season and were able to continue through most of the fall and into the new year.

The changes to unemployment are being talked about at the Capitol again this Legislative session. The Governor has two options out there right now. One is lowering the rate the employers pay into unemployment and the other is keeping the rates the same, but if statewide unemployment goes over a certain percentage workers would be given additional weeks of unemployment benefits until the rate drops below whatever percentage is set. You can be sure the Local is watching what contractors and contractor groups are registering for or against the bill.

I feel like a broken record when it comes to Health & Welfare, but I'd like to stay in this rut. Our Fund remains extremely healthy. Our expenses seem to continue to go up but the Membership's willingness to add to the Fund every contract time has kept us in a very good position. We also need to keep taking advantage of generic drugs and the Doctor-On-Demand program that we have available. We were forced to make some changes to

our Retiree Medicare plan this year because some medical providers are no longer accepting Humana Medicare Advantage. The change we made was to a Wellmark Blue Cross plan that will ultimately offer better coverage and less hassle for our Retirees. There were some issues getting the plans switched because Humana had not informed us about the providers no longer working with them, and therefore we had to ask Wellmark to make the switch happen in 45 days when it typically takes 6 months to do. With that being said if anyone is still having problems please call the Health & Welfare Fund. We cannot correct issues, if we do not know they exist.

Our Apprenticeship & Training Site is continuing to add classes, and our Instructors continue to get more training to be able to offer Members as many training opportunities as possible. The Program has continued to offer classes around the state that can be taught remotely. This works great when there is a project or contractor that requires a number of Members to have certain credentials, and our Instructors are always willing to travel. There was a group of Local 234 Members at the International Training Site earlier this year for Tower Crane training which is something that the training site brings to the table for Local 234. If you need to upgrade your training, or renew a certification, I urge you to contact our Training Site to get scheduled before the work kicks off this spring.

I hope to see everyone at the General Membership meeting on March 29th at 11am, it's always an excellent chance to visit with everyone before the season kicks off.

WEBSITE: LOCAL234.COM

Members only section:

- User Name = your register number
- Password = first initial of first name and entire last name all lower case, no spaces



Brother Derrick Turner operates a dozer for Bowen Engineering at the Wastewater project in Cedar Rapids



Brother William Buck operates a Caterpillar excavator for Mortenson on the data center project in Cedar Rapids



Brother Martin Shea and Brother Chad Flatten drilling holes for Baker Group at the new Kemin Industries project in Des Moines



Brother Joey Nachtman and Brother Dylan Garrett work for Portzen Construction crushing old foundations at Q Casino in Dubuque

JURISDICTION WIDE

The 2025 season is looking to be a busy one for the Members of Local 234. There are several ongoing projects that have kept Members busy through the winter, with more projects set to start this spring. Contractors have already been reaching out to Local 234 about their manpower needs.

As I am writing this, we are currently in negotiations with signatory contractors for our District 2 Building Agreement, which is open for wages, fringes and conditions of employment. Members in all three Districts voted to ratify the proposed Energy, Chemical and Heavy Industrial Agreement which will become effective May 1, 2025. It's important to remember, in order to have a say on the ratification of any proposed Agreement, as well as the breakdown of increases, you must be in good standing to attend the Union meetings. These votes directly affect YOUR paycheck and benefits. We have also been negotiating and voting several of our stationary agreements around the state.

Nick Norton
President
and
Assistant Business
Manager



For all Members that work out of Local 234's jurisdiction, please remember to clear-in with the Local that has jurisdiction over the location that you are wanting to work in BEFORE you travel to the project location. It is very important to ensure you stay in the good graces of our sister Locals. On that same token, if you see a Member from another Local working in OUR jurisdiction, call the agent in the area to make sure the Traveler has properly cleared with us.

We are always looking for more contractors to sign Agreements with Local 234. With construction slowing down through the winter, we have been out meeting with and talking to non-Union contractors and Operators around the state about the benefits of joining the Union team. If you have any leads on potential new contractors or Members, please let us know and we will work to set up meetings with them.

With the spring construction season right around the corner, and our contractors' customers requiring more and more certifications to work on their projects, I urge you to utilize our Training Site to keep certifications up to date and skills sharp.



Brother Lane Bindel operates a JCB 12K forklift for Barnhart at Microsoft DSM41 in Des Moines

MEETING SCHEDULE

General Membership Meeting:
March 29, 2025 at 11:00 a.m.
4880 Hubbell Avenue, Des Moines

District Meetings:

[All Meetings Begin at **6:30 p.m.***]

District I: Des Moines
4th Thursday of Each Month

District II: Cedar Rapids
3rd Thursday of Each Month

District III: Sioux City
2nd Thursday of Each Month

Area Meetings:

[All Meetings Begin at **6:30 p.m.***]

Council Bluffs Area: 2nd Tuesday
March, June, September, December

Dubuque Area: 3rd Wednesday
March, June, September, December

Stationary Meetings:
Sioux City Schools: 3rd Tuesday of
Each Month September through May

All Others: As Scheduled

***NOTE: NEW MEETING START TIME BEGINNING IN APRIL**

Sincerest sympathies go to the families of the Members of 234 for the loss of their loved ones!

<i>Gordon Adkisson</i>	<i>September 29, 2024</i>	<i>25 year Member</i>
<i>Jack Cory</i>	<i>October 26, 2024</i>	<i>50 year Member</i>
<i>Douglas Snyder</i>	<i>November 14, 2024</i>	<i>16 year Member</i>
<i>Earl Cook</i>	<i>November 23, 2024</i>	<i>35 year Member</i>
<i>Edward Hiller</i>	<i>December 29, 2024</i>	<i>54 year Member</i>
<i>Charles Day</i>	<i>January 10, 2025</i>	<i>53 year Member</i>
<i>Harley Howland</i>	<i>February 3, 2025</i>	<i>44 year Member</i>
<i>Lonnie Risher</i>	<i>February 14, 2025</i>	<i>56 year Member</i>

*Hey...You
Yea...You*



Are you jeopardizing your right to make a self-pay for your Health & Welfare insurance?

Are you jeopardizing your unemployment benefits?

You could be if you don't know the out-of-work list rules.

Do you know the rules? Even if you think you do, please read them again!

- 1) You must have your name on the out-of-work list if you are laid off.....EVEN IF you believe you will be returning to work for your previous employer.
- 2) You must check in at least once every 30-days to remain on the list. Your name will be dropped on the 31st day.
- 3) In order to put your name on the out-of-work list you can:
 - Call the Des Moines office – 515-265-1657
 - Email the Des Moines office – office@Local234.com
 - Check-in at the Des Moines office in person
 - Call your Business Rep
 - Log-on to the website (Local234.com) and check-in through the 'Members Only' section
 - Mark 'yes' for the out-of-work list on the sign-in sheet at a Union meeting
- 4) You must be on the out-of-work list in order to make a self-pay for Health & Welfare.
- 5) You must be on the out-of-work list and be a Member in good standing for unemployment benefits. If the unemployment office does an audit on you, and you are not on the list or not in good standing, the office will not lie. This may lead to you having to pay back your unemployment benefits.

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Brother Noah Larson operates a Cat 305.5E mini excavator for McAninch Corporation at the new four-story apartment complex in downtown Des Moines



Brother Mike Petry operates a LR1300 Liebherr for Kiewit at the Rivers Edge Lookout Pier project in Council Bluffs



LET'S CELEBRATE

Local 234 is turning 75!

The Family Picnic at the Training Site will be taking the year off so Local 234's 75th Anniversary can be celebrated in all three Districts (Rain or Shine).

Invites will be sent to all Members in April, but until then, here are the highlights:

*Food, Pop, Beer, Games,
Door Prizes, Inflatables,
Face Painting,
Balloon Twisters &
T-Shirts!*

District I – Sunday, May 4th – Iowa State Fairgrounds in Des Moines

District II – Sunday, May 18th – Hawkeye Downs in Cedar Rapids

District III – Sunday, June 1st – Monona County Fairgrounds in Onawa

The annual assessments of Defense Fund (\$2 per year) and Good Standing Fund (\$1 per year) are due each year on July 1st, which pays your assessments through June 30th of the following year.

Is your address, email address and phone number current with your Union?

If not, drop us a note or call us at
515-265-1657

Local 234 Scholarship Fund

The Scholarship Committee has announced
there will be four (4) Scholarships awarded
in 2025, each for \$5,000.00

For an application, please contact
Local 234 at telephone
number 515-265-1657

All application packets must be received
on or before May 15, 2025.

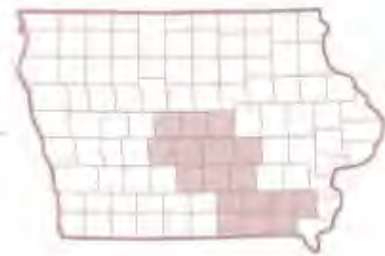
RETIRED

Erwin Sanders	1-1-24
Ronald Burch	1-1-24
Alan Slater	3-1-24
William Little	4-1-24
John Van Beek	4-1-24
Patrick Palmerton	5-1-24
Mark Patten	8-1-24
Greg Klocke	8-1-24
James Spick	9-1-24

Neal Monroe	10-1-24
Mitchell Estey	11-1-24
Dennis Lahey	12-1-24
Kevin Allsup	1-1-25
Greg Anderson	1-1-25
Daniel Law	1-1-25
Dale Shadlow	1-1-25
Michael D. Smith	1-1-25
Jeff Warren	1-1-25
David Schroeder	1-1-25
Jerry Copple	2-1-25

Congratulations!

DISTRICT I & II



Chad Carter
Vice President
&
Business
Representative

International Airport terminal with winter. That project has a completion date of January 2027.

Members have also been busy working on phase 1 of the new DART Operations & Maintenance facility.

A couple of contractors which are signatory with Local 234 have been awarded some nice sewer projects to start off the season. Des Moines Asphalt was also awarded a few nice jobs to kick off their season. Early word is the east side of the state, especially Cedar Rapids, is going to be very busy with new mains and services. It looks like a normal workload for pipeline work at this time. But, if South Dakota gives Summit Carbon Capture their permit, we will see some work kicking off in Iowa. We have received a Project Labor Agreement from Summit Carbon Solutions so our Members will be in those seats.

The Black Hills Energy distribution pipeline contract on the west side of Iowa went to a non-union company from Nebraska (General Excavating\GE). If any Member has Black Hills Energy for their home gas supplier, please let them know of your disappointment with this situation. The rest of our distribution blanket work remains the same.

As we are getting ready for another season, all indicators are pointing at this being a busy one for the Members of Local 234.

On the Stationary side, Members ratified an Agreement with the City of Ames for CyRide in early February, as well as a wage increase with PCM. We have started negotiations for an Agreement with the City of Madrid, and with the City of Ames for an Agreement covering the Ames Power Plant. In April, we will start negotiations with the Iowa Events Center and the Operations group Agreement.

On the H&P side, March started with an outage at OGS (Ottumwa Generating Station) in Chilli-cothe. This outage will last until the middle of May and will employ five to six Operators. Local 234 Members had some decent winter work with a few contractors working at the new Des Moines Fire Station No. 4, which will be finishing up early to mid-spring. There were also a few signatory contractors busy working on the new Des Moines

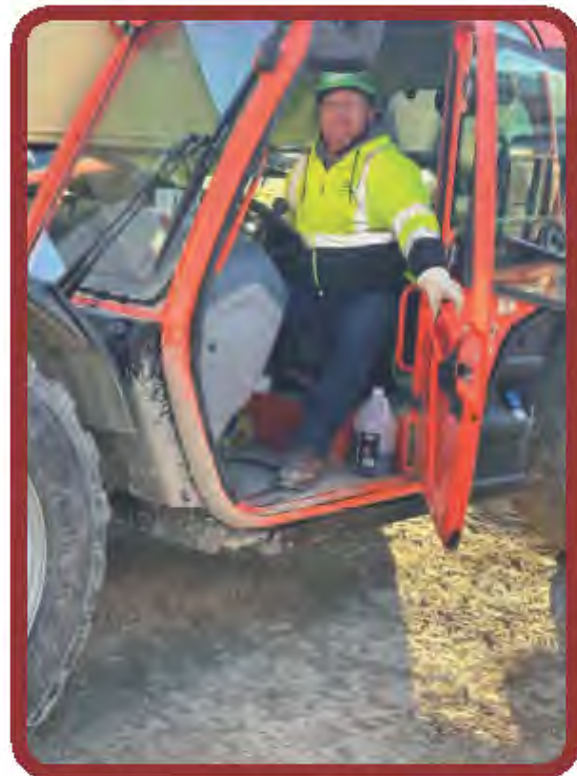


Local 234 Members from left to right: Jon Jensen, Galen Gillespie, Paul Burja and Jesse Young in negotiations for the City of Ames Power Plant



Local 234 Members attend the Hallett wage increase breakdown

Brother Darren Brown operates a 220 Demag AT crane for US Crane & Equipment at the Syngent addition project in Slater



Brother Brian Haltom operates a forklift for Waldinger at the Des Moines Airport terminal project in Des Moines



Brother Austin James operates a forklift for Northwest Steel Erection at the Dart Maintenance Facility project in Des Moines



Brother Jason Sandy operates a Kobelco 275 ton crane for Northwest Steel Erection at the new Dart Maintenance Facility project in Des Moines

DISTRICT II



Brian Vaske
District II Executive Board
&
Business
Representative

clear Plant. There are many hurdles to get over before any work begins on this project, including many inspections and determining if the associated costs are within budget.

The workload for the upcoming 2025 construction season in District II is shaping up to be a busy one. This is especially true in the Cedar Rapids area where there are two data center projects. Mortenson and Dave Schmitt are working on the EWD data center with the foundations being in full swing. The grading will ramp up as spring arrives. Dave Schmitt is also doing pipe on this project. McAninch has started grading on the QTS Data Center. The new casino in Cedar Rapids will be starting in late spring of 2025. Local 234 has recently had a meeting with NextEra regarding the Duane Arnold Nu-

The Dubuque area is also shaping up to have a solid workload this year. There is a lot of work happening at Q Casino, large pump station work, and there will be some large sewer projects and street work coming to bid. Work also continues at the Lansing Bridge. There's also plenty of windfarm work throughout the District II area, with a re-power project in the Iowa Falls area and potential windfarm work in the Tama area.

With a heavy workload anticipated, Local 234 will be looking to add Operators – if you know non-union Operators interested in becoming Union, please have them contact a Business Representative.



Brother Jesse Alexander operates a Caterpillar 150 blade for Mortenson at the data center project in Cedar Rapids

Thank you to Coonrod Wrecker and Crane Service for supplying the cranes for the ground breaking ceremony for the new Casino in Cedar Rapids. Brother Ray Kirsch and Brother Brandt Wieser are the Operators in the picture





Brother Justin Clark operates a vac truck for Dave Schmitt Construction at a project in Cedar Rapids



Brother Ryan Rogers operates a Liebherr LR 1500 crane and Brother Israel Rivera operates a Liebherr RT 1090 crane for Atlas Crane Service on a windmill repair project in rural Delaware County

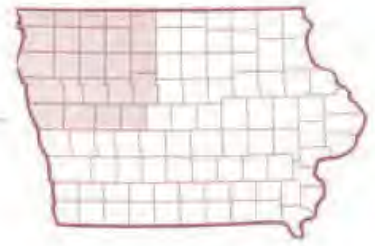


Picture on the left: Brother Nate Lucas, Manager for A-1 Crane, accepted the Alliance for Construction Safe Employer Award for having no lost time accidents



Picture on the right: Brother Tom Flanagan, A-1 Crane and Brother Mitch Mundorf, Tri-State Crane; received the Labor Management Award from A.C.E.

DISTRICT III



Spencer Yockey
Business
Representative

Emerson Crane is working on wind turbine maintenance near Schaller and Blairsburg. Both Wilkerson Crane and Crane Services, Inc. have been hiring more Operators recently for upcoming wind work. New wind turbine erection looks to be good for this season along with repower projects in the state. National Mineral Corp continues work at the powerhouses in Council Bluffs and Salix. Patriot Crane is on both sites as well.

Sioux City Schools is the only Stationary group open for negotiations this year that I handle. At this point, unfortunately, I have nothing to report as negotiations are continuing.

DM Steel and W.A. Klinger have both kept busy in the District III area with several projects, including the Gelita expansion and the Royal Canin. The crane rental contractors are semi-slow currently due to the weather, which is normal this time of year. Ames Construction started on the railroad bridge over the Big Sioux River in late January. The job was shut down, due to weather, causing a late February start date, but living in Iowa that is occasionally just the name of the game.



Local 234 Members working for National Minerals Corporation at the Salix Powerhouse project from left to right: Shane Andersen, Liz Montanez, Matt Thompson, Shain Hanks, Luke Johnson and Brother Will Prittie who is working for Patriot Overhead Crane, also at the Salix Powerhouse project



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MEETINGS

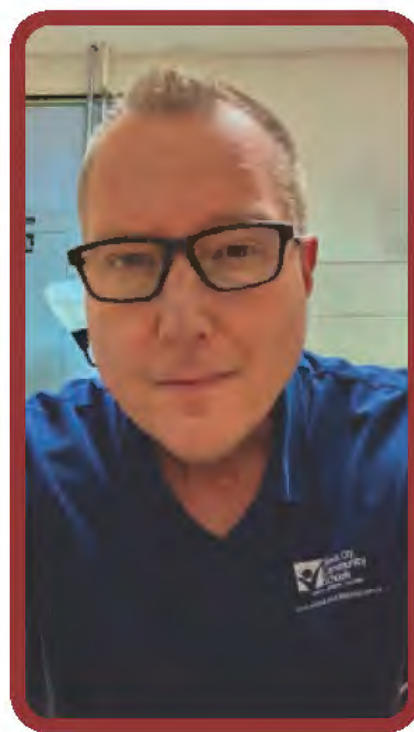
Time Change Notice

**Beginning APRIL 2025
All District wide
meetings will now start
at 6:30 p.m.**





Sioux City Schools Local 234 Members from left to right: Ed Olson, Steve Hammer and Jim Navrkal



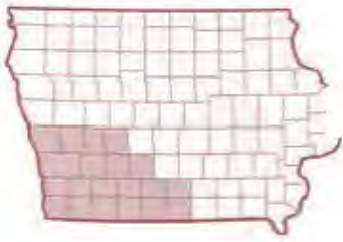
Sioux City Schools Union Steward
Brother Joe Marksberry



Brother Gage Sears and Brother Jeremy Buckholtz
working for Klinger at the Gelitia Expansion in
Seargent Bluff

Union Fusion

Register and login to access your personal Union records
at iuoe234.unionfusion.net/auth/register
Call the office at 515-265-1657 with any questions.



DISTRICT I & III

In the Council Bluffs area, the SLN/Google project continues to provide steady work for

Local 234 Members. While Building 4 has been completed and turned over to Google, work on Buildings 5 and 6 continue. There are talks of adding two more buildings (Buildings 7 and 8), which would start at a later date. Topping Out is working at the Rivers Edge Activity Project, and Kiewit is working on the Rivers Edge Lookout Pier Project. Nicholson Construction also has a short project in the Council Bluffs area.

Atlas Crane remains busy with wind tower maintenance work, with several Local 234 Operators working in Iowa and surrounding states. Landwehr is also doing some wind maintenance in Iowa and has been calling for 234 Operators. At the Creston IPL Solar Farm there is some remaining battery storage project work left to complete when the weather warms up.

Local 234 has been negotiating stationary contracts around the state. There were three wage openers for the units that I cover. Two that are finished are City of Chariton and the City of Atlantic.

Trevor Bindel
Business
Representative



There is also a wage opener for Iowa Western Community College that will be completed when their state funding is settled. A new company was awarded the contract covering building maintenance work at the federal buildings in Des Moines. Local 234 successfully reached a "bridge" Agreement with that company. This allows us to retain most of the work that our Members perform, as well as adding four new job classifications, at the three buildings.

There have been reports of a lot of work already scheduled for the upcoming work season around the state, as well as potential work that is yet to be scheduled. Going to the Training Site to brush up and learn new skills, renew and add certifications will boost your job possibilities. Please remember to stay on the out-of-work list if you are not currently working.



Brother Chris Crane operates a Kobelco CK 1000 for Topping Out at the Rivers Edge Activity Complex project in Council Bluffs



Brother Jeff Failla operates a CAT rubber tire loader for Kiewit at the Rivers Edge Lookout Pier project in Council Bluffs

ORGANIZER

Over the past few months I've continued to learn and grow in my role as an Organizer. I've gained valuable experience attending high school job fairs, where we introduced students to career paths other than college or trade school. These events allow us to highlight the benefits of Union Membership.

I also participated in my first informational bannering alongside Business Representative Trevor Bindel at a jobsite in Council Bluffs. It was a great learning experience, and while the work was short-lived, it showed firsthand how effective bannering can be in securing jobs for our Members. Our efforts were successful and resulted in a contractor choosing to become signatory to a Local 234 Agreement.

A primary organizing focus has been Union mechanical contractors that subcontract Operator work to non-union contractors. I provide them with a list of our signatory contractors that they could hire to do the work. One such mechanical contractor, which has upcoming work this spring at the data center in Council Bluffs, has indicated they will use one of our signatory contractors. If you're on a jobsite and see Union contractors subcontracting Operator's work to non-union companies, please

Chad Small
District III Executive Board
&
Organizer



inform your Business Representative.

Lately, I have been spending a lot of time in District 2, preparing for a busy work season. I have been visiting job sites to recruit skilled non-union Operators and stopping by non-union offices and shops to build relationships and explore opportunities for adding Members and signatory contractors.

A recent highlight was working with Business Representative Brian Vaske to sign Quality Excavating out of Marion to an Owner-Operator Agreement and District 2 Building Agreement. This directional drilling, trenching and excavation company should be a great addition to our Local.

If you know someone interested in joining Local 234, encourage them to reach out to me or any Business Representative. We're always looking for skilled Operating Engineers ready to build a strong future.

Brother Steve Kramper operates a Link-Belt 86110 truck crane and Brother Mike Britton operates a Skyjack SJ1256 telehandler setting precast for DM Steel at the Gelita project located at Port Neal.



Quality Excavating Owner/Operator Brother Joe Kruser operates a Vermeer RTX 550 trencher at the new data center in Cedar Rapids

OFFICE & FINANCE



Tracy Petersen
Treasurer
&
Office Manager

The office staff continues to work on customizing the new Membership platform that is now about 1 ½

years old. About the time we think we have everything the way we want it, we think of other things that could be added or tweaked to make things better for either the administrative side of things or for the Membership. One of the things that we are working on is automated text messages. This would allow the staff to send our mass text messages to Members for meeting reminders, or other important notifications such as when a fellow Member passes away. We absolutely do not want to bother anyone with text messages if they are not interested in receiving them, so we will be asking Members to sign-up for the text notifications. This makes the entire undertaking a little more challenging, but we will get there – thus creating a more personalized service.

I urge each Member to begin using this platform, which is called Union Fusion, to access their personal Union records. In order to do so, go to:

iuoe234.unionfusion.net/auth/register (do NOT add www. in front). You will be asked to verify several facts about yourself that the system already knows. Once you verify all things correctly, you will be asked to create your own password. If you have any troubles, please call the Des Moines office for help.

We are also open to new ideas. If you have an idea to make this platform work better for the members, please reach out.

The Local was notified by the Central Pension Fund that effective April 1, 2025 there will be an increase in the accrual rate for all hours worked from February 1, 2023 through January 31, 2025. The increase will be from the previous rate of 1.75% to 2%. When the Local received this news, it created some questions regarding Members that may have retired or started the pension application process during this time period. We were told by the CPF that anyone that was eligible to receive benefits based on work performed during the above-mentioned time period, would receive the increase. If you have questions about this matter, please call our office for clarification. If we don't have the correct answer, we will get it for you.

HEALTH & WELFARE FUND

Members are encouraged to call Health & Welfare anytime to verify reported hours for insurance eligibility to avoid a lapse in coverage.

If you are thinking about retirement, you may be entitled to continue your health coverage after retirement. Contact Health & Welfare for an estimated cost of your monthly insurance self-payment.

Anytime you work outside the state of Iowa, make sure to complete a reciprocity form with that Local to ensure your Health and Welfare funds are transferred back to your home Local.

(515) 207-3875 EXTENSION 5600 or 5658

CONTACT HEALTH AND WELFARE ANYTIME YOU HAVE A CHANGE OF ADDRESS; DROP OR ADD A DEPENDENT; GET MARRIED OR DIVORCED.

APPRENTICESHIP & TRAINING

The Apprenticeship Program continues to have a good number of Apprentices. 2025 appears to have a strong workload coming that will keep them all busy. We actively recruit new Apprentices throughout the year, and high school career fairs are one way we do that. There are several large high school career fairs coming up this spring around the state in which we will participate.

With the lack of snow and milder than normal winter temperatures so far, the winter training season has went well. It has really helped with the field training for Apprentices and Journeypersons alike. Hopefully, the weather continues to cooperate not only to help field training here onsite, but so that Members can get back to work early this spring.

This winter we have seen an increase in Members attending OSHA 10 or OSHA 30 and First Aid/CPR courses. I believe it's primarily because more contractors and project owners are requiring those course completions before starting work. I would like to stress the importance of keeping those cer-

Ryan Hollinrake
Recording Corresponding
Secretary
&
Apprenticeship
Coordinator



tifications up-to-date. Now is the time to look over your certifications and make sure you are ready for work.

As the scheduled training courses are winding down for this training season, one important thing to remember is that the Site is open year-round for Members. It is your Site and your Training Program to use. Please contact us to schedule any hands-on training that you need or want on an individual basis. The time you spend training on equipment you do not typically operator is an investment in yourself, which translates into expanded opportunities every work season going forward.



Apprentices training on dirt equipment
at the Local 234 Training Site

Local 234 Members taking a tower crane class
at the IUOE Training Site in Crosby, Texas



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Manager—515-265-1657

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District I & II—

Chad Carter, Business
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Moines, Mason City, Ottumwa
Des Moines—515-265-1657

District II—

Brian Vaske, Business
Representative—Cedar
Rapids, Iowa City, Dubuque,
Waterloo

Cedar Rapids— 319-396-2050
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Spencer Yockey, Business
Representative—Sioux City,
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District I & III—

Trevor Bindel, Business
Representative—Council Bluffs
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