

NEWSLETTER – JULY 2023




UA Local 364

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LOCAL 364 UNION MEETINGS

Local 364 Union Meetings are in-person. The hall doors will open at 5:00 pm. Dinner will be served. Union Meetings are held on the third Thursday of each month at 6:00 pm unless cancelled or *rescheduled due to a schedule conflict. Upcoming meeting dates:

July 20, 2023	6:00 pm
August 17, 2023	6:00 pm
September 21, 2023	6:00 pm
*October 12, 2023	6:00 pm
November 16, 2023	6:00 pm
December 21, 2023	CANCELLED

JOB OUTLOOK

We have several jobs underway in our area, and more jobs on the horizon ready to break. As of now the current projects are as follows:

- UCR Riverside Plant Growth Center – ACCO has five (5) onsite. They will be looking to add two (2) or three (3) fitters next month.
- Moreno Valley – ACCO has two (2) plumbers onsite and will be looking to add an additional three (3) or four (4) more plumbers within the next two months.
- Bonnie Elementary School in Highland – ACCO has five (5) fitters onsite. No additional manpower required.
- San Bernardino Valley College – Valley Industrial Mechanical has six (6) plumbers onsite. They will be looking to add one (1) or two (2) more plumbers in the coming weeks.

- San Bernardino High School – Valley Industrial Mechanical is moving right along with five (5) hands onsite.

- Bachelor Hall UCR Riverside – Xcel Mechanical has six (6) fitters onsite.

- Indio Courthouse – ACCO has two (2) journeymen plumbers onsite. They will need one (1) additional journeyman plumber and one (1) apprentice as well as one (1) journeyman fitter and one (1) apprentice around January 2024.

- Control Air has the plumbing and pipefitting on UCR School of Business Building. They will need five (5) plumbers and five (5) fitters by the end of October and they will be needing an additional four (4) or five (5) plumbers and fitters at the beginning of 2024.

- ACCO has a new cogeneration plant starting up at Fort Irwin. They will start hiring between September and October, the peak manpower will be about fifteen (15).

- Kaiser MOB Wildomar – Control Air has six (6) hands onsite. They should hire one (1) or two (2) more hands in the coming weeks.

- Inland Valley Hospital – Murray Co will begin hiring and moving 364 members back from San Diego within two weeks.

- Inland Valley Hospital – UMEC is currently running a small crew and will start hiring within three weeks.

Local 364 upcoming tilt-up agreements now total 33, with \$9.6 million in work and 61 million square feet of building coming up. We have other projects on the radar and will report on them as they get closer. Travel opportunities are also abundant. Contact one of the Business Agents if you are interested in traveling for work.

WAGE ALLOCATION

Hot Side

Option 3 passed with a total of 15 votes.
Effective September 1, 2023

H&W	\$0.00
V&H	\$0.10
PENSION	\$0.10
A&J	\$0.15
PIPE	\$0.10
WAGE	\$1.90
TOTAL	\$2.35

Cold Side

Option 1 passed with a total of 11 votes.
Effective September 4, 2023

H&W	\$0.25
401a PENSION	\$0.25
JJATC	\$0.20
PIPE	\$0.10
WAGE	\$1.35
TOTAL	\$2.15

JOURNEYMEN UPGRADE TRAINING (JUT)

Less than 40 days for the 2022/2023 JUT year. 16 hours are due by August 31, 2023.

Members working outside of D.C.16 and return to D.C. 16 on or after September 1st, will have a ninety (90) day period to complete their hours. Members working outside of D.C. 16 for 6 months and 1 day or more within a JUT year (Sept 1 – Aug 31) will be exempt from JUT training for that JUT year only. If you believe you should be exempt for the current JUT year, please contact the hall.

For any Journey Worker not current, hours will be applied based on delinquent JUT year upon completion. To register for classes please visit the A&J website at www.ajtraining.org or call (310) 604-0892.

Year	Start Date	Due Date	Hours	Carry Over Hours Allowed
2020	9-1-2019	1-1-2021	10	8
2021	9-1-2020	8-31-2021	16	8
2022	9-1-2021	8-31-2022	16	8
2023	9-1-2022	8-31-2023	16	8
2024	9-1-2023	8-31-2024	16	8
2025	9-1-2024	8-31-2025	16	8
2026	9-1-2025	8-31-2026	16	8

2023 HOLIDAY GATHERING

Local 364 will be having a holiday gathering on Friday, December 15, 2023, from 5:00 pm – 10:00 pm in the auditorium. There will be food, non-alcoholic beverages, and door prizes. **Absolutely no alcohol allowed.** This gathering will be for Local 364 members ONLY. Everyone will receive 10 free raffle tickets and if you bring in an unwrapped toy for Toys for Tots, Ronald McDonald House or CalFire Children’s Fund, you will get an additional 10 tickets. More tickets can be purchased for \$1.00 each. At the end of the evening there will be a 50/50 drawing.

RETIREE LUNCHEON



Retirees, please join us for lunch and raffle prizes on the following dates:

August 30, 2023	12 PM – 2 PM
December 6, 2023	12 PM – 2 PM

POLITICAL ACTION

We are entering election season this year fully engaged in our local elections. As delegates to the Inland Empire Labor Council, Local 364 will be involved with Candidate interviews and deciding who we will endorse this season. As a Local we will now hold off any current endorsements until the Inland Empire Labor Council releases its recommendation and will follow suit. All the Unions within the Labor Council will endorse together, and this gives us strength. A complete list of Endorsees will be available in mid-October.

We are currently restructuring our Political Action Committee and need volunteers to get involved with the Labor movement. We need volunteers to attend City Council and Planning Commission meetings in your local area and be involved with making decisions about local candidates. This is an opportunity to get involved! If you are interested, please contact Business Agent John Sisley Sr. or the hall.

LOCAL 364 OFFICERS

Local 364 would like to take this opportunity to introduce you to the newly elected Local 364 Officers. We would also like to thank the previous Officers for their time and dedication to Local 364.

Joe Raymond	Business Manager
Tracy Gipson	President
TJ Norby	Vice President
Courtney Dotimas	Recording Secretary
Brian Dunbar	Inside Guard
John Schroeder	E-Board Committee
Joe “BB” Vazquez	E-Board Committee
Tim Taber	E-Board Committee
Nick Peterson	E-Board Committee
Todd Marsh	Finance Committee
Ruben Hernandez	Finance Committee
Brandon Burton	Finance Committee
John Sisley Sr	Exam Committee
Jason Shefts	Exam Committee
Don Seeger	Exam Committee
John Sisley Sr.	DC 16 Delegate
Tracy Gipson	DC 16 Delegate

DEPARTED MEMBERS

Ira Berry..... 06/05/2023
 Phil Capul.....03/24/2023
 Richard Guerrero.....07/07/2023
 Kevin Quinn.....04/05/2023
 Thomas Smillie.....04/11/2023

On behalf of UA Local 364 Staff and Officers, we would like to extend our deepest sympathy to the families of our departed members.

DONATION

Fellow Brothers and Sisters, Local 364 HVAC member Engelberto “QB” Garcia-Jimenez was diagnosed with advanced stage 4 cancer and is currently receiving chemo treatments. Please consider donating to help “QB” and his family to get through this difficult time.

All donations will go towards mounting medical bills and living expenses. At this time, we are asking for any support anyone would be willing to donate.

To donate go to <https://gofund.me/906db005> or search for Support QB’s fight against Cancer on GoFundMe.

