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!!NOTICE!!

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Sisters and Brothers,

In light of the Coronavirus (COVID-19) outbreak and the high infection rate associated with it, Laborers' International Union of North America (LiUNA), Local 942 is closing to public and member foot traffic for the next three (3) months, reserving the right to re-address or extend if necessary.

If a member needs to see an Agent, an appointment may be made. These meetings must be kept to an "as needed" basis to protect the health of staff and members.

This decision was supported by the Alaska District Council of Laborers, our Northwest Regional Vice President, Bob Abbott, and International-General President, Terry O'Sullivan. This determination is not made lightly, and we must and will do everything possible to protect our members, their families, and the most vulnerable in our community during this time.

Starting immediately, Local 942 will remain closed for general access. The following new practices will be implemented:

- 1) For dues and fees, all members and Hiring Hall applicants may pay online or over the phone. **No in-person payments will be accepted.**
- 2) **Registration and re-registration may be done via phone, email or fax** for all members and Hiring Hall applicants. Re-registration must still be completed every ninety (90) days.
- 3) All calls during this time will be done through a strict Referral process, by phone, utilizing the appropriate registration list. Calls will be filled in descending order according to list and qualifications. If a member refuses a call, they shall retain their position on the list. The member must still maintain their number through re-registration.

These may seem like drastic measures; however, the President of the United States has issued an order to refrain from gatherings of ten (10) or more people. The International-General President has made a recommendation to take these steps and Local 942 wishes to be a good steward of the community. This decision was made to help mitigate unnecessary movements throughout the community during this time, which only exacerbates the problem.

Please call with any questions, Local 942 will remain fully staffed to process member needs, complaints and grievances.

Fraternally yours,

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