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Looking Ahead and Paying it Forward-The Legacy of Giving

Brothers and Sisters,

The applications are in, the reviewing is completed and the winners have been selected! As we've finished the first ever IBEW 2213 Scholarships, what we hope will be a long-standing tradition of giving has just begun.

When I presented the idea of creating a scholarship to the board of executives, I saw it was an opportunity to give back to those who have given the most-you, our members. Your dedication to what you do every day and the way in which you do it as strong, proud members of IBEW 2213 doesn't go unnoticed. You may not realize it. However, as union members you are leaving an indelible imprint on those around us today as well as future generations to come. The essays we received from this year's applicants couldn't have spoken to that any clearer.

Each applicant in his or her unique and impressive way conveyed a common message-unions matter, union parents make a difference, and both hugely affect the lives of others in the most positive ways.

As I stated earlier this is just the beginning. In total there were 6 applications across the bargaining unit- 1 in Central (North/South); 2 in Northeast; 3 in Western. In Northeast and Western, where the number of applicants exceeded the number of allotted scholarships, winners were selected through a random drawing. While we're excited to have received these applications, we're looking forward to an even greater number next year. We want to ensure that all who are eligible have a chance at winning a scholarship.

The recipients of the first annual IBEW 2213 Scholarship are Claire Fisher (Central); Brian Serian (Northeast); Gabriella Petricca (Western); Massimo Daniels (Western). Congratulations to them all! In the coming weeks, look forward to learning more about each one and enjoy reading their essays in the IBEW 2213 Newsletter.

And, to all of our college students, I wish you all the best as you pursue your academic goals.

In Unity, Barb Carson



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