**President/Business Manager’s Report**

**Barb Carson**

Now that our contract has been ratified, our raises went into effect and we received the ratification bonus, the next step is to hammer out the remaining details. On August 9 we held a Work Issues Committee meeting and asked about the CSSC returning old towers, furniture reimbursement and such. Verizon's Labor Relations team is working on these issues and will come up with a process that will be administered uniformly throughout the entire region.

Parents of college kids - save your book receipts! The NY/NE Regional Work and Family Committee will have the guidelines in place soon for the $600 reimbursement. As soon as I know more I'll share it with you.

Please continue to follow us on Social Media, attend our monthly meetings and stay informed.

In Solidarity,

Barb