**WEEKLY STEWARDS REPORT**

Wednesday, February 22, 2017

**MEETING-** The next regularly scheduled meeting will be held on **Tuesday, March 14** at the UAW 647 Union Hall, located at 10020 Reading Road, Evendale, Ohio. The 2nd shift will meet at 1:00PM, 1st and 3rd shifts meet at 3:30PM

* **RIGHT-TO-WORK LAWS INTRODUCED –** Ohio State Rep. John Becker, a Clermont County Republican, introduced House Bill 53, which attempts to bring a Right-to-work law to Ohio. National Right-to-Work legislation has been drafted by Congressmen Steve King (Iowa) and Joe Wilson (South Carolina). It is important to call your legislators and tell them that you oppose such laws before they can gain any inertia.

* **RETIREES AGAINST GE HEALTH CARE COSTS** – On Wednesday, April 26, GE Retirees will be holding a rally to oppose rising costs for their health care. It will tentatively be held near the fitness center. Exact time and location will be posted in the near future.
* **SPO -** The two open positions for 3rd shift SPO mechanics have been filled.
* **JOS AND ETR INFORMATION –** As you know, the JOS system has replaced the old SNU system. In order to be considered for upgrades, you MUST have your résumé updated in
* **GOLDA’S STORY –** This video is the moving story of one of our members, Brother Josh Gilkison. It’s about his wife and family’s battle with chronic heart failure. Please type <https://vimeo.com/163328357?ref=em-share> – or you can use the link, which will be placed on our website.
* **OPEN POSITIONS –** For internal hourly employees, we have (2) License Stationary Engineers open for bids, (1) Fire Inspector open for bids, (1) Electrical Maintenance open for bids, and (1) Industrial Mechanic (Garage) open for bids.  These jobs will be closing on Friday, Feb. 24. For job description and qualifications, please login to JOS. If assistance is needed, please come to Hourly Staffing Office and ask for Betsy or Nancy.
* **RETIREMENT** – Ken Gough is retiring at the end of February. They will be having a party and cake for him in his shop at Col. G5, Bldg. 800, next Monday, Feb. 27 at 11:45 AM.

Respectfully submitted,

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