

January 2022

**Teamsters Hall
01/10/2022 09:01**

Open meeting with due form.

Motion to suspended reading of previous minutes by Joel Leaders 2nd by Matt McCollough 7-0 in favor

BLE 183 Report:

RE51: 21 turns on, calls for 21.0

RE10: 13 turns on, calls for 12.86

BLE 699 Report :

RE56: 8 turns on calls for 5.13-7.85 will leave at 8 for now

Legislative:

No report

New Members:

none

Financial Report:

4264.77 and 80 members.

Motion to accept financial report by Brian McCoy 2nd Tom Caudillo 8-0 in favor

Unfinished Business:

If you EMS and chose it worked well from the drop down menu, make sure you put some sort of comments in. Make sure you ALWAYS put comments in if you do any reporting for EMS or it is considered a violation.

New Business:

New officers in place as of Jan 10th

The union lost the case for points being assessed for laying off. Arbitrator did not agree it was a form of discipline without representation

Keep putting claims in for being denied compensated time off

New PL day agreement is not going to take effect this year, we will not get new PL days Aug 1st. It was too late to adjust for PL days earned for 2021. New PL agreement will take effect 2023

If you extend your vacation, you will not get the additional 8hrs rest when you mark up

2hr call agreement was delayed. It is supposed to go into effect on Jan 11th. 2hr call everywhere.

Sioux City pool is not part of vacancy procedure for make wholes until CMS has to go to manual intervention (any warm body they can get)

In pool Sadie moves may be made backwards with no penalty. Moving forward will cost you a turn. It doesn't matter where you are on the board, but, you must stay in that place for 30 days unless you are awarded a job by application. They still can only be made between Mon and Thurs.

Brian McCoy made a motion to move vacation awards to Mondays at noon to allow winning bidders more time to make plans if they are awarded the vacation. This also allows Dwight more time to make the moves if he's working when the bids come down. 2nd by Matt McCollough. 7-1 in favor. The current week of bidding will be skipped and the new bids will come down on Jan 17th.

If you lose heat in your lead locomotive, stop and do what you need to do to stay warm. This could be going back to other units or stopping at the nearest depot and going in and warming up. If you have no other options, stop and call 911 on your cell phone as you would in any other emergency.

Recently passed away:

Sick and Injured:

Rob Smith
Justin Nickell
Kelly Nesmith
Chris Behrens

Motion to suspend reading the minutes by Mike Brown 2nd Brian McCoy, 8-0 in favor

Meeting adjourned 10:26

February 2022

Teamsters Hall
012/12/2022 09:01

Open meeting with due form.

Motion to suspended reading of previous minutes by Dave Winchester 2nd by Joel Leaders 3-1 in favor

BLE 183 Report:

RE51: 25 turns on, calls for 24.0 cutting 1

RE10: 11 turns on, calls for 9.78 cutting 1

BLE 699 Report:

RE56: 10 turns on calls for 7.18-11.06 will leave as is

Legislative:

No report

New Members:

none

Financial Report:

4272.45 and 80 members.

Motion to accept financial report by Brian McCoy 2nd Rob Kennedy 6-0 in favor

Unfinished Business:

Vacancy procedures are being finalized, 2' call in OMC only

New Business:

L/C meeting on Jan 20th

BN was allowed strike authorization by National because President Pierce saw it as a major dispute. Not sure why our attendance policy is viewed differently.

Northern region says we have a 250 employee shortfall, trying to hire

15 new coal sets coming this month, not sure how many will affect us

EMS compliance is still lacking. Make sure you are using it to the fullest extent. Carrier is wanting to MAPS for any non-compliance at all.

Service unit told Dwight they will give one coaching before MAPS

If you have EMS issues and run out of time, make sure put info in next time you go to work.

The new fuel gage you see on the employee site is keeping track of fuel use including units you put on line. Also tracks EMS compliance. You will be penalized for unauthorized engine usage and get credit for EMS usage.

WE asked for peer trainers to help out with Zebra devices, the carrier wasn't interested. Eventually depot computers will mirror the Zebra devices. Discussed making a list of people who want to take make wholes to reduce calling multiple times. If you get on such a list you would be required to take the call regardless of how many times out you are.

L/C Zahnow is going to talk to the carrier about having 6 hours between calls for make wholes. Carrier can call once for a make whole and not again for 6 hours unless its for your turn.

MYO Jerry Korisko passed away from a heart attack on his way home from work.

Keep putting ratio board claims in. Brother McCoy feels we will eventually win these claims.

Recently passed away:

Sick and Injured:

Rob Smith
Justin Nickell
Kelly Nesmith
Chris Behrens

Motion to suspend reading the minutes by Joel Leaders 2nd Rob Kennedy, 6-0 in favor

Meeting adjourned 10:11

**March 2022
Teamsters Hall
03/14/22 09:00**

Open meeting with due form.

Motion to suspended reading of previous minutes by Joel Leaders 2nd by Mike Brown 8-0 in favor

BLE 183 Report:

RE51: 27 turns on, calls for 26.75

RE10: 10 turns on, calls for 9.4

2nd's are 10 behind in Mo Valley and 5 behind in Fremont, even in NP

BLE 699 Report :

RE56: 8 turns on calls for 6.3-10.61

Legislative:

No report

New Members:

none

Financial Report:

4082.26 and 80 members.

Motion to accept financial report by Jeff Sichta 2nd Brian McCoy 9-0 in favor

Unfinished Business:

Put claims in for compensated time being denied

Vacancy procedure should be completed in next week or 2, waiting on labor relations

New Business:

Talking with Harriman about holding calls for up to 45 min to get proper crews on trains

There have been no meetings to eliminate Fremont pool. Carrier decides where pools go on duty

GM Brooks would like us to get involved with TSC

Claim rule 92.4 for first out cutback engineer if the extra board is cut when adding to the pool. Oldest cutback engineer has a claim for not being added out. Claim is one basic day for each day not added out.

Rule 106 f. If a turn has its miles in for the month that turn is supposed to be able to lay off miles. If you are denied laying off miles it's a basic day claim.

Both crew members involved in the crossing accident in Denison were taken to the hospital, not sure on their condition

L/C Zahnow is trying to get us help with the Zebra devices, everyone is having issues, especially tying up.

It might be a good idea for extra board to start requesting vans to get the Carrier's attention about the Zebra issues

When filing time claims, once the claim has been denied by the RR you don't have to resubmit it. Just go the BLETED website and submit the declination, it will be progressed from there.

MTO Steve Kirby has moved from Sioux City, no idea who his replacement is. Supposed to be adding an mvnpn on a regular basis.

2' call should be in place in NP in the next week

Recently passed away:

Keith Clark

Sick and Injured:

Brian Wood

Rob Smith

Justin Nickell

Kelly Nesmith

Chris Behrens

Motion to suspend reading the minutes by Rob Kennedy 2nd Joel Leaders, 9-0 in favor

Meeting adjourned 10:00

**April 2022
Teamsters Hall
04/11/22 09:00**

Open meeting with due form.

Motion to suspended reading of previous minutes by Dave Winchester 2nd by Rob Kennedy 8-0 in favor

BLE 183 Report:

RE51: 26 turns on, calls for 24.72- 26.75 mid 25.61

RE10: 10 turns on, calls for 9.4-10.75 mid 10.34

2nd's were 2 behind on Friday behind 8 today

BLE 699 Report :

RE56:10 turns on calls for 8.36-14.64

Legislative:

No report

New Members:

none

Financial Report:

4217.81 and 79 members.

Motion to accept financial report by Rob Kennedy 2nd Brian McCoy 8-0 in favor

Unfinished Business:

Supposed to be meeting about TSC, company keeps rescheduling

ISS is getting much better in helping with Zebra issues

Still trying to get carrier to set up geofences around hotels-not happening yet

Engineers are supposed to be getting a 2' call in North Platte

Really need to be taking vans as opposed to driving personal vehicles. Option 60 will be going away and the carrier is adamant you will tie up at on duty location

Rob Kennedy made a motion to raise L/C pay \$1 per member-2nd by Joel Leaders 7-1 in favor. Will be discussed 2 more meetings than voted on

New Business:

Our local loses about \$70 per month more than it takes in. We would like to stay in the black. Discussion about a one time assessment or increasing dues a few dollars a month. Dave Winchester made a motion to raise monthly dues \$5, 2nd by Brian Held. 6-1 in favor. 2 more meetings to discuss than vote

Discussing canceling 1992 split vacation agreement to eliminate burn clause. Would have to go through entire Eastern district and General Chairman. Brian McCoy made motion to cancel 1992 split vacation agreement, 2nd Dave Winchester. 8-0 in favor

Supt bulletin #83 sec f says if you are called to dh separate and apart you will tie up and be put back on duty for service. When protecting outlying jobs(Columbus, Gi, Fremont etc.) tie up and call CMS to be put back on duty.

We have a Peer Trainer agreement stating how many days a week and rate of pay. It is a selected job and not based on seniority. Matt Schumacher should be bidding annually for his Red Block position and assigned by the L/C. He is currently being paid engineer Peer Trainer rate but is paying Smart dues. We feel if he is being paid as an engineer Peer Trainer he should be paying our dues.

Brian Held made a motion to rebid the Red Block position. 2nd by Terry Pittman, 7-0 in favor

Our meeting hall is going to be unavailable starting in June for 3 months, looking for ideas for a meeting space.

Be vigilant about your train speeds due to manifest cars being put on nearly every train.

Dwight is going to look into changing relief yard job from protecting afternoon off days to covering the ycb45 off days.

Recently passed away:

Sick and Injured:

John Johnson
Rob Smith
Justin Nickell
Kelly Nesmith
Chris Behrens
Kris Everson
Louis Prescott

Motion to suspend reading the minutes by Joel Leaders 2nd Tom Caudillo, 6-2 in favor

Meeting adjourned 10:40

**May 2022
Teamsters Hall
05/09/22 09:01**

Open meeting with due form.

Motion to suspended reading of previous minutes by Brian McCoy 2nd by Rob Kennedy 5-1 in favor

BLE 183 Report:

RE51: 24 turns on 23.48-25.22 mid of 24.32

RE10: 11 turns on 10.84-11.71 mid of 11.27

BLE 699 Report:

RE56: 9 turns on calls for 6.3-11.48

Legislative:

No report

New Members:

none

Financial Report:

4087.00 and 77 members.

Motion to accept financial report by Brian Held 2nd Jeff Mimick 6-0 in favor

Unfinished Business:

Azzarillo thinks the jobs the afternoon relief job covers can be re bulletined to the different shifts discussed in prior months meeting

Matt Schumacher is currently trying to renew his engineer's license so he is eligible to hold his peer trainer job

June meeting will be held at Bellevue Rod and Gun Club at 1801 La Platte Rd. Thanks Mike Brown

The motion made to raise L/C pay \$1 per member and raise monthly dues by \$5 per member has been clarified to \$5 total. \$1 to L/C and \$4 to local.

Jeff Mimick makes motion to change the \$1 per member to \$2 and \$3 to local. 2Nd by Dave Winchester.

Because of the change to L/C pay this was the first vote on Mimick's motion.

2nd vote on \$5 dues increase

New Business:

Jeremy Thompson's son has a rare bone cancer. There's a benefit on June 4th, flyers with details should be posted in depot's

We are setting up a PayPal account for donations', link will be on the Eastern District page

We can't regulate our boards on whether or not North Platte has crews

Annual golf tourney is on June 9th

When tying up on hours of service the time you get off the train or in a van is your relieved time according to the FRA. If you run out of time on the train, whether it's secured or not, its an hours of service violation. Fill out an hours of service form on the Eastern District's website

If you put in a claim for having a compensated day denied, you don't need a screenshot of anything. Just file the claim and turn the denied claim in on the Eastern District website

There are still problems with the Zebra device, do what you can and call ISS for help

Recently passed away:

None

Sick or injured:

Kris Everson

Rob Smith

Justin Nickell

Kelly Nesmith

Chris Behrens

John Johnson

Motion to suspend reading the minutes by Rob Kennedy Dave Winchester, unanimous

Meeting adjourned 10:44

June 2022
06/13/2022 09:02

Open meeting with due form.

Motion to suspended reading of previous minutes by Dave Winchester 2nd by Joel Leaders 4-0 in favor

BLE 183 Report:

RE51: 24 turns on 25.24-27.11 mid of 26.14

RE10: 11 turns on 10.84-10.3-11.13 mid of 10.8

BLE 699 Report :

RE56:11 turns on calls for 7.35-13.74 mid of 10.55

Legislative:

No report

New Members:

none

Financial Report:

4087.68 and 77 members.

Motion to accept financial report by Brian Held 2nd Dave Winchester 4-0 in favor

Unfinished Business:

ER01 will start protecting the YCB45 on Mon and Tues and LCB50 will be back to TSE rate on or about 07/01. L/C Zahnow has been pushing hard for the rate change

G/C sent 30 day notice to cancel the split vacation agreement. Burn clause will be gone but all other aspects are covered by other agreements. Takes affect 07/10/22

Golf tournament was huge success-98 golfers, largest number yet. Thanks to everyone who helped make it successful. Nice job President Keefer!

The motion made to raise L/C pay \$1 per member and raise monthly dues by \$5 per member has been clarified to \$5 total. \$1 to L/C and \$4 to local.

Jeff Mimmick makes motion to change the \$1 per member to \$2 and \$3 to local. 2Nd by Dave Winchester. Because of the change to L/C pay this was the first vote on Mimmick's motion.

Motion to raise dues \$5.00 a month passed. Breakdown will be \$3.00 to local and \$2.00 to L/C pay

New Business:

With the new standardization agreement locals should be paid for 3 locomotives at all times, the carrier has only been paying one. Adjustments will come on June 25th check

You may not request to have your turn cut before a holiday to be given a bump to bypass the 15 day yard/local agreement. Cuts will be made on adjustment day as normal. If you want your turn cut you must have a request in.

There is a seniority swap request from Geoff Jordan wanting to swap with Jeremy Hardaman. Hardaman currently works in Cheyenne and is 3 from the bottom of our roster with a date of 08/31/15. Vote is 4-0 in favor of swap and both will take the 08/31/15 date when all is said and done.

L/C Zahnow sent a PDF concerning HOS from the FRA. Please look at it if you haven't already. The FRA really wants to hold the carrier responsible for HOS violations. You can also find a link on the BLETED website

Still working on a location for next month's meeting, Mike Brown is going to see if the Bellevue Rod and Gun Club is available. Thanks Mike. We will post an update when we have a location.

If you put in a claim for having a compensated day denied, you don't need a screenshot of anything. Just file the claim and turn the denied claim in on the Eastern District website

There are still problems with the Zebra device, do what you can and call ISS for help

Recently passed away:

Kelly Nesmith

Sick or injured:

Kris Everson

Rob Smith

Justin Nickell

Chris Behrens

John Johnson

Kurt Fleer

Motion to suspend reading the minutes by Dave Winchester 2nd Mike Brown, 4-0 in favor

Meeting adjourned 10:02

July 2022
07/11/2022 09:01

Open meeting with due form.

Motion to suspended reading of previous minutes by Dave Winchester 2nd by Brian Held 4-1 in favor

BLE 183 Report:

RE51: 24 turns on 22.45-24.11 mid of 23.25

RE10: 12 turns on 10.66-11.52 mid of 11.9

BLE 699 Report:

RE56:10 turns on calls for 5.86-11.32

Legislative:

No report

New Members:

Mark McKnight- nominated by Mike Brown 2nd by Luke Wright-unanimous 5-0

Financial Report:

5247.68 and 75 members.

Motion to accept financial report by Luke Wright 2nd Brian McCoy 5-0 in favor

Unfinished Business:

Next months meeting will be held again at Bellevue Rod and Gun Club. Thanks Mike Brown

L/C Zahnow got an email asking him to come to meetings about the Zebra device. He has no desire to go help them with this terrible device but will go if membership wants him to.

A member got a phone call from his Mgr about tying up at his residence. He told tying up at his residence after the call would result in discipline.

New Business:

Pl day change proposal was approved by executive committee

Pl days may be canceled up to the time they were scheduled to start Carrier

may not cancel pre-approved days

Allocations may now be negotiated instead of a set number by the Carrier

If you have a pl or single vacation day pre-approved and you get called to work when its supposed to start, you must delete it when you get to work or it will automatically start when you tie-up back home

If a job is bulletined you must bid the bulletin, a standing bid will not cover it. A bulletined job is different than a standing bid

A crew was told to hostile their power at the west end of the new coals and asked for a pilot. A mgr was sent to pilot them and ran them by a red signal. Everyone was drug tested, including the mgr. L/C is asking for the crew to be put back to work with no discipline. Still waiting for National to let us know the results of the strike vote,

in the event of a strike order, L/C will send out a mass email and Band notification with meeting points and other details.

If the Carrier takes a pl day from you on the extra board for laying off on a holiday, let L/C know about it. You should not lose a pl day on the extra board

If you catch a Sioux city turn from nx001 to sx263 to get a train make sure you tie-up in Sioux City and get put back on duty on some symbol, even if CMS tells you they can't put you back on the symbol you tied-up from.

Burn clause for single days is over today.

Recently passed away:

Sick or injured:

Kris Everson

Rob Smith

Justin Nickell

Chris Behrens

John Johnson

Kurt Fleer

Dan Vandorn

Motion to suspend reading the minutes by Brian Held 2nd Dave Winchester, 5-0 in favor

Meeting adjourned 10:25

August 2022
08/08/2022 09:01

Open meeting with due form.

Motion to suspended reading of previous minutes by Dave Winchester 2nd by Mike Brown 4-0 in favor

BLE 183 Report:

RE51: 24 turns on mid of 21.75

RE10: 16 turns on mid of 16.86

BLE 699 Report :

RE56: 9 turns on calls for 6.37-10.96 calls for 9

Legislative:

No report

New Members:

none

Financial Report:

5212.51 and 75 members.

Motion to accept financial report by Brian McCoy 2nd Jeff Sichta 4-0 in favor

Unfinished Business:

Pre-approved single day and PL pilot program got approved. Allows L/C to work with CMS on number of compensated days available and you can cancel pre-approved days up to start time. Effective immediately

Extra board employees that work the day before, the day of, and the day after a holiday in the yard or local should be paid holiday pay and lose a pl day

North Platte terminal took responsibility for our crew going by red signal at cpb291

If you are called out of CB for a coal train or sloan grain train etc. Don't tie up, take the basic day and OT

Burn clause is done. You will no longer be charged a single day for laying off

New Business:

Before laying off, 1st try to take compensated time, 2nd-lay off, 3rd-email your manager, 4th-email nurse, 5th-Dr. on demand for a note. If we follow these steps and points become an issue, this will make L/C's case against discipline.

Ratio claims are on going issue, Put in ratio claims! We can't get the carrier to fix the ratio's if we don't put in the claims

Unions and carrier are having daily calls for the next 30 days trying to fix ratio situation

OMC corridor manager covers from Clinton to Gibbon, Marrysville Corridor covers Gibbon west

Our GM is on a leave of absence, Tammy Radcliff will be filling in temporarily

You must get permission for a reverse move in CTC if you need to go by and intermediate signal. You must stay in your block or you need dispatcher's permission for a reverse move

Carrier still wants us to take part in TSC. L/C had a meeting about it and is still researching. If we participate, the BLET will have 1 position and the SMART will have 1. There will also be 3 part time positions. No decision yet

Wayne Keefer asked the North Platte TSC to make maps available of the west end of the yard to help with the set outs and pick-ups

Watch the exceptions on the level 2 heat restrictions, they restrict your speed even further

Sick or injured:

Kris Everson

Rob Smith

Justin Nickell

Chris Behrens

John Johnson

Kurt Fleer

Dan Vandorn

Chuck Lyons

Motion to suspend reading the minutes by Dave Winchester 2nd Mike Brown, 5-0 in favor

Meeting adjourned 10:40

September 2022
09/12 2022 09:01

Open meeting with due form.

Motion to suspended reading of previous minutes by Mike Brown 2nd by Dan Pietryga 3-0 in favor

BLE 183 Report:

RE51: 25 turns on mid of 23.36 probably cut 1
RE10: 12 turns on mid of 10 probably cut 2

BLE 699 Report :

RE56: 9 turns on calls for 6.15-10.54 cut 1 this morning

Legislative:

No report

New Members:

none

Financial Report:

\$5299.51 and 76 members.

Motion to accept financial report by Brian McCoy 2nd Dan Pietryga 3-0 in favor

Unfinished Business:

31 members were available to attend the meeting but are not here

Still working on Total Safety Culture details-pushing for one BLET member and 1 Smart member
With undetermined I Team members

Ratio boards are getting much better, still doing daily calls which is a major help

Make sure you are logging in and using EMS or you will face discipline

Still want more ratio board claims

New Business:

1st Vice G/C McCoy had zoom meetings until 11:00 pm last night. UP is basically the only carrier holding things up. They don't want to increase the meal allowance, no matching 401k, and they want the Robinson rule (self supporting pools). With the Robinson rule the carrier maintains the pool. Union is also asking for O.T. after 12 hours.

The UP is the only RR without self supporting pools. The places that do have it have negotiated matching 401k's, meals and meal periods, etc.

If you have a derailment or other incident, don't try to do anything but notify a manager

We found out we don't have a Peer support group, Dwight is trying to get us a group

Personal attacks on Band need to stop or it will be eliminated. We are not required to have Band,

it is supposed to be an information tool.

Sioux City track is in bad shape, turn in rough track. L/C Benisek is reporting to Tidwell

There is an 11 on 4 off proposal for extra board and pools that is being negotiated. It will be guaranteed and Carrier will regulate it.

When hostling power not associated with your train in Sioux City, put claim in as road/yard violation. Need tracks moved to and from and yard job on duty.

Zoom meetings are set by the National. Local divisions have no say so on the rules, we have to follow what the National says.

Rule 74 basic day claim for not having refrigerator, ice box, or cooler/bucket on your unit. Mostly a problem with foreign units.

Annual dinner is Monday October 10th

Sick or injured:

Rob Smith
Justin Nickell
Chris Behrens
John Johnson
Kurt Fleer
Dan Vandorn
Chuck Lyons
Brad Herbert

Recently passed away:

Dan Katis

Motion to suspend reading the minutes by Mike Brown 2nd Dan Pietryga, 4-0 in favor

Meeting adjourned 10:13

October 2022
10/10/2022 09:01

Open meeting with due form.

Motion to suspended reading of previous minutes by Jeff Sichta 2nd by Mike Brown 9-0 in favor

BLE 183 Report:

RE51: 26 turns on 25.66-27.56 mid of 26.57

RE10: 9 turns on 9.04-9.77 mid of 9.41

BLE 699 Report :

RE56: 9 turns on calls for 6-10.39

Legislative:

No report

New Members:

none

Financial Report:

\$5334.35 and 75members.

Motion to accept financial report by Jeff Sichta 2nd John Sweeney 9-0 in favor

Unfinished Business:

10 members in attendance and 35 members were available to attend the meeting but are not here

Self sustaining pools are still being negotiated along with the 11 on 4 off schedule. We will talk more at the Oct 24th meeting

Under cutter is back on the Sioux City sub

New Business:

Carrier is proposing an agreement to let pool turns hold their turn if you're on a single day or PI day

New attendance policy proposal letting you earn days to be banked if you stay available

14 day counter for attendance is supposed to start in the middle of October

Yard jobs need to go past mp 345 for road/yard violation claim if you are doubling up a train or something else

Claim rule 56 for dogcatching and then performing other service. It's per minute penalty for changing class of service in the middle of your shift

Lodging issues, contact Darlene Tyree. Her contact email is-dtyree@up.com. Dirty rooms or other issues, take pics and include room #, date and times

No new proposals will be implemented or agreements signed until the national contract is settled

You can ask to extend your week of vacation anytime after you start your vacation

Sick or injured:

Rob Smith
Justin Nickell
Chris Behrens
John Johnson
Kurt Fler
Dan Vandorn
Chuck Lyons
Brad Herbert
Lewis Prescott

Recently passed away:

None

Motion to suspend reading the minutes by Rob Kennedy 2nd Luke Wright 10-0 in favor

Meeting adjourned 10:10

November 2022
11/14 2022 09:01

Open meeting with due form.

Motion to suspended reading of previous minutes by Brian McCoy 2nd by Brian Held 8-0 in favor

BLE 183 Report:

RE51: 28 turns on mid of 26.54-28.56

RE10: 12 turns on mid of 11.64-12.58

BLE 699 Report :

RE56: 10 turns on calls for 6.89-11.19

Legislative:

No report

New Members:

none

Financial Report:

\$5619.66 and 71 members.

No financial report during meeting this month

New Business:

Discussed a booklet with quick reference for agreements and important phone numbers

L/C had a meeting with service unit for TSC and long hours on the CBNP

You have 90 days to transfer to the local that covers the assignment you are working

It's possible 699 could be dissolved due to low membership numbers. Everyone that is on re56 needs to be a member of 699 and they need 12 members to be compliant. 90 day rule

CBNP-suggested to put cb61 back on, but the carrier isn't budging. Also suggested tying down in GI and van to NP

HOS- carrier is supposed have a driver enroute to you before you expire. If they don't, it's an HOS violation and needs to be reported. Get as much info as you can- control number, driver name etc.

Don't call corridor mgr to switch trains. Make union aware of 2nd's doing this. Also, no calling CMS or anyone else for make wholes.

Let Dwight know of any issues you are having, especially if you talk to a mgr about them so he can be in the loop

Every engineer should print a copy of the daily inspection guide from the BLETED website

Ratio board claims are being paid. Language is on BLETED website

4-1 and 5-1 pilot program. If you work 4 or 5 days you can take 23 hours off with no penalty. If it goes

through you will only be able to have 1 non-comp layoff before losing guarantee. 23 hours off will be voluntary

Marysville ratio pilot(for ratio claims) ratio will always be 1 for 1 when crews are available
Rule for Zoom meeting-earbuds and camera on. You can now vote if you Zoom for the meeting. Local should consider investing in a camera and microphone for Zoom

L/c is bringing up low fuel issues at L/C meeting

With cold weather here, try to get to a terminal if you can if you have heater issues. If the heater quits and you can't make a terminal call 911 on your phone to get warm.

Trying to get driver's assigned before DH's are called

President Keefer appointed Luke Wright alt sec/trea

We as a local can require members going to management positions to pay full dues

Brian McCoy makes motion to require full dues payment-@nd by Mike Waszgis 9-0 in favor

Discussed would the members who move to management move to SMART to avoid the dues increase.
Right now CO's only pay National dues

Unfinished business:

No changes with lodging

If you are called on a train symbol to go get a train in Sioux City, don't tie up. Only tie up if you are on a DH symbol

Sick or injured:

Rob Smith
Chris Behrens
Kurt Fleer
Dan Vandorn
Chuck Lyons
Brad Herbert
Justin Nickell

Recently passed away:

None

Motion to suspend reading the minutes by Jeff Sichta 2nd Ken Stanfield,8-1 in favor

Meeting adjourned 10:53

December 2022
12/12 2022 09:01

Open meeting with due form.

Motion to suspended reading of previous minutes by Luke Wright 2nd by Dave Winchester 11-0 in favor

BLE 183 Report:

RE51: 26 turns on mid of 26.07-28.00 mid of 27

RE10: 12 turns on mid of 11.28-12.19 mid of 11.74

BLE 699 Report:

RE56: 10 turns on calls for 5.72-11.65

Legislative:

2 bills out for 2 man crews and train length. Haven't made it out of committee yet

New Members:

none

Financial Report:

\$6015.10 and 74 members.

Unfinished Business:

90 day transfers on Sioux City pool will begin this month-(You must belong to the local representing the assignment you are on)

Company Officers will start paying full dues this month

The service unit is not interested in making the mcbnp any better. Make sure you are turning in HOS violations

Relief crew and/or ride must be on duty and enroute to you before your HOS

Still pushing to put the mcbgi back on-Carrier has a freeze on putting any new jobs on. L/C is still going to keep pushing

Take pictures of dirty toilets and send to union officers so we can document and push the Carrier to do better

TSC interviews should start next week

Eastern District General Committee is losing money every month-meeting in January to discuss options

Marysville got paid for their ratio claims-our arbitration is coming up

New Business:

Tried no make wholes for a weekend, only had 2, didn't seem to make any difference. If you want

to work a make whole, work one

EMS is still a problem- make sure you are reporting all EMS issues when you tie up
There are only 2 strikes with attendance-be careful with your points, document any issues you
have missing work and get a Dr. note whenever possible

Letters sent out to eligible employees to stay past their retirement dates for \$24,000

Many more switch flag and switch tag tests, we are last in safety and switch related issues

Sick or injured:

Rob Smith

Chris Behrens

Kurt Fleer

Dan Vandorn

Chuck Lyons

Brad Herbert

Justin Nickell

Recently passed away:

None

Motion to suspend reading the minutes by Mike Call 2nd Luke Wright, 11-0 in favor

Meeting adjourned 09:49