

# NOVEMBER 2024 NEWSLETTER



**American Income**  
life insurance company

## BENEFIT RENEWAL

By now, you should have received benefit renewal cards from American Income Life in the mail, asking you to update your beneficiary information. This \$3,500 Accidental Death & Dismemberment Policy is included with your active IBEW membership. AIL will be reaching out to verify that your beneficiary information is current and to inform you about other products they offer. While they are a trusted company, there is no obligation to speak with their representatives. A second round of notices will be sent in November for those who missed the initial mailing.

We're excited to announce that we've set a record by welcoming 23 first year apprentices into the 2024 JATC program!

**DUES INCREASE**

**\$49**

January 2025

## SERVICE PIN AWARDS

### 5 Years

Triston Beck - David Boucher - Bobby Cromer  
Bobby Kirk - Kyle Little - Mason McCloskey - Ryan McKinney  
Gregory Quarles - Jaben Wand

### 10 Years

Derek Iversen - Kristopher Walls - Joshua Williams

### 25 Years

David "Brad" Brake - Steve Cotton

### 30 Years

Freddie Bodine - Larry Cain - Johnny Harp  
Randy "Peanut" Johnson - Teddie Mercer

### 35 Years

Clarence Archer - Ronnie Sluder

### 40 Years

Brian Manley - Gordon "Mac" McCarty  
Terry Wiley - Johnny Williams

### 45 Years

Billy Taylor

### 50 Years

Andrew Smith

### 55 Years

Charles Robinson

### 60 Years

Willie Emmons

## JATC 2024 GRADUATES



Pictured: Zach Ayer, Bobby Cromer, Triston Beck, \*Top Apprentice Dylan Wilson\*  
Kyle Little, Trevor Cobb and Mason McCloskey. Not Pictured: Adam Hicks.





**New Inventory Coming Soon!**  
T-shirts are marked down to \$15 - Hoodies \$65  
Blankets \$45 - Hats \$10

**Members with 5 - 45 years of service are invited to collect their service pins. You can visit the office during business hours or attend a union meeting to receive your pin.**



IF NOT DELIVERED RETURN TO  
**IBEW LOCAL 301**  
**PO BOX 490**  
**NASH, TX 75569**

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NASH, TEXAS  
PERMIT NO. 6

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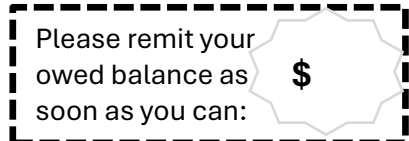
Local 301 website  
**ibew301.com**  
Check it out to see our previous newsletters, calendar, local death benefit fund, open calls, and much more!



**UNION MEETINGS**  
Regular Meetings are held at 114 Elm Street, Nash, TX on the 4<sup>th</sup> Tuesday of every month.



## *death benefit fund*



**137. Roger G. Humphrey** | *February 10, 1947 – August 4, 2024*

Brother Humphrey passed away at the age of 77. He was formally from local 1151 in Tyler, Texas. He had been an IBEW member for 55 years.

**138. Freddie L. Wheat** | *October 16, 1937 – September 28, 2024*

Brother Wheat was formally from local 1151 in Tyler, Texas. He taught at Chapel Hill ISD as the electrical trade's teacher. Before retiring he was the Electrical Inspector for the City of Tyler, Texas. He was an IBEW Member for over 50 years.

**139. James Edward “Buddy” Williams** | *February 5, 1944 – October 18, 2024*

Brother Williams passed away at the age of 80. He was a U.S. Navy veteran and a proud IBEW member for over 52 years. Of those years, 33 were spent working as a Journeyman Instrument Electrician at International Paper.