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Dear Brothers and Sisters,

We would like to thank those who showed up for October meeting! We appreciate your participation in the discussion and vote on the Allocation of the raise. The voting members decided to put \$2.50 on the check, \$0.25 on the Pension, and \$0.25 in the Annuity. I would also like to thank Jared Parsley for cooking chili for the meeting. We had hoped for a chili cook-off, but no one participated. Jared saved the day with a delicious chili for everyone, while Penny brought in some fresh baked corn bread. The union works best when we all participate.

We are eagerly anticipating some large jobs to start soon in our jurisdiction. Keep an eye on our Job line. There should be enough work to keep everyone home and working for years to come. Wouldn't you like to be home with your families instead of traveling?

"Never get so busy making a living that you forget to make a life."

-Dolly Parten

Fraternally,

Michael S. Ruppert Business Manager