

April 21, 2023

To: ALL SIGNATORY CONTRACTORS OF PLUMBERS LOCAL UNION #63

Effective **May 1, 2023**, there will be an **increase of \$0.65/hour to the Journeyman wages**, & increases in the contractor contributions to the following funds: **\$0.50/hour for the Health & Welfare Fund; \$0.10/hour for the UA Local 63/353 Local Pension Fund; \$0.10/hour for the Educational Fund; \$0.15/hour for the Annuity Fund; & \$0.02/hour for the Industry Fund.**

The benefits, check-offs and dues shown below are **paid on hours worked, NOT hours paid.**

The changes will be effective **starting with your May remittance report.** We have enclosed a **Master copy** of the remittance report reflecting the changes.

Please make checks payable to: UA 63 & 353 Joint Pension, & mail to: P O Box 4246, Springfield IL 62708.

Wage scale, deductions and benefits information sheet are enclosed.

The Wage Rate and Fringe Benefits are as follows:

DATE	*WAGES	*WELFARE	*PENSION	*ED'L	ITF	TRICON	*INDUSTRY	*ANNUITY
5/1/23	*\$38.25	*\$9.25	*\$12.00 local	*\$1.25	\$.10	\$.02	*\$3.30	*\$3.65

\$1.68 national

(*Progressive % of Full Pension /hr.)

For Apprentices Only)

***TOTAL PACKAGE \$66.50**

The following are the check offs from the hourly rate:

Political Educational Fund	\$.04
Pipe Trades District Council #34	\$.40 Journeymen
Pipe Trades District Council #34	\$.31 Apprentices
West Central IL Building Trades Council	\$.16
Supplemental Membership Dues	\$.10

***Journeyman Dues 4.25% OF PLUMBERS HOURLY RATE**

***Apprentice Dues 4.25% OF CURRENT WAGE RATE**

The following are the rates for supervision:

Leadman	Journeyman rate plus 8% - \$3.06 = \$41.31
Foreman	Journeyman rate plus 9% - \$3.44 = \$41.69
Area Foreman	Journeyman rate plus 15% - \$5.74 = \$43.99
General Foreman	Journeyman rate plus 20% - \$7.65 = \$45.90

Should you desire further information, please contact the Plumbers office at (309) 699-3570.

Sincerely,



David M. Maroon Jr., Business Manager
Plumbers' Local Union #63



Scott Larkin, Executive Vice-President
Mid-Illini Mechanical Contractors Association

Enclosures