

Local 344

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To All Members of Plumbers & pipefitters Local 344

Dear Brothers and Sisters,

******* SPECIAL MEETING NOTICE *******

There will be a special meeting of the Local Union 344 membership on

Thursday, June 29, 2023 at 7:00pm

at the Local Union Hall, 4335 S.W. 44th Street, Oklahoma City.

This meeting is being called for the purpose of voting on ratification of our new contract.

I urge all members to attend this very important meeting.

July Membership Meeting

Because of the July 4th Holiday the membership meeting has been moved to Wednesday, July 5th at 7:00pm.

Members Deaths

Brother, **Rodney G. Corbin**, Membership Number 1130580, died 6/1/2023. He was a Journeyman Pipefitter.

PLUMBERS AND PIPEFITTERS APPRENTICESHIP

Applications are available at the Plumbers and Pipefitters Training Center (5315 S. Shartel Ave., Oklahoma City) between **9:00 a.m.** and **4:00 p.m.** Monday through Thursday and between **9:00 a.m.** and **12:00 noon** on Friday. Applications may be obtained in person, fax, e-mail or requested from the web site (www.plumbersandpipefitters.com) and will be mailed in 5 to 7 business days. The application must be returned, *with all required documents*, before the deadline for the next interview session.

QUALIFICATIONS ARE AS FOLLOWS:

Minimum **18** years of age prior to being accepted into the Program; must be a high school graduate or have a GED and provide **transcript**.

We anticipate accepting 10 to 15 apprentices this year. Applicants will be selected based on highest qualifications without regard to race, color, religion, national origin, sex (including pregnancy and gender identity), sexual orientation, genetic information, or because they are an individual with a disability or a person 40-year-old or older. The P.H.C.C. Contractors, party to the Plumbers and Pipefitters J.A.T.C. Agreement, are Equal Opportunity Employers.


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Wage Rates

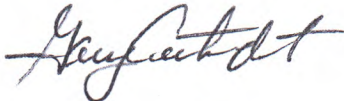
1 st Year - \$17.75	4 th Year - \$23.07
2 nd Year - \$19.52	5 th Year - \$26.62
3 rd Year - \$21.30	Journeyman - \$35.50

Employee Assistance Program: A place to turn to when personal problems seem overwhelming. Your Employee Assistance Program (EAP) is a confidential counseling program, free of charge, provided for you and your family. Counselors are trained to deal with a broad range of problems: stress, parenting, family issues, coping with illness, marital problems, work issues, addictions, grief, anger, anxiety, depression, coping with financial problems, etc. Call 800-413-8008 ext. 2.

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