MOLTER HEADS UP NEWLY ELECTED CISCO BOARD OFFICERS

CISCO members approved the 2016 Board of Directors at its annual meeting last month.

The Executive Board is comprised of President Loretta Molter (representing the Mason Contractors Association), Vice President Charles LoVerde (representing the Chicago Laborer’s District Council), Treasurer Frank Furco (representing IBEW Local 701), and Secretary John Cronin (representing the Chicago Roofing Contractors Association).

Also named to the Board were Joseph Benson (IRTBA), Steven Cisco (I.U.O.E. Local 150), Tom Doherty, Sr. (Fox Valley AGC), David Henderson (Lake County Contractors Association), Dennis Fleming (Sprinkler Fitters Local 281), Maurice King (IBEW Local 134), Frank Lollino (Underground Contractors Association), Mark Maher (Chicago Reg. Council of Carpenters), James McGlynn (NECA-NEIL), Dan McLaughlin (Builders Association), Tom McTavish (Northeastern Illinois LMCC), Gary Menzel (Roofers Local 11), Gary Misicka (Electrical Contractors Association), Joseph Pastorino (Chicago Reg. Council of Carpenters), S.J. Peters (PCA Midwest/Plumbing Council Midwest), and Charles Ruegge (SMART Local 265 - Sheet Metal).

Directors on the Board represent CISCO member organizations and are appointed to two-year terms.

ANNUAL MEETING FEATURES WINNING PROJECTS AND INDIVIDUAL RECOGNITION

CISCO recognized both individuals and project teams for their outstanding work in construction, as well as within the industry, as more than 260 guests attended during the recent event at Maggiano’s in Schaumburg.

CISCO EXPANDS SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM - APPLICATION DEADLINE FEBRUARY 19, 2016

CISCO’s long-standing Scholarship Program will be accepting applications until February 19, 2016 in three different categories.

The CISCO Board added a third, 4-year scholarship for high school seniors who are planning on attending a 4-year university or college. The other two categories are for seniors who plan on attending a two-year community college, and for building trade or contractor employees who are returning to school for continuing ed purposes.

For more information, contact Julia Mulvey - julia@cisco.org. Or to simply download the application form of your choice, go to www.cisco.org/scholarships/.

CISCO’S 2015 ANNUAL REPORT AVAILABLE ONLINE

The Annual Report which features 2015 accomplishments and initiatives, is available on CISCO’s website to download and read. The 16-page, color report is loaded with insightful information about CISCO and our successes as a labor-management association. Go to our home page by visiting www.cisco.org.
CONSTRUCTION NEWS BRIEFS

APPRENTICE PROGRAM OPENINGS

PLUMBERS:

The Plumbers JAC will be accepting applications for the plumbing apprenticeship program at the following locations: 1) 1400 W. Washington Blvd., Chicago, IL 60607 – (312) 421-1028; 2) 2114 So. I-80 Frontage Road, Joliet, IL 60436 – (815) 725-0278; and 3) 31855 No. U.S. Hwy 12, Volo, IL 60073 – (815) 759-5900.

The JAC will be taking applications every Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday from January 25 through February 26, 2016. Times: 1:00 – 4:00 p.m. on Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Thursday, and from 6:00 – 8:00 p.m. on Thursdays.

A $25 money order or cashier’s check is required payable to Plumbers J.A.C., Local 130. Test taking tip books are available. Requirements include: Must be 18 years old, 17 and a senior in high school may apply with a student ID. Also required: a valid driver’s license, birth certificate or US passport, sealed high school or college transcripts or a GED certificate. Check www.jac130.org for further details.

TECHNICAL ENGINEERS:

The Technical Engineers’ JATC will be accepting applications for the Technical Engineer program:

DATES: Every Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday starting March 1 – March 24, 2016.

TIME: Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday from 1 – 4 p.m. AND Thursday from 6 – 8 p.m.

REQUIRED AT TIME OF APPLICATION: 1) Must have attained the age of 18; 2) High School Diploma – SEALED high school transcripts (must be official) or G.E.D. certificate; 3) Valid driver’s license; 4) Birth certificate or US passport; and 5) A $25 Non-refundable application processing fee (money order or cashier’s check ONLY) payable to:

Technical Engineers’ J.A.T.C., Local 130.

No cash/personal checks accepted.

Application will be accepted in person only at the following location – 1340 W. Washington Blvd., Chicago, IL 60607, (312) 421-1010, ext. 160 OR (312) 421-1028, ext. 550. This program is approved by the U.S. Department of Labor – Office of Apprenticeship.

Affirmative Action Statement
Notice of Non-Discrimination Policy As To Students:

The Technical Engineers’ Joint Apprenticeship Training Committee of Local 130, U.A. and Chicago Journeymen Plumbers’ Local Union 130, U.A., school admits students of any race, color, sex, age, religion, disability, national and ethnic origin, sexual orientation, marital status, parental status, military discharge status, source of income, gender identity, or housing status to all phases of Apprenticeship.

It does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, sex, age, religion, disability, national and ethnic origin, sexual orientation, marital status, parental status, military discharge status, source of income, gender identity, or housing status in the administration of its educational policies, admissions policies, scholarship and loan programs, and other school administered programs.

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Program Sponsor: International Union of Elevator Constructors, Local #2 Joint Apprenticeship Committee.

Geographical Area: Chicago Area

Age: Must be at least 18 years old.

Education: Applicants shall possess one of the following valid documents to be uploaded at the time of application: an original copy of a H.S. diploma, or H.S. transcript, or GED, or DD214 Page 4, or a college degree.

Aptitude: All applicants shall pass an examination designed to test the applicant’s reading, math skills, and aptitude for employment in the elevator industry.

Tool Assessment: Applicants will also take a Tool Assessment designed to assess knowledge of basic tools and their use, as well as basic measuring skills.

Physical: Be capable of performing the physical requirements of the job without posing a threat to the health and safety of themselves or others.

Other: Upon selection, pass a drug test. (Paid by the employer). A photo ID must be presented during the application process.

Fees: $25 testing fee required on Test Day (Only a Money Order or Bank Certified Check will be accepted).

Applicants will be selected without regard to race, color, religion, sex, national origin, or any other legally protected status. The Elevator Constructors are an Equal Opportunity Employer and a Drug Free Workplace.

2016 and ends when the 1000th application is processed or 12:01 p.m. March 18, 2016, whichever is first.

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