

Thank you for calling Local 1262's Information Hotline. This is the latest update from President Harvey Wille as of Friday, April 26, 2024 and contains three messages. This hotline – as well as other important updates and information for our members -- can also be found on our web site at www.ufcw1262.org.

International Workers Memorial Day is observed each year on April 28. Once again, Local 1262 has asked that employers participate in a Moment of Reflection at 10 a.m. on Sunday, April 28 to recognize the employees who work tirelessly on a daily basis to help put food on our tables. It is also a time to honor the *Supermarket Essential Workers* who have lost their lives, many of them due to COVID-19.

In years past customers shopping in the stores also joined with management and workers in honoring our brothers and sisters. We would like to thank the employers in our area who so kindly worked with us to schedule this important event.

The second message is to remind our members employed by Acme that Contract Ratification Meetings will be held in the Edgewater and Jersey City Acme stores next Thursday, May 2, 2024. The meetings will be held in the break rooms at 6:15 a.m. and at 4:00 p.m. The terms of your new contract will be discussed and a vote will be taken to accept or reject the new contract with your employer. Notices regarding these meetings have been posted in your stores. Acme members with questions regarding these meetings can call your Union Representative Rich Ebbe at 1-800-562-6913, extension 1945.

The last message is for our members employed by Food Circus Foodtown. A Contract Ratification Meeting will be held at next Thursday, May 2, 2024 at 6:00 p.m. at the Doubletree Hotel in Tinton Falls, NJ. The terms of your new contract will be discussed and a vote will be taken to accept or reject the new contract with your employer. Notices regarding this meeting have been posted in your stores. Food Circus Foodtown members with questions regarding this meeting can call your Union Representative Ron Wille at 1-800-562-6913, extension 1921.

In closing, I would like to thank all of our more than 22,000 members here in New Jersey and New York for your ongoing dedication and service to your communities. It is truly an honor and privilege to serve as your president.

That concludes this hotline. Thank you for calling Local 1262.

Please ask your fellow Local 1262 Brothers and Sisters to join Local 1262's texting program.

Simply text UPDATES1262 to 83071.

Concerns At Your Workplace?

Contact your Union Representative at 1-800-562-6913 (from New Jersey)

or 1-800-526-7814 (from other states)