

**Thank you for calling Local 1262's Information Hotline. This is the latest update from President Harvey Whille as of Friday, September 13, 2024 and contains two brief 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](http://www.ufcw1262.org).**

Are you interested in obtaining a full-time position or promotion to department manager or other classified position? Then make sure to put your name on the Bid Sheets posted in your store during September. Your employer typically posts the Bid Sheets by the time clocks or in the break rooms. If there are no Bid Sheets posted in your store, please contact your Union Representative immediately. Names can be placed on the Bid Sheets until September 30. Bid Sheets will not be posted again until March 2025.

And don't forget that full-time workers receive health insurance for themselves and their families after three months of working full-time and also receive increased retirement benefits. If you have questions regarding the benefits of working full-time, please speak to your Union Representative.

Our second message is to remind our members to register to vote for the Tuesday, November 5 Presidential Election. The deadline to register to vote in New Jersey is Tuesday, October 15 and in New York the deadline is Friday, October 25. For links to each state's Voter Information and Registration Forms, visit Local 1262's website and click on the Register to Vote Slide. And don't forget, that your contract includes Presidential Election Days as a paid holiday, but only if you are registered to vote.

As always, I thank you – 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)