

**Thank you for calling Local 1262's Information Hotline. This is the latest update from President Harvey Wille as of Friday, September 20, 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).**

Local 1262 would like to remind our members employed by ShopRite and Stop & Shop who are covered by the UFCW and Employers Retirement and Savings Plan (also known as the Defined Contribution Plan) that they can choose to contribute either 25 or 50 cents per hour from their paycheck to their account during the Enrollment Period taking place this month.

Enrollment forms were mailed to members eligible for this program and must be postmarked by Friday, September 27, 2024. Enrollment forms can also be downloaded from our website at [www.ufcw1262.org](http://www.ufcw1262.org).

**Enrollment in this program occurs once a year. Members will not have the opportunity to enroll in this Voluntary Deferral Program – or increase their contribution – again until September 2025.**

Our second message is to remind our members who are interested in obtaining a full-time position or promotion to department manager or other classified position that they must put their names on the Bid Sheets posted in their stores by Monday, September 30. 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. Bid Sheets will not be posted again until March 2025.

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)