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Subj: Committee on the Future

To All IAM Staff and Members in the United States and Canada

Dear Sisters, Brothers and Siblings:

At the 40<sup>th</sup> IAM Grand Lodge Convention, our union passed a resolution to activate a Committee on the Future (COTF) to listen to the entire IAM membership and propose recommendations to grow our union and develop the next generation of IAM leaders.

The Committee on the Future is comprised of members who equally represent the Local, District, Territorial, and Grand Lodge levels of our union. They will travel across the U.S. and Canada to hold listening sessions where they'll hear from you.

We want to encourage you to attend a COTF meeting and give your honest thoughts about what we can do right now to set up future IAM members for the better. The IAM Committee on the Future is how we will secure a strong future for the IAM's next generations.

The Committee has already started its work, coming together for a weeklong meeting at the IAM's William W. Winpisinger Education and Technology Center to prepare for their mission.

We have immense faith in the COTF members who are tasked with carrying the voices of IAM membership and developing a strategy for growth and change. What comes from these town hall meetings will decide our union's future.

We hope you are able to participate in building our union into the future. We will soon be rolling out additional ways to interact and share ideas with the Committee on the Future. Please visit iamcotf.org for more information and meeting details.

In solidarity,

Robert Martinez Jr.

IAM International President

**Dora Cervantes** 

IAM General Secretary-Treasurer

## AM COMMITTEE /

The IAM Committee on the Future wants to hear from you. Join us for Listening Sessions held throughout the U.S. and Canada, and share your ideas for the future of our Union.



## **Listening Sessions**

Cleveland, OH Wichita, KS Biloxi, MS Los Angeles, CA Los Angeles, CA Seattle/Everett, WA Houston, TX Newark, NJ Phoenix, AZ Cocoa, FL **Boston, MA** Denver, CO Montreal, QB

Tuesday, May 2 Thursday, May 4 Wednesday, May 10 Thursday, May 18 Friday, May 19 Monday, May 22 Seattle/Auburn, WA Wednesday, May 24 Seattle/Renton, WA Wednesday, May 24 Wednesday, May 24 Thursday, May 25 Tuesday, May 30 Wednesday, May 31 Wednesday, June 7 Thursday, June 8 Monday, June 12 Tuesday, June 13

Winnipeg, MB Minneapolis, MN Toronto, ON Charlotte, NC Chicago, IL Philadelphia, PA Fort Worth, TX St. Louis, MO Vancouver, BC Halifax, NS **Edmonton, AB** Nashville, TN San Francisco, CA San Diego, CA

Thursday, June 15 Tuesday, June 27 Wednesday, June 28 Thursday, July 13 Wednesday, July 19 Friday, July 21 Tuesday, July 25 Wednesday, August 2 Wednesday, August 2 **Thursday, August 3** Friday, August 4 Wednesday, August 9 Wednesday, August 16 Sunday, August 20



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> All sessions held in 2023

