



**Next General Membership Meeting  
Wednesday, February 11th, 2026  
@ 6:00 pm  
Double Tree by Hilton  
16615 109 Ave NW, Edmonton**

**Virtual Attendance Rules:**

You can only use a personal internet-capable device (no company supplied devices).

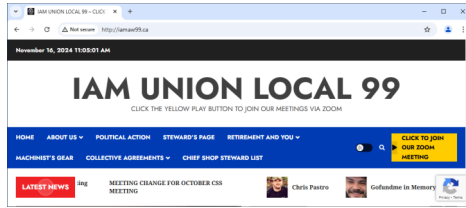
Every virtual participant must use their first and last name as their screen name.

Must use video for the duration of the meeting so the Conductor-Sentinel can note attendance and verify that only members are participating.

Virtual meetings shall not be recorded in any form and please have your microphone muted unless speaking.

**Meeting attendance made easier**

Our website has a new look! See the **Yellow Button** below, just click to join the meetings on your phone, tablet or computer!



**2026 Membership Meeting Dates**

**Times: Ft Mac 7pm, Calgary 6:30pm, all others 6pm**

- Mar 11th- Ft Mac      Sept. 9th - Red Deer
- April 8th - Gr. Pr.      Oct 14th - Edm
- May 13th - Edm      Nov 12 - Gr. Pr.
- June 10th - Calgary      Dec 9th - Ft Mac

**Executive Board Elections 2026**

\*\*\*This is an Election year so the September meeting will be open for nominations for the Executive board. The December meeting is when the election count will take place.

Thank you to the members who helped make Quorum this month. Following are motions were made and approved.

- 1) Send 3 Stewards to Leadership 1 training in 2026.
- 2) Send 3 Chief Shop Stewards that have completed Leadership 3 to Train the Trainer in 2026.
- 3) Donate \$6000 to the Retirees Association for 2026 events.
- 4) Send 3 lady members to the Womens Program at W3. It is mandated by the International that we form a Womens Committee and become active in our community so please, if you are interested, email [l99executive@iamaw99.ca](mailto:l99executive@iamaw99.ca)

Just a note that Keenan Gilker has had to step back as VP for personal reasons. As such, Scott Sylvester has stepped in for the remainder of the term and Keenan will be Conductor Sentinel.

**Shop Steward Basic Training confirmed dates are February 11th, 12th and 13th in Edmonton. Reach out to Scott Sylvestre at [ssylvestre@iamaw99.ca](mailto:ssylvestre@iamaw99.ca) to be added to the list.**

**Negotiations:**

**Finning Main:** Ratified and waiting to be finalized. Electronic versions will be provided very soon.

**Finning D50 Parts:** Their team has been chosen and they will begin prepping in the spring. The contract is due January 1st, 2027 so they will be in negotiations this time next year.

**Kal-Tire:** Ratified and in the process of being finalized prior to print.

**Leavitt:** CBA has been finalized and is going to print. \*recently acquired Hansler Industries and have absorbed 45 new members. Welcome!

**Weldco Beales:** Ratified and in the process of being finalized prior to print.

**Proudly Serving**

- Kal Tire**
- Finning**
- Leavitt**
- Weldco**



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**20 members Must attend to reach Quorum.**



# The IAM Indicator

The Newsletter for IAM Local 99

**\*Last Call for 2026 \*IAM International Scholarships**

<https://scholarship.goiam.org/>

The scholarship competition is open each year to members of the IAM and their children throughout the United States and Canada. Scholarships are to make possible the attainment of a Bachelor's degree or a two-year vocational/technical certification are determined in a competition among eligible applicants. Take advantage and go to the above website to apply. **The competition is open until February 6th, 2026.** Applicants will be reviewed from February 13th to March 13th with the Winner being announced May 4th, 2026.

**LL99 Spring Scholarship**

LL99 will be choosing the winners of the 2026 Spring Scholarships at the April 8th Executive meeting. 1 for High School (Grade 12 Core) and 1 for Post Secondary. Deadline for submissions will is April 7th. Applicants will be judged based on the highest overall grade point average and can email their transcripts to:

[LL99executive@iamaw99.ca](mailto:LL99executive@iamaw99.ca)

**New T-shirts are available**

Stewards are going to be provided lists of the members they work along side to obtain your sizes. We will work with those lists to distribute a T-shirt to every member.

**Retirement Watches**

Just wanted to remind everyone that when a member retires they get a gift of a very nice watch. Unfortunately, we are not notified by the company when members retire so please, reach out and let us know you have a member retiring.

Want the Newsletter delivered to your Inbox?  
Email: [dbennett@iamaw99.ca](mailto:dbennett@iamaw99.ca)  
To be added to the list.

**Change of Address or email? Go to IAMAW99.ca to update or contact: [bmakey@iamdl14.org](mailto:bmakey@iamdl14.org)**

**Sunlife Issues??**

We have been hearing about some benefits issues with Sunlife denying valid claims etc. We need your stories and complaints to move forward. Please email the executive if you have had issues.

**Business Reps Areas of Responsibility**

Please direct your questions and concerns to the appropriate Rep if possible.

Email addresses and phone numbers are available on the website.

**Directing Business Rep (DBR) – Kyle Franzen**

**Business Reps: Victor Quintanilla and Steve Luba**

**Local 1722**


- Cummins Calgary - **Victor**
- Cummins Edmonton - **Victor**
- Daiken - **Steve**
- Diamond Intl - **Kyle**
- Shepherd's Care - **Kyle**
- Nors Group (Strongco) - **Victor**
- UFCW Representatives - **Kyle**
- UFCW Clerical Workers - **Kyle**
- Wajax - **Kyle**

**Local 99**


- Finning Main– **Steve/Kyle**
- Finning D50 – **Victor**
- Kal-Tire – **Steve**
- Leavitt - **Victor**
- Weldco - **Victor**
- Local 2583**
- De Havilland - **Kyle**
- Viacore - **Kyle**

**Steward Monthly Meetings**

Most of our contracts have language for Stewards to have meetings at work. Collect your stewards together and discuss the issues you may have in your respective areas. Submit a report of your discussions to [ll99executive@iamaw99.ca](mailto:ll99executive@iamaw99.ca) Contact us ahead of your meeting if you think there will be expenses



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**Can you survive a strike?  
It's not what you make!  
It's how much you save!**

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