I.U.O.E. LOCAL 793 Memorandum

<u>RE:</u>	2016 Local 793 Election Campaign Literature
From:	Vince Prout, Recording Secretary, Election Committee
То:	All Area Offices
Date:	April 5, 2016

Attached please find a copy of the 2016 Rules About Distribution of Campaign Literature.

This document must be read at the April and May District Meetings. It must be recorded in the meeting minutes that it was read.

Please ensure that a copy of the Rules About Distribution of Campaign Literature is posted in your office until the end of June.

c.c.: Election Committee

2016 Election Committee Rules About Distribution of Campaign Literature

- Candidates who have campaign literature that they want the Election Committee of Local 793 to mail to the membership on the candidate's behalf and at the candidate's expense shall make their request in writing to the Chairs of the Election Committee from May 2nd, 2016 to June 15th, 2016 of this election year. The campaign literature must be in camera-ready format, pdf or jpeg.
- 2. Campaign literature will be distributed by mail using a unionized printing firm selected by the Election Committee.
- 3. The campaign literature distribution costs will be applied equally to all candidates wishing such literature to be mailed to the membership.
- 4. The candidate's literature will be without slanderous, defamatory or libellous comments towards other candidates in order to comply with all relevant laws. This is to protect the integrity of the election process and the rights of the members.
- 5. Candidates are not entitled to any members' personal information or a list of Local 793 members who are in good standing.
- 6. Candidates campaign literature may not include images or logos of Local 793.
- 7. The Local 793 facebook group page and the Local 793 twitter account <u>will not</u> be used for the purpose of candidates' campaign literature.
- 8. No candidate(s) shall knowingly submit campaign literature to the Election Committee for distribution that contains false biographical information.
- 9. Candidates' campaign literature shall appear in alphabetical order.