



# INTERNATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF MACHINISTS AND AEROSPACE WORKERS DISTRICT LODGE 19

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## Important Update: National Freight Agreement Ratified

We want to announce that the National Freight agreement has been ratified, marking a significant step forward for our members. This is very historic, as this will be the first time in history that our members under the freight agreement will receive their raise on time.

The new agreement brings important improvements to our members' quality of life, including:

- **Increased Healthcare Benefits:** Members will see enhanced healthcare coverage, providing better support for their well-being.
- **Vacation Benefits:** Members will now be eligible for vacation sooner, offering more flexibility and work-life balance.
- **Wage Increases:** A strong wage increase will be received on time, reinforcing the value of the hard work our members contribute.

We deeply appreciate the trust our members have shown in this agreement and are excited about the future as we continue to move forward together. This ratification is a testament to the unity and strength of our members, and we remain committed to upholding our shared values of fairness, respect, and progress.

Thank you again for your continued support.

Sincerely and fraternally yours,

Reece Murtagh  
President/ Directing General Chairman