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To All U.S. Construction Lodge Business Managers

Subject: **Project Management for Boilermakers Training – August 2-7, 2026**

M.O.S.T has scheduled the next Project Management for Boilermakers training to be held in Kansas City, August 2-7, 2026. As you know, the purpose of this program is to train Boilermakers who have demonstrated exceptional leadership and ability to become project managers for our signatory contractors.

Testimonials of those Boilermakers who have participated in previous training sessions have demonstrated the quality of this program. I am sure you would agree this program has the potential to be a huge asset to our craft. We must cultivate the bright young talent in our local lodges and groom them for leadership on our Boilermaker projects.

Applications are currently being accepted for this class. **Please keep in mind this training is designed to teach upper management skills. As such, applicants with extensive supervisory experience should be encouraged to apply.**

Enclosed is the application, which must be completed by any Journeyman Boilermaker who wishes to be considered for this upcoming class. Applications can also be obtained via the MOST website at www.mostprograms.com. **Note:** The application is an Adobe document. Space is limited and therefore the subcommittee will determine who is selected to attend this class based on its evaluation of the applications received. **It is important to provide the subcommittee with all information requested.**

Please note, the application must be signed by at least two (2) of the following:

- Local Lodge Business Manager
- Signatory Contractor Representative
- Representative of an Owner/Client who utilizes Boilermakers

The completed applications should be sent to M.O.S.T., 12200 N. Ambassador Dr., Suite 312, Kansas City, MO 64163 or emailed to sminton@mostprograms.com and **must be received no later than Friday May 1, 2026.** Individuals who were not selected for a previous class should reapply for this upcoming class.

On behalf of the subcommittee, I wish to thank you for your continued support of this vital program which serves our union and our industry well by preparing highly qualified Boilermakers for positions of greater responsibility with our signatory contractors. This is truly a win-win for all involved.

By copy to Ron Traxler, I am requesting that he forward this communication to the NACBE member contractors for their information and participation in this training program.

Please feel free to contact M.O.S.T. at 913-281-5036 with any questions.

With best wishes and kind personal regards, I am

Sincerely and fraternally yours,

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