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Hello Brothers and Sisters,

As the work picture continues to be slow, your Dispatch Team continues to look outside of our region for traveling opportunities for members.

Local 291, Boise, Idaho will continue to have work for travelers for the foreseeable future. The bulk of the work is building data centers and doubling the campus and manufacturing facilities for a microchip manufacturer. They have an anticipated need of 1000+ Wiremen before the end of summer and should be ongoing for 2+ years. An Idaho license is required to work in the state but the process to get your license has been simplified. The hourly wage on the check is \$38/hour, but their dispatch office anticipates that there will be “incentive pay” to attract Travelers soon. The URL for their dispatch page can be found below, the office of licensure for reciprocal license information and the wage chart. One positive is that they do have a defined benefit so you will accrue pension credit hours.

Local 357, Las Vegas, Nevada has a very strong work picture and has been going into book two daily. There is no state licensing requirement. The hourly wage on the check is \$51.83. I have attached the wage chart. If an individual plans to do Photovoltaic work in the solar fields there is a required Photovoltaic Installer Certification Card. This certification and testing is administered and controlled by Nevada O.S.H.A. There is a tab on the Local 357 website to register for testing at the Nevada O.S.H.A. office in either Las Vegas or Reno. If you want the study guide with prep questions that Local 357 has sent, please email me and I will forward them to you. Local 357 is an in person only dispatch.

Local 440, Riverside County, California has been a walkthrough for a few months and anticipates a strong work outlook well into next year. The wage on the check is \$52.51. All Local 440 jobs require the California state certification for now but may be lifting the requirement as more calls come in that they are unable to fill. All testing is done through PSI and can be done locally. I have attached the wage chart, link to the Local 440 online dispatch, link to apply for the California License and PSI to schedule your exam once you complete the application process.

Please keep in touch with the Dispatch Office for more work opportunities and call or email with any questions.

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