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BURLINGTON SYSTEM DIVISION

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TO: Local Chairpersons, Presidents, Vice Presidents, & Secretary-Treasurers of the Burlington System Division

Dear Brothers and Sisters:

Re: Annual Training Seminar

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This is to advise that our next membership training seminar will be conducted in Omaha, Nebraska, on March 22, 23, and 24, 2023 at the Embassy Suites, Downtown Omaha, near the Old Market, 555 South 10th Street, Omaha, Nebraska. All members of the Burlington System Division are invited and encouraged to attend this training if they are able.

In an effort to defray the costs to the members and their lodge, the System will pay lodging expenses (room and taxes only) for all attendees for March 21, 22, and 23, 2023. You will need to contact Josh in the Hastings office at 402-463-0234 or by email at <u>jhall@bmwebsd.org</u> no later than February 20, 2023 to add your attendees name(s) to the rooming list. All other expenses such as wages, travel, and meals not provided for during the meeting will be the responsibility of the member or his/her lodge as has been determined by the local lodge.

The meetings will begin Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday at 8:00am and lunch will be served on Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday. There will be a banquet dinner Thursday evening starting at 7:00pm. We plan to dismiss around noon on Friday.

When your lodge has decided how many members from the local will be attending, please contact Josh immediately as we need to plan accordingly for sleeping rooms, training materials, and meals. <u>If a reservation is made for you or someone in your local, and they decide NOT to attend, it is imperative that the reservation is cancelled at least thirty-six (36) hours in advance to avoid hotel no-show charges to the person whose name is on the reservation.</u>

Again, Josh must be notified before February 20, 2023, to ensure that we have enough sleeping rooms for all attendees and to ensure that we get the discounted rate. If your local does not notify Josh of the attendees, their names will not be put on the master rooming list and they may not have a room when they arrive or may be charged at a much higher rate than has been negotiated for our group.

I hope to see you there!

In Solidarity,

George Loveland General Chairman

cc: System Officers & Staff

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