The IAM Indicator

The Newsletter for IAM Local 99

Next General Membership Meeting

Thursday, November 12th, 2026
@ 6:00 pm
Hampton Inn & Suites by Hilton
10405 – 117 St. Grande Prairie

Meetings attendance made easier

Our website has a new look! Check out **iam99.ca**.

You can easily just "click" to join the meetings on your phone, tablet or computer from our site!

There is also a new resource library available, new links, pages and all forms have been updated. Address changes now go directly to the International for updating through the IAM Grand Lodge's system, not just the local.



2026 Membership Meeting Dates

Times: Ft Mac 7pm, Calgary 6:30pm, all others 6pm

Nov 12 - Gr. Pr. **Dec 9th - Ft Mac**

NOTE November 12th meeting is a Thursday: we received dispensation from the Canadian office to move this meeting due to Remembrance Day falling on the Wednesday.

CSS Meetings October 14 - 15, 2026

The meetings were held at the Doubletree Hotel in West Edmonton. Thank you to all the stewards who were able to attend. Look for a posting of next years dates after the November meeting.

Fall Steward Training Sessions

Confirmed dates: November 18, 19 and 20th in Edmonton.

Contact ssylvestre@iamaw99.ca to get your spot and let him know if accommodations are required.

Conductor Sentinel Election 2026

Conductor Sentinel Nominees:

Chris Cherkowski, Trent Demanchuk, Steve Hull and Clayton Mikalson.

Ballots for this position have been sent to the printer and will be mailed by October 23, 2026.

For added security, we have purchased electronic padlocks for the ballot boxes. These will let us know exactly when and who accesses these boxes.

The December 9th membership meeting is when the election count will take place with the new terms beginning January 2027.

Results will be announced on all media platforms.

Negotiations:

Finning D50/EDC Parts:

Your team is trained and prepped for negotiations! They will be meeting with the Finning team this month to exchange proposals and begin the process of negotiating. Good Luck Everyone!

Fall Scholarships

Our apologies, we missed posting for the fall scholarships in September. As a result we will extend the closing date for applicants to November 11th, 2026.

Please include a basic cover letter, you latest transcripts and the name of the member you are related to.

Email: ll99exeutive@iamaw99.ca

Convyta Pension Administration

Convyta has been working diligently to resolve the problems with portal display and the functions for our IAM Western Canada Pension. The issue is software based.

That said, rest assured that the contributions are protected and consistently being deposited to the fund.

Proudly Serving

Kal Tire

Finning

Leavitt

Weldco

IAM UNION

October 20th, 2026 Website: **IAM99.ca**

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20 members Must attend to reach Quorum.

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IAM99 APP is LIVE

Our new app is live and can be downloaded from the app stores for both Apple and Android phones. Search IAM99.

You will have immediate access to whatever you need as the app directly links to the website.

Download it and for access you will need your Book# from the IAM, last name is password. For those who do not know their book#, the CSS have been provided with lists that have only your name and book number on them. Or send an email to the executive for assistance.

The first time you sign in you must create as a new user, then approval for your profile is required. It may take a day or two for that process as it is our 99 executive that doing the approvals. We are only volunteers and have other jobs. Please be patient.

Committee's seeking the Members!

Women, Young Workers, Political Action and Organizing Committees needed. Please email the executive if you are interested.

Women's Committee

We are pleased to announce the forming of a women's committee. These fine females have stepped up:

Alejandra Rodriguez, Caitlin Benoit and Katleen Bens

We look forward getting the IAM involved in our various communities. Please help these ladies in their journey and email the executive if you are interested in joining.

Business Reps Areas of Responsibility

Please direct your questions and concerns to the appropriate Rep if possible.

Directing Business Rep (DBR) – Kyle Franzen

Business Reps: Victor Quintanilla and Steve Luba

Local 1722

Cummins Calgary - **Victor**

Cummins Edmonton - **Victor**

Daiken - **Steve**

Diamond Intl - **Kyle**

Shepherd's Care - **Kyle**

Nors Group (Strongco) - **Victor**

UFCW Representatives - **Kyle**

UFCW Clerical Workers - **Kyle**

Wajax - **Kyle**

Local 99

Finning Main– **Steve/Kyle**

Finning D50 – **Victor**

Kal-Tire – **Steve**

Leavitt - **Victor**

Weldco - **Victor**

Local 2583

De Havilland - **Kyle**

Viacore - **Kyle**

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