

Business Managers Report for September 2026

Members available for work: Plumbers-1, Fitters-0, Apprentices-0, HVAC-0

Members Traveled Out- 73

Wishing all our members, families, and friends a Happy Labor Day weekend! The month of August saw a total of 202 members dispatched to work. Our current membership stands at 1,654. The delegates of Local 142 attended the 41st UA General Convention in San Diego, California. I would like to thank each of our delegates for their time, dedication, and commitment to representing Local 142. They did an excellent job representing our members and our local. We appreciate their hard work and the role they played in making sure the Local 142 was well represented.

The good years we experienced in 2024 and 2025 were only the beginning. Based on the work projections and opportunities ahead, 2026 and 2027 have the potential to look nothing like what we experienced in the past two years. We are seeing stronger manpower needs, increased contractor activity, and new opportunities that can bring more work and more members into Local 142.

Local 142 apprenticeship school year has begun, if you have any apprentices working late, please be sure that you allow them enough time to leave work and make it to school on time. The 2026 school year will have 411 apprentices this year.

We are still accepting applications for the Apprenticeship Director position so if you are interested in applying, please stop by the Union Hall to pick up an application. We encourage all qualified members to apply.

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Trino Baltazar

Business Manager