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LABOR LEADERS HONORED DURING UNITED WAY EVENT

The United Way recently honored several individuals with leadership awards at its "Celebration 2018" event at Chicago's Marriott Marquis Hotel. Among the honorees was Jorge Ramirez, President of the Chicago Federation of Labor, who received the Community leadership award.



Presenting the award to President Ramirez is Michael Sacks, CEO of GCM Grosvenor Capital Management.

Also honored was IBEW Local 134 as the top Labor contributor to the United Way. Don Finn, Business Manager for IBEW Local 134, accepted the award on behalf of the union.



Pictured above: IBEW Local 134 Business Manager Don Finn accepts the award from United Way Chair Robert Sullivan.

IMPORTANT NOTICE FROM THE ILLINOIS DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

A recent letter from IDOL announced the agency will be



conducting its annual survey of rates paid for various categories of work performed on public works projects. The survey will be soliciting data on wages and fringe benefits paid to workers at the time the survey is conducted - that is, wages and fringe benefits paid during the month of June 2018.

In the coming days, IDOL will be providing additional instructions on how to access and enter rate data into the online survey system scheduled to begin on June 1. Note that IDOL will not be accepting paper submissions in response to this rate survey. IDOL personnel will be available to provide technical support and assistance on any questions that may arise in connection with the survey.

CISCO ATTENDS CONSTRUCTION WORKFORCE FAIR

CISCO was on hand at a construction workforce fair hosted at Malcolm X College whereby residents learned about construction employment opportunities regarding the Old Cook County Hospital Renovation and Restoration Project.

Among the trades that the project is interested in includes carpenters, ironworker, painters, tile setters, electricians, plumbers, pipefitters,

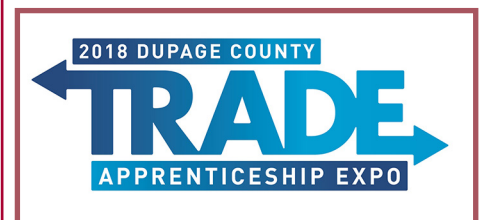
sheet metal workers, plasterers, roofers, terrazzo, laborers and elevator constructors.



Carpenters Assistant Apprenticeship Coordinator Maria Tybor explains the application process to a fair participant.

DUPAGE COUNTY APPRENTICESHIP EXPO - MAY 30, 2018

CISCO will be teaming up with the DuPage County Building Trades and PowerForward DuPage – who will host the event – on a DuPage County Apprenticeship Expo Wednesday, May 30, from 3:30 – 6:30 p.m. at IBEW Local 701 Hall, 28600 Bella Vista Parkway, Warrenville, IL, 60555.



Several different trades will be on hand to educate students, parents and adults about a career in the union construction industry. In addition, instructors will have an interactive demonstration of each craft, and will provide information on the application process, wages and benefits. To register, go to <https://powerforwarddupage.com>

More news and photos on the back page.

CISCO ON THE MOVE

CISCO/UNIVERSITY OF CHICAGO CONSTRUCTION TRADE FAIR

Eleven trades, and 10 workforce agencies that work closely with unions, joined CISCO and the University of Chicago and U of C Medicine in a recent Construction Trades Fair at the AKArarma Foundation in Woodlawn.

More than 300 men and women attended the first-time event, according to the Office of Civic Engagement. Executive Director of Construction Compliance Joan Archie added, "Membership in the trade unions can provide the avenue to a career generating a wage that can support families and change lives."

Campus officials receive many inquiries about potential job opportunities with so many on-going construction projects on campus.

Photos courtesy of the University of Chicago.



Pipefitters Local 597.



Heat & Frost Insulators Local 17.



Chicago Women in Trades.



Chicago Regional Council of Carpenters.



Bricklayers.



Sheet Metal Workers Local 73.



Finishing Contractors Assoc. of Chicago.



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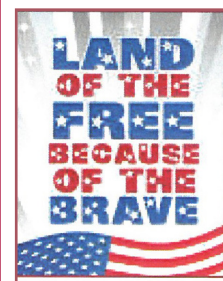
LABOR-MANAGEMENT HARMONY SUBJECT OF WCPT 820 AM AIRING

Examples of how management and labor work together were broadcast by WCPT 820 AM during a recent afternoon programming slot, holding a live remote from Capri Banquets in Countryside.



Radio host Ben Joravsky (left) chats with Miles Beatty (center) Executive Director of Finishing Contractors Association of Chicago and John Spiros, Business Manager/Secretary-Treasurer of Painters DC #14. Photo courtesy of Steve Fitzgerald - Creative Director, Finishing Chicago.

REMEMBERING THOSE WHO HAVE SERVED AND CONTINUE TO SERVE



Words can't express how much we appreciate and respect our country's veterans for their service. As we celebrate Memorial Day, we would like to take

a moment to express our deepest thanks to the brave men and women who have served and continue to serve in our military.

We recognize their courage, hard work and dedication to our nation's values, way of life and security, and we are humbled by their sacrifice. On Memorial Day and every day, we proudly salute America's veterans.

