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Aloha Members,

This is another month of canceled meetings because of the pandemic and unfortunately, we had three members that have tested positive for COVID-19 in July. That makes a total of five cases so far and hope that there is no more after this. We continue to remind everyone to continue social distancing and wearing of masks. Please be careful of large gatherings, you do not want to infect your family, friends, and co-workers.

Nominations for the Union election is over and mail-out ballots will be sent out in early August. Ballots must be sent back before August 22, 2020 for counting. Please follow all instructions before mailing back to avoid your ballot being voided.

Statewide election ballots have been mailed out also and we have posted the endorsement list on our website and app. We will also be mailing out the list as well. We want to emphasize the importance in all elections to vote. Let your voices be heard and counted.

Negotiations have begun for the Electrical Inside/Outside Agreement. This is another tough year to negotiate because of the pandemic situation on the economy. A possible one-year contract might be the way to go and tackle it next year when we hope a vaccine is found.

Trust Funds are coming back from the market plunge in March. Our fiscal year numbers show a positive 3% since last September 2019 until the end of June 2020. CATV Pension was at a high at their fiscal year ending in December 2019 and remains with a small negative at the end of June 2020.

Thank you for continually working through all of this, but please remain safe for you and your family.

In solidarity,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "D. Kim", written over a horizontal line.

Damien T.K. Kim
Business Manager/Financial Secretary