



# The Local Scene

For Members, Family and Friends of Teamsters Local 676

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*Happy Holidays From the  
Officers & Staff*

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Teamsters Local 676*



*Howard W. Wells*



We here at the Local understand that many of our members are experiencing rough going at this time. The War on Workers with its' assault on our benefits & wages, the recession which has eliminated jobs and overtime, and the effects of Irene have hit people hard.

We continue to fight for our members at the bargaining table and in the workplace. We encourage you to vote for labor friendly politicians and remind you that help is available from the State & National Government. When these safety nets fail please know that we will do our best to provide some assistance. When all else fails — **Call the Hall!**

General Membership Meeting  
December 18th at 11:00 AM

A Holiday Lunch will follow the Meeting

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## More Retirees Enjoying The Benefits of a Teamster Pension



l to r : Ernie Clements Vice President / BA Local 676 retiree Larry Yago & co-worker Bob Law  
Larry retired after 40 years with Allied Beverage

## Winners of the Election of Officers for the International Brotherhood of Teamsters

### General President

**James P. Hoffa**

### General Secretary-Treasurer

**Ken Hall**

### At-Large Vice-President

**Rome A. Aloise, Ferline Buie, George L. Miranda, Al R. Mixon, Fredrick Potter, Freddie Simpson, George Tedeschi**

### International Trustee

**Ron Herrera, Jim Kabell, Kevin D. Moore**

### Regional Vice-President-South

**Tyson C. Johnson, Kenneth "Ken" Wood**

### Regional Vice-President-Central

**Brian R. Buhle, John T. Coli  
Steve Poczowski, Gordon Sweeton**

### Regional Vice-President-East

**William Hamilton, Daniel Kane Sr.  
John F. Murphy, Sean O'Brien**

**The entire Hoffa ~ Hall Slate was elected by a 60% margin in the three way race.**



**Three Cheers  
For  
Retirees**

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They helped  
Build the Union**

**Michael Bareiszis Kowalsky Exp.**

**Mercer Hedgeman Jr Lo Biondo**

**Charles Hertneck United Parcel**

**James Magonagle Conti Const.**

**Linda Nixon CH Police Disp**

**Sam Spatolia City of Bridgeton**

### **Deceased Members**

**Gerald Wright ~ Active ~ Aramark Uniforms**

**Terrance Jones ~ Active ~ United Water**

**Phillip Marino ~ Active ~ City of Bridgeton**

**Lester Cuff Sr. ~ Retired ~ Cross Trans. & Leone Ind. ~ Member since 1938**

### Winter/Spring 2012 Meeting Schedule

**December 18th**

**January 15th**

**February 19th**

**March 18th**

**April 15th**

**May 20th**



## **Dream Big 2012-2013 James R. Hoffa Memorial Scholarship**

**For High School Seniors who are Children or Grandchildren  
of Teamster Members and Retirees**

**For info & application call Debbie at Local 676  
856-964-2101**