FYI to All local 7 TMT Members of NY/NJ – Latest Update on COVID-19

Good morning. We hope that all our members are faring well during these unprecedented times. As this pandemic continues, we encourage you to remain positive and follow the safety guidelines set forth by your local public health and elected officials. The New York State Department of health provides updates on the spread of the virus within the state and also important safety information for the public. You can access that information on their website here: https://coronavirus.health.ny.gov/home

Yesterday, Governor Cuomo signed Executive Order 202.6 CONTINUING TEMPORARY SUSPENSION AND MODIFICATION OF LAWS RELATING TO THE DISASTER EMERGENCY – which requires Employers to reduce in-person workforce to 50% at any work location no later than March 20 at 8pm. CONSTRUCTION is NOT SUBJECT to these restrictions. Read the entire Executive Order 202.6 here: https://www.governor.ny.gov/news/no-2026-continuing-temporary-suspension-and-modification-laws-relating-disaster-emergency?fbclid=IwAR2U36ZMnkAJEkis5P2NqbNzKzK_J81ygafzzYqdFclg9c7Dce8Vq_wfXI

Also, Governor Murphy stated “all trades shall be allowed to work on all construction sites in the State of NJ”.

We are attaching the protocols that the NYC Building and Construction Trades council and the BTEA are trying to implement on job sites

We are following information regarding COVID-19 and will continue to share any and all information pertinent to the NYS Building & Construction Trades.

Our office remains open and we are available to assist you in any way we can. Things are changing hour by hour so we will do our best to keep you updated on NY/NJ.

Stay safe and be well.

In Solidarity

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