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Brothers and Sisters,

The future of IBEW Local 1439 depends on the energy, ideas, and engagement of our younger members. That's why we're relaunching RENEW (Reach out and Engage Next-gen Electrical Workers)—an IBEW-wide initiative designed specifically for members 35 and under.

RENEW previously existed in our Local, but it's been dormant for too long. We're committed to bringing it back because we believe that when our next generation of workers is educated, engaged, and connected, our entire Union becomes stronger.

The mission of RENEW is to inspire younger IBEW workers to become active in their local union by focusing on issues important to you, providing education about the IBEW and the labor movement, and fostering relationships among members and with local union leadership. This isn't just another committee—it's your space to shape the future of our Local.

The goals of RENEW include educating the next generation about the benefits and history of the IBEW, providing a platform for younger members to discuss issues relevant to your workplace and community, and encouraging participation in programs that strengthen our Local and the broader labor movement. Whether that means social events, political engagement, organizing efforts, training opportunities, or addressing workplace concerns, this committee will be driven by what matters most to you. While we'll provide support and resources to help get RENEW established, this committee will be member-led. Your voices, your priorities, your leadership—that's what will make RENEW successful.

We invite you to join us for a meeting on Monday, March 31st at 4:30 PM at IBEW Local 1439. We hope to see you there!

This is your Union, and this is your time to help shape its future.

In Solidarity,

Jeremy Pour  
Business Manager/ Financial Secretary