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ATTENTION ALL IN-SERVICE APWU REPRESENTED CAREER EMPLOYEES

As I have mentioned in the last 2-3 weekly videos, as well in my President's Report, there will be an In-Service Register created in the Seminole P&DC for the Laborer Custodial-Level 4 positions. We have been advised that the USPS posting announcement will say something to the effect that:

*"This In-Service Register will be used to fill any vacancies not filled by the in-Craft procedures outlined in the Collective Bargaining Agreement. All interested in-service **career** employees within the Clerk and Mail Handler Crafts, in the area of consideration are invited to apply for the position(s)."*


The posting notice will go up at **Midnight, March 10, 2018**, and the closing date will be **Midnight, March 23, 2018**. We have also been advised that the USPS would like these positions filled with a targeted move date being **April 14, 2018**.

On page 275 in the 2017 Joint Contract Interpretation Manual (JCIM), there is new language that gives APWU represented career employees consideration '**prior**' to other non-APWU Crafts:

- 1. Give priority consideration to career Maintenance Craft employees using the in-service register in score order.*
- 2. **Give consideration to remaining APWU represented Craft employees.***
- 3. **Consider other career bargaining unit postal employees, regardless of craft or position, on the in-service register in score order.***

*****I have been asked questions from a few APWU members about the salary and seniority aspects and how they relate to this In-Service move. The rate of pay is at Level 4 'and' anytime you volunteer to go into another Craft, you will start a new period of seniority. Please consider these factors when making your decision.**

In Solidarity,



President

Cc: APWU Bulletin Board
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