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# The New Pitch

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## ELECTION RESULTS LOCAL 21 OFFICERS AND EXECUTIVE BOARD

The following officers were elected by the membership:

**President – Bill Berger**  
**Vice-President – John Egnor**  
**Secretary-Treasurer – Kimberly Reighley**  
**Delegate-at-Large – Howard Griffith**

### Executive Board

**Barbara Benedett**  
**Don Brill**  
**Howard Griffith**  
**Sylvia Jackson**  
**Vernon James**  
**John Lakatos**  
**Vince Marinelli**

Many thanks to those who took the time to vote. The new officers will be sworn into office at the next General Membership meeting, which will be held on Sunday, January 16, 2005.

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## GENERAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING

**Sunday, January 16, 2005**  
**1 PM, Union Hall**

**AGENDA:**  
**Swearing in of new officers**  
**Local Financial Report**  
**Booking Agency Report**  
**MPF Report**

**Mark your calendars!**  
**We hope to see you there.**

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## A MESSAGE FROM INCOMING PRESIDENT, BILL BERGER

Local 21 Brothers and Sisters,

Thank you very much for your support and your vote on November 21.

Thanks are due to Harvey for all of his work during his tenure. The magnitude of the job is awesome, so I'm sure I'll be calling on many of you for background information and help with the projects that are ahead of us.

I thank you again and I look forward to working with each one of you and a special congratulation to all of the new executive board members and the other officers.

Regards,  
Bill Berger

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### **2005 MEMBERSHIP DUES DUE BY JANUARY 31, 2005**

**Regular Members -** \$140.00/yr or \$36.25/qtr  
**Life Members -** \$69.00/yr or \$18.50/qtr  
**Inactive Life Members -** \$63.00/yr. or \$17.00/qtr

\*Life members who wish to become inactive life members may do so by notifying the local in writing. Inactive Life Members shall have all the rights and privileges of active members except that they shall not perform any professional engagements, vote or hold office.

#### **Late Payment and Suspension Policy**

Quarterly dues payments are due during the first month of each quarter (January, April, July and October). A \$1.00 fine will be imposed if dues are paid in the second month of the quarter. A \$2.00 fine will be imposed if dues are paid in the third month of the quarter.

Members failing to pay dues by the end of a quarter shall be suspended and reinstatement fees will be imposed (consult Article 6 Section 2 of the bylaws). Failure to pay dues by the end of six months will result in termination of membership.

#### **RESIGNATION PROCEDURE**

A member wishing to resign in good standing from Local 21 or any other Local of the AFM must do the following:

- Send a letter of resignation to the local
- Pay all financial obligations to that local, including the current quarter's dues.

Failure to follow this procedure will result in the member being dropped for non-payment of dues. This will jeopardize membership in all other locals of the AFM.