

"THE 2016 MAINTENANCE TEAM"

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WHY THE NEED FOR NEW LEADERSHIP??

...But the damage to the Maintenance Craft did not end there; rather APWU National Maintenance Craft Director Steve Raymer continued to spread these kinds of givebacks like a cancer by renegotiating and agreeing to the some 30% cuts in our MOS Clerk staffing levels. And the damage continued with APWU National Maintenance Craft Director Steve Raymer's renegotiation and Agreement to the new MS-47 better known as "TL-5" that is going to result in staffing cuts of around 30% of our Custodial jobs, and the hardest hit will be our most vulnerable lowest paid PSE's. Now APWU National Maintenance Craft Director Steve Raymer is renegotiating the MS-1 which makes it easy for me to predict another round of around 30% cuts he will agree to for our building-side jobs that include our BEM's. *We must replace our APWU National Maintenance Craft Officers with those who will FIGHT for us! We must elect a Team of APWU National Maintenance Craft Officers that will Stand Up and FIGHT for each and every one of us, who will not throw any of us under the bus or leave any of us behind, from our Custodians, PSE and Career alike, to our MOS Clerks, to our BEM's, AMT's, AMS's and other building-side Sisters and Brothers, to our MM's, MPE's, ET's and NST's!* (Mike Nodine, ET, Atlanta P&DC).

I wanted to let you know how pleased I am to see that Experienced and trusted individuals such as yourself has stepped up to the plate with a vision to advance the Maintenance Craft forward. There is no doubt in my mind that change is long overdue. As the Maintenance Craft Director of the Houston Area Local I know all too well that our National Maintenance Officers have forgotten about us. I am excited about the idea of respected leaders of the APWU Maintenance Craft coming together to create positive change on behalf of the members. I wholeheartedly support your agenda and your vision. (Houston Texas Area Local)



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