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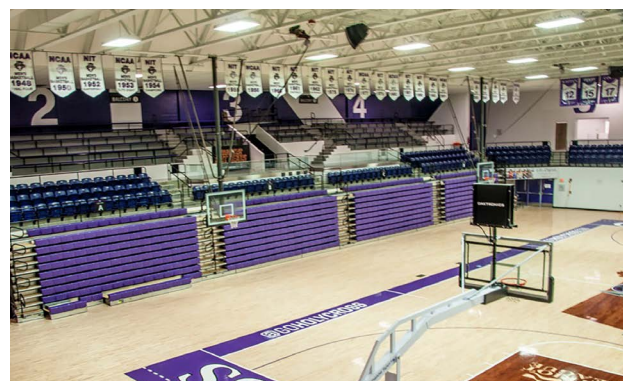
About IBEW Local 96

The International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers (IBEW) Local Union 96, based in Worcester, MA, has more than 350 member electricians and technicians and more than 100 signatory electrical and telecommunications contractors. Local 96 co-sponsors the five-year JATC Electrical Training program in Worcester with the National Electrical Contractors Association (NECA) Central Massachusetts Chapter. The organization is headed by Business Manager Thomas J. Maloney.

PROJECT NEWS

Ostrow Electric and IBEW Local 96 Complete College of Holy Cross Hart Center Expansion and Renovation

Architect: Sasaki Associates, Inc., Watertown, MA; GC: Bond, Everett, MA; EE: BR+A, Boston, MA



WORCESTER, MA – Electrical construction of the newly renovated and expanded Hart Center athletic and recreational facilities at the College of the Holy Cross was recently completed by IBEW Local 96 signatory contractor, Ostrow Electric, of Worcester, MA.

The electrical project scope was comprehensive in the multi-phase project, which included the renovation of the existing 140,000 square foot Hart Center sports facility and the ground-up construction of the

adjoining 150,000 square foot new performance center addition.

Renovations to the existing Hart Center arena included electrical installations for the new entrance to the building, new lighting systems for the entire facility, and state-of-the-art A/V systems. The renovated field house features a fully modernized basketball and ice hockey arena for the Holy Cross NCAA Division 1 programs, exercise studios, weight training rooms, shower and locker room,

and the college's centers for health, wellness and fitness programming.

The Hart Center's new sports performance facility entailed Ostrow and its IBEW Local 96 crew providing installations of the facility's primary and emergency power, electrical distribution, interior and exterior lighting and lighting control systems, fire alarm system, tel/data and security systems. The state-of-the-art addition houses a 64,000 square foot indoor practice facility for the College's

Division 1's athletic programs, an auxiliary gym for basketball team practice and volleyball practice/competition; specialty space for sports medicine; a state-of-the-art 9,500 square foot strength and conditioning space; athletic program offices; meeting rooms; and an exterior plaza for special events.

Ostrow Electric Project Manager Dan Small, General Foreman John Peterson and Foreman Ed Gutierrez managed a skilled field crew of 18 Local 96

electricians at peak construction in the complex, 21-month project. The project commenced in January 2016 and was completed as scheduled, on September 29th, 2017.

Ostrow worked on a project team with architect, Sasaki Associates, Inc., of Watertown, MA, general contractor BOND, based in Everett, MA, and engineering firm Bard, Rao + Athanas Consulting Engineers (BR+A), of Boston.

Dagle Electrical Construction, IBEW Local 96 nearing completion of Worcester Street Lighting Retrofit and Traffic Signal Project

WORCESTER, MA – Dagle Electrical Corp., based in Wilmington, MA, and its field crew of 12 IBEW Local 96 electricians are nearing completion of the citywide Worcester Street Lighting Retrofit and Traffic Signal project. The project entails the installation of over 13,000 energy-efficient LED streetlights throughout roadways of Worcester by the Local 96 team. The LED fixtures will be network-integrated with such intelligent control features as dimming, diagnostics, adaptive scheduling, and failure alerts. The clean energy

project is expected to be completed months ahead of schedule, in November 2017. The project will result in significant energy savings for Worcester – approximately \$910,000 and over 6,000,000 kWh will be saved annually. The LED retrofit project will result in reduced annual maintenance costs for Worcester.



EDUCATION & TRAINING NEWS

IBEW Local 96 Apprentices Begin Five-Year JATC Electrical Training

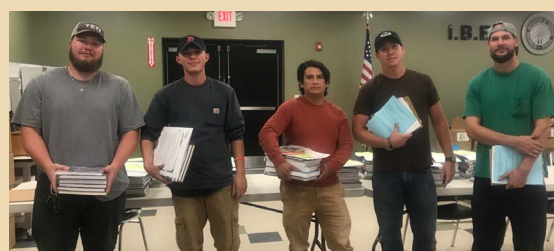


Book Day at Local 96! First-Year Apprentices with Worcester JATC Training Director L to R: Kevin Vigeant, Daniel Weatherbee, Utevenway Mulbah, Worcester JATC Training Director and Local 96 Business Agent Dave Martinelli, and Jose Porter

On September 5th, IBEW Local 96 introduced 33 first year apprentices into the Worcester Joint Apprenticeship Training Committee (JATC) five-year Electrical Training Program. Classes are held Tuesday and Thursday evenings at the Worcester Vocational Tech. Some

sessions are also held at the Local 96 Union Hall at 242 Mill Street in Worcester. This year's apprenticeship class, the largest in more than a decade, is comprised of a diverse group of Central Massachusetts residents, most of whom are recent graduates of Worcester area vocational schools.

The JATC electrical training program consists of 1,000 hours in the classroom and 10,000 hours of on-the-job field training. IBEW Local 96 and the National Electrical Contractors Association (NECA) Central Massachusetts Chapter co-sponsor the industry-leading program.



L to R: First year apprentices Michael Worster, Dino Gleason, Jorge Gurango, Eric Daniel, Stephen Short

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