

Standing Committee  
January 15, 2014

**USC:** Mike Rochon, Paul Burgher, Curt Ollila, Mike Benthin, Herb Williamson (notes)

**MSC:** Dave Hathaway, Emily Riggott, Heath Gibson, Ian Dieter,

**Guests:** Steve Francoeur

**Business Update**

- Lost time injury, napkin Folder #41. Looking at collateral issues.
- Kelly Wolfe will attend working Safe beyond the Rule in February
- Recovery Boiler, issues with State and Federal Agencies over opacity, Violation by Oregon withdrawn as Oregon was in Conflict with Federal rules
- Box Facial now at 4 crews 24/7 Operation
- Costco buyers to visit Halsey and Wauna at end of January
- Angle Soft, project Ammo, make bigger roll with same base sheet
- Steve to be out of mill next 3 weeks

**Agenda Items**

**13-08, 13-16, & 13-24:** Have been paid

**3<sup>rd</sup> Step grievance Responses:** sent to hall on 13-30 & 13-40, 13-49, all concern scheduling issues. Company says confusion exists between contract and past practice. Union agrees that confusion exists. Company says that no ground rules exist and don't see how a violation occurred

**13-30 Scheduling:** Hold Timely

**13-49 Scheduling:**

**USC:** Holiday curtailment counts as day worked, mate should have been called to cover OT

**MSC:** Feels that USC is going with past practice on some grievances and CBA on others

**Spot Bonuses**

**MSC:** 71 Spot Bonuses given in 2013 for \$53,500

**13-44- 1&2 PM Curtailment**

**MSC:** Scheduler does not provide them a mate list, asks how to document merging of 1&2 ladders during curtailment. Salaried and hourly personnel will work out SOP to deal with this in the future

**Theft Issues**

**MSC:** Thefts have occurred in East Maintenance shops, locks have been changed but thefts continue. Ian asked that USC consider a camera. There is a exterior lay down (salvage) and a receiving area at stores that also have occasional thefts, cameras being considered.

**USC:** Would agree to East Maintenance camera on outside covering door with sign. Don't support use of cameras in other areas

MSC: Would like to put camera on Salvage Yard Gate

USC: Gate camera would cover work area so we would object to this.

### **13-07 Wage rates**

MSC: Ian explained the differences between accounting systems 3 decimal vs. 6 decimals and why different systems are used. Everyone is being paid correctly, CBA is inaccurate

### **Master Tech Position**

Discussion around Master Tech position in box facial, unprecedented position

### **13-45 & 13-46**

MSC: 13-45, Coached, 1<sup>st</sup> infraction

MSC: 13-46, Reprimanded, 2<sup>nd</sup> infraction,

MSC: Will look into this further

### **P-Pay Update**

Decisions made in January/February

### **3<sup>rd</sup> Step Grievances**

#### **13-48 No Union Electrician shadowing Contractor:**

USC: Policy requires Union Electrician

MSC: Legally some work is considered proprietary and private by vendor until Georgia Pacific accepts full ownership, Kim Nelson POC

#### **13-51 Late reporting of accident Discipline:**

USC: Asked reprimand be reduced to letter of discussion

MSC: Asks union to discuss with grievant

USC: Supervisor made statements during interview that USC would like management to discuss with supervisor

#### **13-47 Salaried Activation of Equipment:**

MSC: Discussion was held with Ron Berry

#### **13-32 Unitizing:**

USC: Requests 3<sup>rd</sup> Step Answer

#### **13-33 Pay issue:**

MSC: Paid off

### **2<sup>nd</sup> Step Grievances**

#### **13-52:**

USC: EE gave OT away but was not called when additional opening occurred, had not checked "don't call" box on give away form

#### **13-53 Shift Relief Policy:**

USC: Make 2 affected employees whole for 11/24 & 11/25

MSC: One employee not covered by grievance and is not timely, also has issue with "make whole" whole as remedy, should be specific

USC: We will file and promote grievance for employee if required

JSC: Discussion over issue of timeliness

MSC: Want employees to observe 30 day window for filing grievance

**13-54 Maintenance Coverage:**

USC: OT not being allotted by senior qualification, cross off list being used, pay employees as if they had worked (make whole)

MSC: Hathaway- Rotation is common in maintenance for non routine activities

USC: local strongly feels seniority should have been used

**14-01 Maintenance Shift Relief:**

USC: Will withdraw if going forward this position is bid

MSC: Not a "Regular" position, don't bid non regular jobs

USC: Has been bid for many years

**14-02 Pay Issue (Make Whole):**

USC: Hold Timely

**Meeting Adjourned.**



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For the Company