# IUOE - Stationary Engineers, Local 39 and County of Solano

# **2022 Contract Negotiations**

#### **Tentative Agreement**

### 8.7 Qualified Application Certificate (QAC)

This subsection will apply to the Senior Public Works Maintenance Workers assigned to the Channel Maintenance Crewemployees in the classification series of Public Works Maintenance Worker. Airport Maintenance Worker, Groundskeeper, and Park Ranger that are approved by their supervisor and/or manager for the Qualified Applicator Certificate (OAC).

# A. The County will pay:

- 1. The initial application and renewal fees required for a Qualified Applicator Certificate (QAC).
- Examination fees associated with initial and one reexamination fee for Laws and Regulations, Right-of-Way pest category, and Aquatic pest category.
- 3. Fees associated with the accumulation of no less than twenty (20) hours of Approved Continuing Education every two (2) years before certificate renewal, four (4) hours must cover the topic of pesticide laws and Regulations and approved by the Channel Maintenance Supervisors and/or the Operations manager. Evidence of successful completion of the course must be submitted.
- 4. Fees Associated with membership in the Pesticide Applicators Professional Association (PAPA).

This subsection will apply to the Public Works Maintenance Workers Assigned to the Channel Maintenance Crew.

#### B. The County will pay:

Fees associated with Continuing education as offered to Senior Public Works
Maintenance Workers, upon the approval of the Channel Maintenance
Supervisors and/or the Operations Manager. Employees taking courses which
encroach on their regular scheduled working hours shall be entitled to
continuing education time.

#### 8.8 Qualified Applicators Certificate (QAC) Incentive Pay

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Employees in the classes classifications series of Groundskeeper, Park Ranger, Park Ranger, Park Ranger Assistant, Public Works Maintenance Worker, and Public WorksAirport Maintenance Worker (Senior) who possess a State of California Qualified Applicators Certificate who are regularly assigned duties consistent with the use of such certification will receive a 1.5% pay differential for possession of such certificate.

For incentive pay to continue, the employee must continuously maintain a valid certification and be assigned duties consistent with the use of such certification.

The County and the Union reached tentative agreement on Monday, August 29, 2022.

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Initials: County Union Date: 8/29/22