



## Brotherhood of Maintenance of Way Employees Division of the International Brotherhood of Teamsters

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TO: ALL GENERAL CHAIRMEN AND SYSTEM SECRETARY TREASURERS

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After several years of development and six months of intense testing and refining, we have implemented our new Accounts Receivable and Membership tracking programs. To insure there will be no complications with the upcoming Convention vote counts, the upgrade took effect with the posting of May dues.

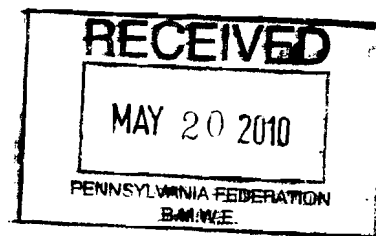
The new SQL based system is a vast improvement over our previous operating system. It will greatly enhance our ability to process dues payments, dues refunds and reporting. Also, it will streamline and improve our capabilities for various government reporting, audits and in house reports.

As I stated above, we have spent several months of intense testing trying to address all possible situations. However, as with any software upgrade of this magnitude, there could be an issue which, to this point, has not surfaced in our testing.

Therefore, we thank you for your patience and understanding. We ask that you pay close attention to your monthly membership updates and financial statements. If you find any issues with these reports, please contact Director of Information Services Rick Forbes at: [rick@bmwe.org](mailto:rick@bmwe.org) or Assistant Director of Information Services Chris Leidy at: [chris@bmwe.org](mailto:chris@bmwe.org).

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