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Subj: Machinists Wood, Pulp & Paper Council Conference  
Seneca Niagara Casino & Resort  
September 15-19, 2025



TO: All Woodworker District Directing Business Representatives,  
Local Presidents and Recording Secretaries

This is the official call for our Machinists Wood, Pulp & Paper Council (MWPPC) Conference being held September 15-19, 2025, at the Seneca Niagara Casino & Resort, 310 4th Street, Niagara Falls, NY, 14303. Travel days will be Monday, September 15, and Friday, September 19, with **Conference registration beginning on Monday, September 15 from 4:30 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. and continuing Tuesday, September 16 from 7:30 a.m. to 9:00 a.m.** The Conference will convene at 9:00 a.m. with a welcoming address and opening remarks from General Vice President David Sullivan.

Newly appointed MWPPC President Matt Murdaugh will chair this meeting and direct the busy agenda. Council business will include Machinists Wood, Pulp & Paper Council Officer elections for Vice President and Conductor Sentinel, a host of great speakers, and a strong focus on organizing, educating, and empowering. Some of the highlights at the Conference will be a Guide Dogs of America/Tender Loving Canines Fundraising Event.

To attract as many participants as possible to this important Conference, we have arranged for a special room rate of \$125.00, plus a \$20 resort fee and tax, per room per night. Please make your hotel reservation by contacting the hotel's in-house reservations department at **1-877-873-6322** and identify yourself as participants of the **SMWPPC1** in order to receive your special group rate. A credit card and one night's advance deposit will be required to secure a room. **The cut-off date for this rate is Thursday, August 14.** After that date, we cannot guarantee the special room rate nor the availability of a room. Cancellations must be made **48 hours prior to arrival** to avoid a charge for the first night's room and tax.

A **Registration Form** is enclosed with this letter. Please complete the form and return it to the IAM Woodworkers Department, c/o **Bailey** at 9000 Machinists Place, Upper Marlboro, MD 20772, or email [bsimonds@iamaw.org](mailto:bsimonds@iamaw.org).

The **Conference Registration fee will be \$125.00 per delegate and \$75.00** for each guest and can be paid upon arrival at the Conference. This fee will help defray the cost of the Machinists Wood, Pulp & Paper Council Conference.

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Our 2025 MWPPC Conference will be a unique opportunity to exchange ideas and spend time with fellow wood, pulp and paper workers. I encourage all our Districts and Locals in the wood, pulp and paper industries to plan your calendars and budgets for delegates to attend. I know it will be a rewarding experience for all involved.

If there are any questions concerning this Conference, please direct them to Woodworkers Department Chief of Staff Bob Walls at 301-967-4555.

In solidarity,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Brian Bryant", with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

Brian Bryant  
International President

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Enclosures: Registration Form  
Machinists Wood, Pulp & Paper Council Bylaws

cc: Executive Council  
Erwin, National President—NFFE/IAM  
All Chiefs of Staff  
All Directors

***International Association of Machinists & Aerospace Workers  
Machinists Wood, Pulp and Paper Council Conference  
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***REGISTRATION FORM***

The following member will attend the IAM Wood, Pulp and Paper Conference being held September 15-19, 2025 at The Seneca Niagara Resort & Casino, Niagara Falls, NY.

One form per member please—

Name	
Title	
District	OR, Local
Guest's Name	
GVP	
Employer	
Mailing Address:	
Street	
City	
State/Province	Zip code
Email	
Office Phone	Cell
Home Phone	Fax

***PLEASE RETURN THIS FORM VIA USPS OR EMAIL TO:***

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