## **Transportation Communications Union/IAM**

International Association of Machinists and Aerospace Workers



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TCU/IAM Financial Secretary-Treasurers

Dear Brothers and Sisters:

**Railroad Retirement tax rates for 2025 remain the same as in 2024.** The employer and employee Tier I rate remains at 7.65% (Tier I is 6.2%, Medicare is 1.45%). The employer Tier II rate remains at 13.1%. The employee Tier II rate remains at 4.9%. The annual maximum compensation amounts subject to Tier I and Tier II tax have increased and are shown below. These rates will remain in effect throughout the year unless we notify you of a change.

## RAILROAD RETIREMENT EARNINGS/TAX RATES FOR THE YEAR 2025

Employee Earnings Subject to RR Tax	Employer Tax Rate	Employee Tax Rate
Tier I (0 to \$176,100)	6.2%	6.2%
Tier II (0 to \$130,800)	13.1%	4.9%
*Medicare (No Limit)	1.45%	1.45%

Please insert this revised notice in Section 7 of your FST's Handbook after the Railroad Retirement Tax Worksheet and discard the outdated notice. <u>Please contact your Grand Lodge Auditor if you have any</u> <u>guestions or need assistance.</u>

Yours truly,

Gregory Kocialski National Secretary-Treasurer

