



TEAMSTERS LOCAL UNION No. 31

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TEAMSTERS JOINT COUNCIL NO. 36 DONATES \$10, 000 to the VARIETY CLUB

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Vancouver, BC - The 53rd Annual Variety Club Show of Hearts Telethon hosted at the Hard Rock Casino and presented by Global BC news was a success raising more than five million dollars for the children of British Columbia.

Every year since the Telethon's inception in 1966, the Teamsters Joint Council No. 36 comprised of Local Unions 31, 155, 213 and 464 has proudly volunteered the Union's services.

The forty-five strong members of the Teamsters attended the casino parking lot dedicated to special guests and performers. Also, members greeted event volunteers at the entrance ways inside the casino and guided guests, performers and production staff to where they needed to be. Several Teamsters stationed at a registration table inside the main foyer assisted the general operations of the Teamster volunteers.

As a yearly tradition, the event co-coordinator from the Teamsters, Mike Hennessy and President, Joint Council No. 36, Stan Hennessy helped raise money on the phone gold panel. Together, during the one hour allotted they raised well over a thousand dollars as members of the Teamsters dialed-in and donated.

At its yearly fundraiser, the Joint Council No. 36 used its collective efforts of the four Local Unions and fundraised ten thousand dollars for the Variety Club charity.

Global BC Anchor, Chris Gailus hosted the live on-air presentation from President, Stan Hennessy and Business Agent, Mike Hennessy. "Every year our Joint Council fundraises for the children in need of specialized care and we're proud to donate \$10,000," stated President Hennessy.

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