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Interviewee Gerald Brown

Interviewee Marilyn Coulter

Security Date = 1-1995 Fisher Security-

Original 5-85 SPO in Lansing

Education = High School (classes at college)

Military 4 years

96 more TO SPO in Pontiac 1992 (moving with you works to another city) come back to Fisher in 1994.

Don Lee first supervisor

5 jobs in 3 hours first day.

First day had a ~~conf~~ confrontation with Don Lee. Wayne Roberts separated the 2 of us. and moved to another department and boss.

He is 6'5" tall jobs were difficult being this height.

A driving job as SPO in Pontiac drove 180 miles a day for 2 years

Participated in a strike in 1998 in Flint.

Brother in law works in Body Shop.

Came from Military in Georgia up to ~~Fisher~~ SPO in Lansing.

Body Shop vs Trim Body Shop no shorts or light clothing, Trim would never breakdown. Body Shop also would breakdown occasionally

Harold Brown

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Friendships = Hard to do, except certain areas in the plant you would be work in.

1995. Election for Worker Comp and Unemployment Position, and won.

Ran for Sgt at Arms in ~~the~~ previous election and lost in a run off election. Don Williams won this election.

Compaigning during paint shop wearing robe and was causing problems in the work. Dennis Quaney then shadowed him further in his compaigning.

Unemployment + Worker Comp Chairman
→ Needs to know all the laws related to Unemployment, and also compensation laws.

He believes that some people are not aware of what they need to know about Unemployment and Workmen's Compensation.

All locals or most do not have a Unemp + Comp Chair. Harold believes that one is needed for a local Union Hall.

Mentor with Comp program (Teaching high school people about the auto industry)

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9-18-05

- Most appreciated benefit = SUB Pay -
Supplemental Unemployment Benefits.
- Best Memory - An opportunity to serve
as a local union official. Serve other
people to the best of his ability.
One of the best workplace employees in
the group of employees.

Fisher Body has all race and cultures, this
is an asset to the Fisher Body Plant.

Gender Mix = Females did some jobs
as men in the Body Shop.

Best Quote for new hire = get a mentor and
duplicate this person.

Best Quote about 602, sacrifice Security has
to benefits

Union representation = credits ^{VAW} 1753 Local
for getting him involved in the UAW.
Not as active in Pontiac because of
the long drive. 602 is one of the best
locals in the country.

Local 602 = Open door policy (questions
answered and easily approached).

Most locals do not have Unemployment
and Workman Comp on the Executive
board except our local.