

Teamsters Local 727: By the Numbers

9,100

Total membership

1,100

Total membership in the paratransit industry

70

New contracts secured in 2014, including several first contracts

7

Years of continuous membership growth, including 4 percent growth in 2014



900

New members organized in 2014

15

Percent of local union's asset growth in 2014

7

Number of Local 727 staff members with law degrees, including Secretary-Treasurer John T. Coli and President John Coli Jr.

→ **Local 727 bargains with national corporations like \$4 billion funeral industry giant SCI, Osco and CVS pharmacies, First Group and more.**

→ **Local 727 employs a full-time, in-house legal department to handle grievances and arbitrations and file labor board charges against bad employers.**

→ **Local 727's communications director keeps members informed via newsletters, bargaining updates and the union's website, TeamstersLocal727.org.**

→ **Local 727's strong financial health allowed the union to pay strike benefits to members during a seven-month labor dispute in 2013.**