

## Jennifer Neduzak

Tradeswomen Heroes Award  
Winner - May 2024



**Level of Experience:** Journeyworker

**Years in Trade:** 10 years

**Union:** IUPAT

**Local:** 579

**City:** Milwaukee, WI

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### Why Jennifer Was Nominated

Jennifer Neduzak is not just a Paint Maker by trade - she is a beacon of leadership and empowerment within the construction industry.

Since beginning her career in 2004, Jennifer has continually demonstrated her dedication to her craft and her union. Holding various positions within Local 579, including Trustee and Financial Secretary, Jennifer has proven herself as a committed advocate for her fellow union members.

Her collaborative and supportive leadership style has earned her respect and admiration from colleagues and peers alike. As the first female staff member at IUPAT DC7, Jennifer broke barriers and paved the way for other women in the industry. Her role as Community Outreach Representative allowed her to build strong relationships and make a tangible impact within her jurisdiction.

Notably, Jennifer spearheaded the annual Trunk or Treat event at IUPAT DC7 Headquarters, providing a fun and inclusive space for the community to come together. Jennifer's dedication to empowering women extends beyond her professional life.



As a founding member of empowHER, she works tirelessly to support, recruit, and retain women in the Building Trades in Wisconsin. Her involvement in Kids Building Wisconsin reflects her commitment to inspiring the next generation of construction professionals. Additionally, Jennipher's pursuit of a college degree in Graphic Design showcases her commitment to personal growth and her desire to enhance her District Council's capabilities.

Rooted in her upbringing with a single mother who worked multiple jobs to support their family, Jennipher understands the value of hard work and perseverance. She pays it forward by supporting and encouraging future leaders within her organization, regardless of gender. In her free time, Jennipher enjoys camping with her family, playing with her dog Murphy, and cherishing moments with friends.

Her multifaceted approach to life reflects her passion for both her work and her community. Jennipher Neduzak embodies the true spirit of a Tradeswomen Hero, and she is more than deserving of recognition for her contributions to the industry.