

RMLD crews get early Valentine from Ashburnham



Reading, MA, January 29, 2009 – Ten 12-year-old Ashburnham girls attending a pajama party were thrilled to get their electricity back after days of being without power in the December ice storm. They took the time to make a love poster thanking Reading Municipal Light Department (RMLD) – just in time for Valentine’s Day. RMLD crews helped out the small towns of Ashburnham, Groton and Sterling that needed extra crews to deal with the extensive damage the towns suffered. On hand to receive the framed poster were: kneeling, l-r, 1st Class Linemen Dave Ericson and Chris Gray, Lineman Paul Vartanian, 1st Class Lineman Scott Hanson; standing, l-r, Engineering Project Manager Brian Smith, Leader Lineman Tom Williamson, 1st Class Lineman Peter Ducey, Chief Engineer Peter Price, Engineering Project Manager Ken Evans, Leader Linemen Jim Green and Steve DeFerrari, 1st Class Lineman Phil LaFleur and Lineman Ryan Kiley. Missing from photo are 1st Class Linemen Chuck Helmka and Steve Smith and Troubleman Matt Brown.