



## **NEGOTIATIONS UPDATE**

Our offer to 636 was voted down this morning. Our offer was in-line with other Michigan construction contracts. Unfortunately, 636 proposed an outrageous wage package of \$9 over 3 years.

The current 636 contract expires on Saturday May 31<sup>st</sup>. There is no extension, although we are discussing this and other issues on the best way to move forward. 636 has not threatened to strike. We will take our case directly to our workforce, and we'll need everyone's help in sending out a letter that we are preparing. We hope to reach an agreement as soon as possible.

As for 98, negotiations are just starting to advance and will continue beyond the May 31 expiration and into next week.

**PLEASE DO NOT SIGN AN INTERIM AGREEMENT.** We do not know whether 636 or 98 sent out these agreements, but be prepared. There is no strike, so there is no reason to even consider signing one. Please call us if you are contacted about signing an Interim Agreement to discuss your rights and options.

Please make certain that we have your email address and other contact information. We will continue to keep you informed ...

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