



Bargaining Bulletin

CAW Local 555, Unit 1

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Conciliation Filed!

The Union filed for conciliation on June 11th to ensure that the current collective agreement remains in full force and effect beyond the June 15th expiry date.

We have bargaining dates set next week for June 15, 16, & 17.

The parties have now signed off on about 80% of the collective agreement language.

On Thursday June 11th, the Union tabled its monetary proposals.

EXTREMELY IMPORTANT!

**Unit 1 Membership Meeting
Tuesday June 16th, 2009
Burridge Gymnasium**

**Ivor Wynne Centre
12 noon - 2 pm
(food provided)**

**Guest Speaker:
Jim Stanford,
CAW Economist**

Jim will speak on the place of the universities in the economic crisis and the sustainability and importance of defined benefit pension plans.

Please advise your manager about this meeting as soon as possible. The university is supporting your attendance. Off campus members will be afforded reasonable travel time.

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