



Ministry of Labour Vote on University's Last Offer

A "No" vote does not mean you will be on strike on Friday. Only the Union can call a strike and one will not be called prior to Labour Day weekend.

A "No" vote means "Send the University Back to the Table"

A "No" vote means "Renewed Hope for the Future"

The current pension deficit position follows years of plan surpluses where the university took contribution holidays. In the 5 years between 2000/01 and 2005/06, the university took contribution holidays totalling about \$99,000,000 and in the 13 years leading up to 2000, the University did not contribute at all to the fund. In essence, members paid for their own pension benefits. Now they want to take it away.

A "Yes" vote means taking a Bad Deal

Please exercise your right to have a say about your future. Here's where and when:

Wednesday, September 2, 2009		
Kitchener	50 Queen Street North Suite 700 in the Boardroom	9:30 a.m. – 10:30 a.m.
St. Catharines	142 Queenston Road, Classroom 4 Niagara Regional Campus, Hospital 1 st floor	1:00 p.m. – 2:00 p.m.
Henderson Hospital	711 Concession Street, The Atrium, Level 1 – enter from the main lobby	8:00 a.m. – 10:30 a.m.
Stonechurch Medical Centre	1475 Upper Ottawa St. Main lobby	11:15 a.m. – 12:15 p.m.
St. Joseph's Hospital	St. Joseph's Healthcare, Charlton Medical Centre 2 nd floor lobby – Juravinski Innovation Tower	2:30 p.m. – 5:30 p.m.
Downtown Centre	50 Main Street East Room 216	8:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.
Hamilton General	237 Barton Street Main Lobby at Hospital entrance (Level 2)	12:30 p.m. – 3:15 p.m.
Chedoke Hospital	565 Sanatorium Road Ewart Building, Main floor	4:15 p.m. – 5:30 p.m.

Thursday, September 3, 2009 on the Main Campus		
Michael DeGroot Centre for Learning & Discovery (MDCL)	Room 2230	8:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.
	There will be four voting booths.	1:30 p.m. – 5:30 p.m.

The Ministry of Labour has arranged the following voting locations for the vote on September 2 and 3. Members are allowed to vote at a poll that is different from where they normally work. However, if you do that, your ballot may be "segregated". This means your ballot may be put inside two envelopes for later review to ensure that no one votes more than once.