

We are reaching out to emphasize the importance of participating in the upcoming vote on your new union contract. This is your opportunity to have your voice heard and to shape the future of your union and the membership.

The proposed contract includes several significant benefits that we have worked for over the years. These include a 17% raise over the next four years, ensuring that your dedication and hard work are rewarded. Additionally, we have negotiated increases in both your meal and expense allowances, recognizing the need to better support you in your daily work.

We have expanded your Union status as well. The expansion of signatory productions into New Jersey, Long Island, Westchester, and Connecticut will allow more members to join the MPI health and pension plans, enhancing the security and benefits available to all members. We have also achieved an increase in the production companies' contributions to our health and pension plans, ensuring the sustainability and improvement of these essential benefits.

Your participation in this vote is vital. It is your chance to affirm the progress we have made and to continue building a strong, united future for all members of CWA Local 1101. Every vote counts, and your voice is essential.

You will receive a ballot via text message directly after the CWA Local 1101 membership meeting, which will be held on Zoom (link below), on Tuesday October 29th at 12:00pm. If you have any questions or need further information, please do not hesitate to contact Business Agent Keith Hogarty at 917-757-4075.

I want to express my gratitude for your solidarity and patience throughout this process. It is your unwavering support that empowers us to negotiate and secure the best possible terms for our membership.

Let us stand together and make our voices heard.

In Unity

CWA Bargaining Team

Link for zoom meeting:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/85924800996?pwd=eleEsib8LhlUwnNzgMraT5sddGZG81.1>