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NEGOTIATIONS UPDATE

Negotiations continued from 8:30am to 7:00pm on Saturday. While the day began with the parties trying to work toward resolution on incremental PTO and PSMs, things took a bad turn when the Employer informed the bargaining team that they would not be able to take back an agreement without the proposed health insurance changes.

Because of the Employer's position on health care and the difficulty of the issues we are dealing with, we need your feedback. We will be holding a meeting first with our second table and FBC, and then we will meet with the membership to get your feedback on where you want us to go in these negotiations. After we get your feedback we will return to negotiations.

Stay strong and united! Continue wearing red and wearing your buttons!

More information on those meeting dates and times will be shared at later date. Because of today's developments, there will be no negotiations on Sunday and therefore, no news brief.

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