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To: Local 71 Members working for the State of Alaska

RE: Negotiations update

Brothers and Sisters:

Local 71's last negotiation with the State focused on:

- Health Trust contributions,
- Improving working rules and conditions
- Clarifying workweeks

Nothing was Tentatively Agreed to. When your negotiating team believes we have the best possible contract under the current fiscal conditions we will send out information on the proposed contract for membership ratification.

**YOUR CURRENT RED CONTRACT STAYS IN PLACE UNTIL THE MEMBERSHIP  
VOTES AND RATIFIES A NEW AGREEMENT.**

We were able to resolve an on-going problem for those working under the 4-day Alternate Work Week Letter of Agreement. There has been a change to resolve the issue being created by the "midnight to midnight" language. We hope that this will alleviate the headaches being created trying to figure out the payroll for those working the midnight shifts.

We are expecting our next negotiating meeting to be mid November.

In solidarity,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Dennis Moen'.

Dennis Moen  
Business Manager  
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