

CWA/IBEW Bargaining Update for Tuesday, July 22, 2008

The bargaining Committees met in sub-committee today and continued to focus on jobs. As the Unions continued to stress the importance of this issue, specific discussions concerning TRG COEI work took place with Operating management joining the Company's bargaining team to address the Union's questions and concerns. Further sub-committee meetings are scheduled for tomorrow.

As we get closer to the expiration of the contract Locals will be scheduling Picket assignments. Keep in touch with your Local Mobilization coordinators for information on all mobilization activities. Attendance numbers for this Saturday's rally in New York City continue to grow. CWA President Larry Cohen and the Vice Presidents from Districts 2 and 13 will be joining District 1, Vice President Chris Shelton at the rally. If you have not already signed up, please see your Local mobilization coordinator to do so.