



LOCAL 1-2 UPDATE

CONTRACT NEGOTIATIONS

- ◆ This morning - June 22, 2009 - at 11:00 am, we begin sequestered, intensified and probably around the clock negotiations with TransCanada in Brooklyn.
- ◆ As of last Friday - June 19, 2009 - there has not been a significant wage offer from TransCanada.
- ◆ TransCanada is playing a very dangerous game.
- ◆ This is not the time for brinkmanship or posturing.
- ◆ If TransCanada thinks because other Unions in New York State have made significant concessions based on the state of the economy that this Union will follow suit, they better think again.
- ◆ It's time to bargain seriously now to prevent this plant from shutting down.
- ◆ If there is a shutdown, it can be laid solely at TransCanada's doorstep.
- ◆ A hotline has been established at 1-866-870-4991 beginning at 6:00 pm, June 22, 2009, and continuing until a tentative agreement is reached or a job action occurs. We will keep you posted.

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LOCAL 1-2, AFL-CIO