

THE UPDATE 2.0

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CONSULTATIONS

The employer has cancelled the last 2 consultations. Collection & Delivery will now take place on April 1st. WMPP will now take place on April 2nd. There is still time to add to the agenda. Please email vicepresident@cupwwpg.ca

THE PERSPECTIVE - NATIONAL

National has released a new issue of The Perspective with overviews on both the Urban and RSMC tentative agreements. Please subscribe to the national mailing list to receive important bulletins This can be found at:

<https://www.cupw.ca/en/campaign/resources/perspective-magazine-tentative-agreements-ratification-vote>

LOCAL EXEC YES/NO VOTE

Your local Executives will be meeting April 9th, 2026. We will discuss whether we are a Yes or No vote, as well as our reasoning. More details to come.

RATIFICATION VOTES

Winnipeg's urban and RSMC vote will take place May 25 & 26, 2026 at The Viscount Gort Hotel. The rural vote will take place May 21st, with both urban and RSMC votes in Tyndall, Morden, and Steinbach locations. Check your union board for more information. If you are unable to make the vote but are travelling in Canada where another local is having their vote, please contact the local and we can arrange that for you.

SNOW DAY GRIEVANCES

Snow grievances are currently being heard at First Levels. They have completed about 1/3. These are being denied at this level, but similar grievances in other provinces were overturned at the 2nd level.

WHY A YES STRIKE VOTE IS IMPORTANT

A YES strike vote doesn't mean we are going on strike, but we would have the ability to negotiate and perform job actions in the future if needed. A YES vote shows unity. The corporation is more likely to negotiate seriously.

EDUCATIONS

Union Education Program – Week 1: August 15 – 21, 2026, Week 2: October 18 – 23, 2026, Week 3: November 15 – 20, 2026, Week 4: December 14 – 18, 2026. Deadline to apply: **April 1, 2026**

CUPW National Women's Conference 2026 - June 4-7, 2026 - Cornwall, Ontario. Deadline to apply: **April 17, 2026**

**** New ****3 Day Education Seminar - June 26-28, 2026 - Edmonton, Alberta. Deadline to apply: **April 17, 2026**

Registration is open to all CUPW MIGS are eligible to apply. The courses available are: Welcome to CUPW, Mental Health in the Workplace, Political Action, and Health & Safety.

COMMITTEE CORNER

- Bylaws Committee: The next meeting is April 1, 2026 at 6pm
- Organization Committee: Next meeting is April 8, 2026 at 6pm
- Communications: Our most recent meeting was a fun one. We have a lot of ideas for the website and the upcoming Spring Eye-opener Newsletter. We will be revamping these soon. If you have any ideas or articles to add to an Eyeopener, please email vicepresident@cupwwpg.ca