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Subject Contract & Programs



### Department Representative Announcement

We've been receiving lots of questions about the contract and how it gets ratified.

After the Negotiations Team reaches a tentative agreement with the state, the tentative contract is presented to the Negotiations Committee to ensure that it is acceptable for a membership vote. The tentative agreement is printed in a special edition of *The Voice* and mailed to members. (We have not yet received this edition.) The Negotiations Team visits all the chapters and answer any questions. After these processes, every member - but no agency fee payer -- receives a ballot in the mail and can either vote for or agains the tentative contract.

If any one in your area is not a member (Have them check the status on their pay stub), please call the UUP office for a Membership Application or let me know and I'll inter-office mail one to you.

I've also included TWO PROGRAM FLIERS TO PRINT AND POS.



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