

# Labour Council Delegate Report



June 2024



## Bargaining

- **Alma Mater Society** – The tentative agreement was ratified by the membership on May 3.
- **Alpine Counselling** – The bargaining committee has been appointed.
- **BC Civil Liberties** – The bargaining committee has met with the employer approximately 13 times and we are now discussing the final proposals which are wages and duration. More dates will be booked to finalize bargaining.
- **BCGEU** – Tentative agreement was ratified March 25.
- **Bonny's Taxi** – The bargaining committee has been appointed.
- **Cascades Casino Langley** – The tentative agreement was rejected by the membership. Dates have been agreed to for the LRB.
- **CMAW 1995** – Strike vote closes today (June 3).
- **FortisBC** – The parties met May 9, 13, 14 & 15. The employer's initial wage offer is unacceptably low. They have insisted on making their economic offer contingent on our acceptance of non-monetary proposals similar to those we had previously deemed as concessionary. The parties also met May 28 to 30 and are canvassing the employer for further dates in June and July.
- **Greenpeace Canada** – Notice to bargain was served to the employer on November 15, 2023. The parties currently had dates scheduled in March, but the employer issued notice shortly prior to the exchange of proposals of a significant staff reduction initiative. The parties agreed to delay bargaining pending discussion and negotiation of an adjustment plan.

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MoveUP is making the process of joining our union easier than ever!

If you know someone looking for a union, invite them to text **MOVEUP** to **90993**.

They will be asked a short series of questions and then one of our MoveUP organizers will directly follow up.

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## Asian Heritage Month

As part of Asian Heritage Month, MoveUP Member Journalist Shona Dion (LiUNA 1611) spoke to fellow member Lin-Chuan Chang (BCGEU) about the significance of her name, her decision to adopt an "English name," and how she balances those two identities.

Read the story at [moveuptogether.ca](https://moveuptogether.ca).



## Bargaining cont.

- **IBEW Local 213** – The bargaining committee has been appointed and has met with union representative.
- **Island Savings Credit Union** – Parties scheduled to meet June 4 to 7 and 12 to 14.
- **Konica Minolta** – 2400 employees being laid off globally by March 2025 due to massive corporate financial losses. There is also a pending amalgamation between Ricoh and Toshiba. Dates to commence bargaining are set for May 28 to 31.
- **Kruger Products** – A bargaining committee has been formed and has met with the union representative.
- **Marine Workers & Boilermakers** – Union representative is scheduling dates with the employer to commence bargaining.
- **Neighbourhood Housing Society** – The bargaining committee has met with the employer for five sessions so far. The employer provided a number of counterproposals and discussion on non-monetary language is progressing. More bargaining dates are scheduled in May and June.
- **Richmond Taxi** – The bargaining committee has been appointed. The two parties met on April 19, 2024, and exchanged proposals. The union is waiting to hear back from the employer on the proposals.
- **Salal** – A membership meeting to discuss bargaining and review survey results was held May 21.
- **Schneider** – The parties met May 8 & 9 and signed off all non-monetary proposals tabled by the union. A membership meeting will be held soon to determine the next steps of the bargaining process.
- **Starlight Casino** – The bargaining committee has been appointed.
- **Teamsters 155** – A tentative agreement was ratified April 9.
- **The Reach Gallery** – A tentative agreement was ratified April 18.
- **VantageOne Credit Union** – A tentative agreement was ratified on May 4.

