

Bargaining and strike update

Today, we escalated our strike actions across the country to ramp up the pressure on this government to reach a fair contract. And it's clear they're feeling the heat.

We shut down the Port of Montreal and downtown boulevards, the Port of Vancouver and the Port of St. John's; we blockaded the Treasury Board office in Ottawa and other strategic locations from coast to coast.

It seems like this government is content to prolong the impact of this strike for our members and ordinary Canadians. What we want more than anything is to get back to work and continue to deliver the services Canadians depend on. And what Canadians want is for services to be restored as soon as possible. That's why we're ratcheting up the pressure across the country by targeting critical government operations – to reach a deal as quickly as possible and end this strike for both our members and Canadians.

In the coming days, we'll continue to escalate our actions until this government is truly prepared to reach a decent contract for our members that keeps up with rising costs. We won't settle for less.

One day longer, one day stronger.

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Globe and Mail: Federal workers expand pickets as strike stretches into sixth day

<u>Toronto Star: Treasury Board reaches out to striking PSAC workers as pressure grows on</u> <u>Trudeau government</u>

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<u>Policy Options: Tensions rise in public service strike that could set trend for workers across</u> <u>Canada</u>

Vibe Check: Breakfast of Champions

We are collectively fighting for a fair deal, arm in arm, through rain, snow or shine. We want to acknowledge everyone who has stepped up and sent over resources and goodwill to our picket line.

We also love the breakfast spread from UNDE Local 80403!



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