

## **Technicians Update**

**January 5, 2022** 

Brothers and Sisters,

As you are aware, in accordance with the CBA provision we sent notice to the company of our intent to bargain a new Collective Bargaining Agreement. The company acknowledged receipt and set up a call with me and Bob Fisher from the Airline Division this afternoon. During this preliminary discussion we talked about the need for a protocol agreement to be in place before any exchange of proposals takes place. We also informed the company that we would be fielding a survey and contract proposal forms over the next several weeks. We hope to have the survey and proposal forms out early next week. While those two items are taking place, we will be working on the protocol agreement with input from our legal counsel and Business Agents. These first steps are required for every negotiation, and it means that bargaining has begun. Please watch for notices for the survey and contract proposal forms to be out shortly.

Fraternally,

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