



May 9, 2017

To: Regional Vice Presidents
Branches and Facilities

Ratification Vote 2017

National Ratification Voting on the Tentative Agreement will commence at 14:00 ET on Thursday, May 11, 2017 and conclude at 12:00 ET on Friday, May 19, 2017.

Members can review the tentative agreement highlights by clicking [here](#).

Members may vote at any Branch or Facility they wish to but are reminded that they may be required to produce identification to the local Branch verifying their identity. Proxy votes are not allowed.

Ballots will be counted and results reported by Branch officials to their respective Regional Vice President for relay to the Returning Officer.

Results of the national vote will be announced as soon as they become available.

Specific instructions for counting and reporting procedures will be supplied to the Branches in voting packages that will be distributed to each Branch and Facility by the Regional Vice President not later than Wednesday, May 10, 2017.

In solidarity,

Doug Best
Executive Vice President