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It's often the slow and steady work of members and the union that makes a difference in communities. It's the determination of striking workers and our solidarity, it's our ongoing lobbying, tireless bargaining rounds and it's our activism to set a people's trade agenda.

# WHAT'S HOT



We're heading to Saskatoon after the launch of Unifor's People's Trade tour in

# **TAKE ACTION**

No #NAFTA without higher wages & fair collective bargaining for workers in Mexico. unifor.org/NAFTA

As NAFTA talks are set to resume on May 7, join us for an important online action



with these great shareable images.



Nearly 250 members took part in a joint May Day and Day of Mourning Walk in Montreal this weekend.

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More Toronto hotel workers voted to exercise their democratic rights and voted to join a union of their choice.



Members of Unifor and a U.S.-based union joined in the 'General Electric Commit to our Communities' campaign.

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Ontario members were in Toronto to roll up their sleeves and prepare for our member-to-member election campaign.



Let's not rush into a bad NAFTA deal when prospects for a progressive agreement will be better soon, said Unifor.

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### BARGAINING UPDATES

Quebec members voted for a tentative agreement that will be the pattern for the region's pulp and paper industry.

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Workers at the Edmonton Catholic School Board ratified a contract with Women's Advocate program and wage increases.

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Sheraton Guildford Hotel workers on strike in British Columbia.

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On strike since April 9, Thunder Bay members at the Port Arthur Health Centre rejected employer's inadequate offer.

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Concessions like reduced benefits, extended shifts, and forced overtime motivated Goderich mine workers to strike.

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## **U** IN CASE YOU MISSED IT



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