

Membership Update

Working Together, We Have Achieved Many Victories

- ✓ Bargained for strong wages and benefits for all members
- ✓ Negotiated OJE upgrades for Information Technology workers
- ✓ Negotiated OJE upgrades for Department of Transportation professionals
- ✓ Organized Department of Correction supervisors
- ✓ Organized Judicial Branch supervising marshals
- ✓ Passed landmark "Clean Contracting" legislation
- ✓ Blocked information technology and developmental services outsourcing schemes

Many Challenges Face Us

- Contract negotiations in most of our State bargaining units ◀
- An economic downturn with great budgetary uncertainty ◀
- Job freezes ◀
- Organized anti-public worker forces attacking our collective bargaining rights ◀
- Privateers pushing lawmakers to outsource our jobs ◀
- Politicians looking to cut-back our healthcare and retirement security ◀

We Can Overcome and Achieve Even More Successes

- Implement the "Clean Contracting Act" and bring public service work in-house
- Approve the DOT OJE Agreement and raise standards in the agency
- Elect a governor and legislators who support State workers
- Protect our retirement security by strengthening our pension agreement
- Secure our quality health plan by raising standards for all of Connecticut's residents
- Improve the quality of services we provide and the quality of our work lives
- Become the best public sector local in Connecticut and all of SEIU

We know that by working together, and using the clout of 2 million SEIU members nationwide, we can overcome the challenges ahead and achieve even greater victories. In the coming weeks and months, you will be hearing more about ways that you can play a role in achieving these goals and make a difference in the quality of all our work lives.

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