International Association of Machinists and Aerospace Workers

Greetings Brothers, Sisters and Siblings,



Local Lodge 1857

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On October 14, 2024 the IAMAW Automotive Local 1857 members at West Coast Ford Lincoln in Maple Ridge, B.C. were locked out. This employer claims to care about its employees and "treat them like family". What sort of person locks their family out on Thanksgiving Day? This "Family Business" has refused to bargain in good faith, and the owner has personally and repeatedly made attempts to circumvent the collective bargaining process. They are located at 20370 Lougheed Hwy in Maple Ridge.

The members are fighting for wages that are on par with those made by other workers in the industry, and to reject a "two-tiered" vacation entitlement. They appreciate your support during this difficult time.

In solidarity,

IAMAW Automotive Local 1857

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