ALBERTA UNION OF PROVINCIAL EMPLOYEES

DECEMBER 2, 2020

CAPITAL REGION HOUSING CORPORATION

LOCAL: 118 CHAPTER: 011 **ALL STAFF**

WAGE RE-OPENER UPDATE

Your negotiations team met with the employer on Wednesday Nov. 25 for the wage re-opener we negotiated into our current collective agreement.

After a day of discussions, it's clear we won't be able to settle this issue on our own. As a result both of us - your negotiating team and the employer - have agreed to file for voluntary arbitration, where an independent arbitrator will hear both our sides and make a binding decision about your wages for this coming year.

The employer's position is a wage freeze, for the year January 1, 2021 - December 31, 2021. Your negotiating team's position is a 2.5% wage increase for the same period.

Thank you so much for your ongoing support. If you have any concerns, please talk with us - we're here to answer your questions.

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