



## Union Recommends Safeway Offer

Canada Safeway has put forward an offer that your Union will be bringing to you to vote on. The Company has made changes to their previous offer that was overwhelmingly rejected by you, the members of UFCW Local 401.

Because of the strong message that you sent, Safeway has made significant changes to their previous position and your Bargaining Committee is, although not unanimously, is recommending acceptance of the offer.

It is important that you come out to vote on the offer. Your Union has set up meetings over the next few weeks to present the offer to you. Because of concerns that you raised the times for the meetings and votes have been adjusted to accommodate your concerns.

There will be two meetings, one at 9:30 a.m. and the other at 7:00 p.m. in every location, where the offer will be explained and questions will be answered. Voting on the offer will run from 9:30 a.m. to 7:30 p.m. (the Union will allow all questions at the meetings to be answered prior to closing the vote).

**It is important that you exercise your right to vote, do not leave it up to someone else to decide your fate. Remember that a rejection of this offer will result in the Union serving Strike notice to Safeway and you will be on a picket line.**

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**Safeway Contract Offer Meetings- Province Wide Dates and Locations**

<b>Date</b>	<b>City</b>	<b>Facility</b>	<b>Room</b>
Thursday May 26th, 2011	Lethbridge	Ramada Hotel & Suites (2375 Mayor Magrath Drive S)	Ballroom
Friday May 27th, 2011	Brooks	Heritage Inn` (1239 2 Street West)	Room 200
Friday, May 27th, 2011	Taber	Town of Taber Civic Centre (4700 50 <sup>th</sup> Street)	Blue Room
Saturday May 28th, 2011	Medicine Hat	Medicine Hat Lodge (1051 Ross Glen Drive S.E.)	Saamis A
Monday May 30th, 2011	Calgary	Glenmore Inn (2720 Glenmore Trail S.E.)	Glenmore East & Centre
Tuesday May 31 <sup>st</sup> ,2011	Red Deer	Holiday Inn 67 St (6500 67 Street)	David Thompson West
Wednesday June 1st, 2011	Camrose	Norsemen Inn (6505 48 Avenue)	Salon B
Wednesday June 1st, 2011	Wetaskiwin	Best Western Wayside Inn (4103 56 Street)	Ballroom B
Friday June 3rd, 2011	Fort McMurray	Stonebridge Hotel (9713 Hardin Street)	Athabasca Room
Friday June 3rd,2011	Grande Prairie	Holiday Inn Express (10226 107 Avenue)	Meeting Room
Sunday June 5th, 2011	Edmonton	Ramada Hotel & Conference Centre (11834 Kingsway Avenue)	Wildrose Ballrooms 1 &2
Monday, June 6th, 2011	Hinton	Holiday Inn (393 Gregg Avenue)	Baraka
Monday June 6th, 2011	Lloydminster	West Harvest Inn (5620 44 <sup>th</sup> Street)	Yellowhead A
Wednesday June 8th, 2011	Banff	Ptarmigan Inn (337 Banff Avenue)	Sundance Room
Thursday June 9th, 2011	Canmore	Radisson Hotel & Conference Centre (511 Bow Valley Trail)	Crocus Room

Explanation Meetings will be held at 9:30 a.m. and 7:00 p.m., voting will be from 9:30 a.m. to 7:30 p.m.

(may be extended if necessary).

You may vote at any of the locations listed above.

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