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## BARGAINING COMMITTEE REPORT

Shop Chairman – Rich LeTourneau

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| Zone Committeeman 1 <sup>st</sup> Shift – TBD            | Shop Committeeman – Dave Poor      |
| Zone Committeeman 2 <sup>nd</sup> Shift – Steve Turner   | Shop Committeeman – TBD            |
| Zone Committeeman 3 <sup>rd</sup> Shift – Tony Cantasano | Shop Committeeman – Chris Phillips |

### MANDATORY RETURN TO WORK FOR 1<sup>ST</sup> SHIFT

On Wednesday May 13th General Motors was given the ok to start production in the rest of North America in those plants that have not already re-opened. For 1<sup>st</sup> shift May 18<sup>th</sup> is your actual return to work date and **not** an unemployment return to work date. By now you should have received this notification from the company. If you were working 1<sup>st</sup> shift when we were laid off, that is the shift you will return to on Monday May 18, 2020. As of last night, full time temporary employees were approved to return on 1<sup>st</sup> shift May 18. Part Time temporary employees are still under discussion in Detroit and are not to report unless contacted by General Motors. This last minute information is why this report has been delayed several times. We will continue conversation with the International Union regarding Part Time Temporary Employees returning to work. Your Local Leadership signed for ALL Temporary Employees to return, and in the current conditions that's what we believe should happen.

The company has indicated some staggered start times for some members. Normal shift hours will resume when all three shifts have returned. Short work week will be paid to those that are being asked to come in much later on that first week. The rest of the plant will use May 25<sup>th</sup> as your return to work date for unemployment. May 25<sup>th</sup> is the Memorial Day holiday and 2<sup>nd</sup> shifters will actually report on the 26<sup>th</sup> of May and receive holiday pay for the 25<sup>th</sup>. If everything goes as planned, it is their intention to bring third shift back on June the 1<sup>st</sup>. This is not your official notification to return to work, the company will contact you with more specifics on that. Hopefully this will help as a guideline if you did not receive any other notification on what to expect. It was my intentions to put this publication out early this week.

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