

The Rest of the Story...

Tomorrow you will be asked to vote on an agreement that will affect every member of Local 696, but the impact will be far greater than our Local. We have been promised 750 jobs for 8 years. GM, which gave Delphi workers the boot in the 1999 spin off, has now turned full circle by negotiating a drastic pay cut for workers that they discarded 8 years ago. If you think GM has repented, think again.

I cannot with good conscience vote yes on a tentative agreement with the proclamation of "AT LEAST YOU'LL HAVE A JOB."

When did our standards become so low? Keep reading – this is the "bigger picture". GM has promised these warehouse jobs (SPO Plants) for 750 workers from Local 696 in an area where two GM-SPO warehouses already exist. The SPO warehouses in Sharonville and Columbus pay master agreement wages.

Sometime soon I will be asked, as a GM *Supplemental* worker, to compete for the same work my brothers and sisters in these warehouses perform now.

Shall we allow ourselves to be used as the cheaper competition against union brothers and sisters with superior wages and benefits and ultimately shut down those facilities?

Does that sound familiar?? Don't allow us to compete for their work at reduced wages. See the big picture here! Do the right thing for all union brothers and sisters.

Vote NO!

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