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## **M**EMORANDUM

<u>REVISED</u>

To: All Staff in the Ontario Region

Date: March 16, 2016

RE: CUPE LAUNCHES ONLINE CAMPAIGN IN SUPPORT OF CUSTODIAL WORKERS

AT WILFRID LAURIER UNIVERSITY

**Dear Sisters and Brothers:** 

CUPE Local 926, representing trades, grounds and custodial workers at Wilfrid Laurier University, is bargaining to retain anti-contracting out language in its collective agreement.

The local has organized an online petition to urge the university's leadership to act to preserve good, stable jobs at Laurier by abandoning its proposal for outsourcing custodial work.

Please go to <a href="https://www.stopcontractingout.ca">www.stopcontractingout.ca</a> to add your voice to those who are fighting the growth of low-paid, precarious jobs in Ontario's universities.

Please feel free to distribute to your assigned locals.

In solidarity,

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