Our union requested to begin negotiations 3 months ago, but the companies only agreed to 2 dates. Our contract expires on Saturday Feb 1st, and we don’t have final agreements on any of our major issues. Janitors and Security officers have had 7 or more negotiating sessions over the same time, all at a single table. At the airport, some of the companies still refuse to even be in the same room together.

**G2 and Prospect propose to eliminate protections.**

The companies proposed to:

- Eliminate the separation between job classifications, removing them from the contract. This could remove any protections from your supervisor assigning you to do other work.
- Eliminate emergency short-term loan
- Eliminate protections when contractor change: you no longer have your seniority, hours, or pay protected.

**It’s time for health insurance and vacation!** Janitors and security at the airport have health insurance for around $40 per month, and paid disability for 3 months if they are sick. They have vacation and bereavement leave: WHY NOT PASSENGER SERVICE WORKERS?

**Next Steps:**

**Member Meeting:** February 8th, 2020 12-2:30pm @SEIU Local 26, 826 18th Ave NE, Minneapolis, MN

**Airline Catering Workers Day of Action:** February 14, 2020, 3:30-5pm @MSP Airport

**Upcoming Bargaining Dates:** Feb 21 (US Aviation) @MAC & Feb 24/25 (G2 & Prospect) @MAC

**Rally for Good Jobs at MSP:** February 28, 2020 10am – 12pm @MSP Airport

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“I was in the bargaining yesterday and US aviation bargain with us separately, G2 and prospect they come to bargaining the same time, and they said to us that they are going to change the work classification to passengers service, that means if you are cart driver they can send you to push wheelchair, and if you are wheelchair assistance they can send you to do bags, this means they can send wherever they want. This is very serious, I think this is the time to show them that we are strong and stop them from changing our classification. We have to become together and fight. -Abdi