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LOCAL 241 UPDATE

Dear PACE Members,

I want to start out by expressing my appreciation for all your efforts in this difficult situation. But for our continuous to move the public, the issues that face, our families, our children and our parents and everyone in the Community would be overwhelming. We are on the front line of insuring those who are dependent on public transportation to get to work, to provide essential services for us all, can make it. Never again will it be said that all we do is only drive, repair, and work in the transportation industry. We are no different than all first responders and are essential to the community, you must take pride in that fact.

Let me state at this time that the attention of your Officers is focused on ensuring the welfare and safety of the membership. It is our first concern. We are focusing our energies on that issue. Remember with your Union you have a voice which is being heard. We promise to keep you updated as the situation develops. To that end we have taken the following steps:

1. We have established a routine of daily contact with the highest levels of PACE management, and we have received a commitment from the PACE to be treated as a partner. That is not to say the situation can change at a moment's notice.
2. We have set up a mechanism to pass on your concerns and address your issues as they develop.
3. Pace has committed to ensuring the best practices for you and the ridership that are in place and that you have and can rely upon accurate information and updates, which comes from the Center for Disease Control (CDC) and Illinois Department of Health, both of whose sites we and CTA are monitoring. We want to avoid rumors and false information.
4. While we have an enormous responsibility, we also have the obligation to ensure our own safety. We have to follow the required protocols and best practices that pertain to sickness, which are in place and as they change. Following the best guidelines ensures our safety as well as the safety of others with whom we work. Please become familiar with them, and if you have any questions contact your manager and Board Member.

We will get through this situation if we all work together, do not listen to rumors, and rely upon the facts. Once again, please be assured your best interests are being kept foremost in mind and you will not be left in the "dark."

In Solidarity,

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