History in the Making!

he Laborers' New England Region in conjunction with the Massachusetts and Northern New England Laborers' District Council are proud to announce and welcome the first ever Public Employees unit to organize in Maine under the LIUNA banner! Employed by the Kennebec County Support Staff of the Registry of Deeds and the District Attorney, these new members will join Laborers' Local Union 327 based in Augusta, Maine. They include paralegals, victim witness advocates, finance personnel, legal secretaries, as well as other professionals. Massachusetts and Northern New England Public Employees' Council Business Manager, Tim Mahoney, along with Devin Mayo, representing the Laborers' New England Region Organizing Fund, worked diligently for nearly a year negotiating their contract, reaching a significant milestone.

"We have really gotten to know these hardworking and intelligent folks," expressed Mr. Mahoney. "We are pleased to have had the opportunity to negotiate great working conditions and increases in wages and benefits on their behalf so that they can further support themselves and their families. The Laborers look forward to working with them, the Kennebec District Attorney, as well as the County of Kennebec Board of Commissioners."

"We are so proud of these dedicated public employees who had the courage to stand up for what they thought was right to improve their working conditions," stated Laborers' New England Region Organizing Fund Director Scott Gustafson. "I also couldn't be more proud of Tim and Devin for their leadership and commitment to this successful endeavor. We view this as a major breakthrough for the New England Region and LIUNA in the great state of Maine."



New LIUNA members celebrate their successful negotiations!