WEEKLY UPDATE

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| BREAKING: The NLRB has counted a majority of votes in the Times Tech Guild’s favor on March 3. The recognition of our unit makes that the largest tech union with bargaining rights in the United States. |  | BREAKING: By a vote of 86%, workers have voted to unionize with the RWDSU, officially making REI SoHo the first unionized store in the nation. |
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| LABOR UPDATES  * Charlotte Observer voluntarily recognizes The Charlotte Observer News Guild as a union and “…is ready to work for the needs of our journalists…” * In January 2022, Unions filed 80 RC petitions and won 78% of them. This does not account for the voluntary recognitions that are taking place. * Starbucks Workers United now over 110 petitions across the USA and most recently in Oxford MS * Center for Urban Community Services in NYC gives voluntary recognition of their union with DC 37 * Elon Musk at Tesla announces “Our real challenge is Bay Area has negative unemployment, so if we don’t treat and compensate our (awesome) people well, they have many other offers and will just leave! I’d like hereby to invite UAW to hold a union vote at their convenience. Tesla will do nothing to stop them.” Looks like Tesla will not fight union activity.  UNION TACTICS CONTINUED:   1. “REI continues its union-busting tactics at its NYC store.” "The only guarantee in any collective bargaining process is that there are no guarantees." Corporate-speak for "I'd hate to see anyone get hurt" while rolling up their sleeves... 2. 70 Starbucks stores in 20 states have now filed to form a union. 3. 17,000 BNSF railroad workers voted to authorize a strike over the attendance policy      |  |  |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | | |  |  | | --- | --- | | But many of the new workers sided with the union. | . | |  |  |  HEADING 2 TEXT HERE Heading 7  Use styles to easily format your Word documents in no time. For example, this text uses the Normal Style.  Some of the sample text in this document indicates the name of the style applied. To get started right away, just tap any placeholder text (such as this) and start typing. View and edit this document in Word on your computer, tablet, or phone.  Website “Find even more easy-to-use tools on the Insert tab, such as to add a hyperlink or insert a comment.” | | | | |  |
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