Providence Seaside – May 24, 2023

Strike Authorization Vote Begins Tomorrow, May 25th at 11:00 AM

The second of three ONA Providence bargaining units enter the strike process, tomorrow, Thursday, May 25! **Almost 2,000 caregivers across three bargaining units from Portland to Salem, to Seaside are taking consecutive Strike Authorization votes at Providence.** Nearly 100 RNs at Providence Seaside will launch our strike authorization vote at 11:00 a.m. This morning, 1,300 RNs at Providence Portland received their ballots and approximately 400 RNs and clinicians at Providence Home Health and Hospice will open their strike authorization vote next week.

You should be receiving a ballot at this email address. If for any reason you don’t get a ballot, please visit www.OregonRN.org/MissingBallot. If you need further assistance, please contact your labor rep, Gabriel Erbs.

**Voting is Open Until June 4th**

Our bargaining team is asking every RN to exercise their democratic right in our union and vote YES to authorize a strike. We’ve been underpaid, understaffed, and underappreciated for years, and Providence hasn’t taken the steps to right that wrong. While they pay their CEO the salary of 100 RNs each year, we work short and our patients go without. Tomorrow we will continue to send a clear message to Providence that this is going to change!