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Unifor rallies for striking De Havilland workers, support West Coast Salmon habitat, a new video documents the work of Drag the Red volunteers, Unifor stands with Mexican GM workers, truckers need more rest stops for safety, watch our new 'Join Unifor' video, Newfoundland's big reset will kill jobs, fairness must guide the federal budget, and Unifor joins call for federal COVID funding for Alberta schools.

 **WHAT'S HOT**



Unifor commemorated the U.N. Day of the World's Indigenous Peoples with a new video that showcases the work done by volunteers to "Drag the Red" River for

 **TAKE ACTION**



Unifor is encouraging Canadians to write their MP to demand action on the protection of West Coast Salmon habitat.

missing women and girls.

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IN THE NEWS



The pride of De Havilland is in its generations of dedicated workers who built the company, said Jerry Dias at a rally for striking workers at the plant Monday.

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Unifor stands in solidarity with Mexican auto workers in their fight for free, fair and transparent votes by all members as they fight to establish an independent union.

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“We joined Unifor because no union fights harder in Canada,” say newly organized workers. Watch Unifor’s latest video commercial encouraging others to join the Unifor family.

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Unifor's new campaign calls for more rest stops for Ontario's long-haul truckers to help keep highways safe.

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Newfoundland and Labrador's 'Big Reset' spending cut recommendations in the Premier's Economic Recovery Team report would result in the loss of nearly 9,000 jobs says new research blog from Unifor's Kaylie Tiessen.

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An unprecedented coalition of doctors and education unions are calling for federal COVID funding to bypass Jason Kenney and go directly to school boards.

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Unifor made recommendations for a fair, inclusive and resilient economic recovery to federal budget consultations last week. Check out the full submission.

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BARGAINING UPDATES

Striking members of Unifor Local 2301 in Kitamat B.C. will go back to the bargaining table with Rio Tinto this week for the first time since the strike began on July 25, 2021.

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 **IN CASE YOU MISSED IT**

 **RESOURCES**



Last week Unifor launched a new TV ad urging Canadians to vote against Erin O'Toole and the Conservatives, who will only support the same old policies that will make life harder for every Canadian worker. Meet the 2021 O'Toole. New Name. Same old Conservative.

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Unifor's Labour Market Insights report shows 94,000 more jobs were added in July but hourly wages are down and too many workers are being forced to work multiple jobs to make ends meet. The involuntary part-time rate is up 3.9%.

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