

# 2012 AUTO TALKS

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### **Making Gradual Progress at the Chrysler Table**

Since reaching the agreement with Ford on Monday afternoon, the focus has turned to reaching similar deals at both Chrysler and General Motors.

We don't yet have an agreement with Chrysler but discussions have been constructive and we are making progress. Chrysler executives seem to be more willing to reach an agreement than they were previously.

We understand the anxiety and frustrations that members in the workplace are now feeling. It is a stressful and difficult situation for our members and the Master and Local Bargaining Committees alike. With this in mind, we are doing our best to work towards a solution.

If at any point progress seriously stalls, the union can give the company 24 hours-notice of a work stoppage. Should this happen, workers in every Chrysler facility will be given advance warning.

**We ask for your continued patience. It's crucial that members at all Chrysler locations stay on the job and continue working.** A failure to do so will have serious negative consequences on our ability to reach a new agreement and will greatly diminish the bargaining committee's negotiating power. It would also seriously jeopardize our progress to date.

**Stay tuned for further information and instructions from your in-plant representatives.** The bargaining committee will update the membership as the negotiations evolve.

Thank you for your ongoing support and determination.

*In solidarity,*

*The CAW Chrysler Master Bargaining Committee*

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