

2012.02.03 Update

Negotiation sessions are scheduled through July. Our next negotiation session is scheduled for February 20th – 23rd. Please check the negotiations tab on the website for updated negotiation information.

Please continue to send your ideas and suggestions to facontract@teamsterslocal513.org. Some very insightful ideas have been submitted. We appreciate and commend those flight attendants for their efforts. We want and welcome your contract ideas and suggestions. The Negotiating Committee is building a contract based upon requests from our members. Please utilize this opportunity to share your thoughts and make a difference. This is the only approved email address for suggestions and ideas. This is YOUR contract; please tell us what you want.

Every member, in good-standing, will have a chance to vote on the final product presented by the Negotiating Committee called a Tentative Agreement. Please be sure to keep the IBT office updated with your current contact information. This will allow you to receive updates as well as provide the opportunity to vote when the time comes. We anticipate occasions where we will need to communicate information to our members quickly. Please keep your contact information updated with the IBT office. Don't miss out on shaping your future at Comair. Send contact information updates to dues@teamsterslocal513.org.

As some of you already know, there have been some glitches with the new LMS system and our CBT for RG. Company leadership has heard our complaints and has put "all hands on deck" working closely with Delta to remedy the problems. They have assured us the issues are being resolved. If you have experienced problems with your CBT RG, please let us know at cbtissues@teamsterslocal513.org as well as sending an email to techtraining@comair.com with details such as date and time of issue, module name, screen number, etc. Your assistance resolving these issues will help your fellow flight attendant, so please take the time to let us know about your issues.

The next membership meeting will be Monday, February 20th, 1800 at the Wingate Cincinnati Airport, 605 Viox Drive, Erlanger, KY 41018. Our IBT International Representative and Lead Negotiator, Rick Dubinsky, will be a guest speaker.

Please be sure we have your updated information on file. In the future, we will need to make mailings to your address of record. Please be sure we have your correct information on file by sending to dues@teamsterslocal513.org.

Base Rep positions are open. We are looking for flight attendants that have a courteous and professional manner and know their contract to volunteer to assist our flight attendants. If you have always wanted to get involved and have a high standard for professionalism and work ethics, we would like to talk to you about volunteering as a Base Representative. Please contact Chief Base Rep, Julie Fox at jfox@teamsterslocal513.org for details.

Polling will be starting very soon. Please be sure you have registered on our website Teamsterslocal513.org. Follow the instructions provided on the [Click Here to Sign-up](#). Allow 48 hours for the registration process to be completed.

You may have seen the memo from the company on January 13th regarding exit row briefings. We have been notified by the company that additional safety audits and FAA checkrides have uncovered a couple of additional deficiencies. Additional memos will follow from the company in the future. We would like to remind everyone about the importance of following FARs and company policies. If we cannot correct the irregularities on our own, the company and the FAA will be required to taking additional steps to correct the problems. This could possibly bring about unwanted "attention" on a flight attendants part. Please remember we are the Cabin Safety Professional and must follow the FARs and company policies at all times. This is just a little heads-up to assist you in your day to day job.

Learn the Contract, Fly the Contract and Always Fly Safe! -- Elaine