AMALGAMATED TRANSIT UNION LOCAL 1505

Date: September 18, 2026

ATU Local 1505 5-Minute Friday Weekly Summary

A-OK Awards

Members are encouraged to submit their A-OK Award nominations to Support@atu1505.ca Nominate members for acts of kindness and members that have gone over and above their normal duties.

ATU Annual Banquet

The ATU Annual Banquet will take place on October 17, 2026, at 275 Broadway. Members must RSVP before October 9, 2026. Tickets are $45 per person. The evening will include awards, a silent auction, a meal, festivities and music.

Transit Debate Follow-Up

The September 14, 2026, Transit Debate was a huge success, with strong media coverage and over 10,000 views on the Facebook Live event. ATU Local 1505 is following up with a transit pledge to all mayoral candidates.

Stewards Committee

We are looking for members in good standing to join the Stewards Committee. Members interested in getting involved are encouraged to reach out.

Defect Slips for Dirty Buses

When filling out defect slips for dirty buses, please include details about what is on the bus that is causing the defect. This information allows interior wash personnel to prepare with the proper PPE before entering the bus to clean it.

Full Enclosure Shields Update

The full enclosure shields proposal has passed the Standing Policy Committee on Public Works and the Executive Policy Committee. The proposal now requires a final vote at City Council on September 24, 2026. All councillors we have spoken with have expressed full support. The $2.7 million from the provincial government will be redirected toward full enclosures, and Winnipeg Transit has 90 days to produce a report on full enclosure installation.

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Security Incident Update

Between September 12 and 18, 2026, there were 3 security incidents: one physical assault, one attempted assault with a weapon, and one additional incident. The total number of security incidents reported in 2026 has now reached 174.

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