

NEWS ALERT

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As thousands of workers from around the country converge on Yale **National Labor Leaders To Announce Multi-** **City Campaign on Behalf of Yale Strikers**

New Haven, CT—National labor leaders from the AFL-CIO, UNITE and other unions will discuss a multi-city campaign to take the fight at Yale to 10 cities. Thousands of workers from dozens of unions across the United States will converge on Yale this Saturday to support Yale workers who have been on strike for a dignified retirement since August 27.

- WHO: John J. Sweeney, President, National AFL-CIO
Andrew L. Stern, President, SEIU
John W. Wilhelm, President, H.E.R.E.
Bruce Raynor, President, UNITE
Douglas McCarron, President, United Brotherhood of Carpenters
- WHAT: News conference, followed by rally and march
- WHERE: New Haven Green (Strike Tent – College Street near Elm)
- WHEN: New conference at 12 noon
Rally at 1 p.m.

Workers at Yale are trying to win decent pensions. The average Yale pension for a worker who retires with 20 years plus is \$621 a month. Even with social security, many Yale retirees are forced to retire in poverty.