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Legal Services NYC Union To Picket Borough Offices

New York, New York - The unionized staff of Legal Services NYC (LSNYC) will host several informational pickets outside of LSNYC's different borough offices in advance of a potential strike as negotiations stall between LSNYC and the staff's union, Legal Services Staff Association 2320 (LSSA 2320/UAW Local 2320).

Workers at Legal Services of NYC, the nation's largest civil legal services provider, voted for Strike Authorization on February 1st, 2025, passing with 93%, and are now taking action to demand a fair and equitable contract with lunchtime pickets planned across the five boroughs from 1:00 PM to 2:00 PM at the following locations:

- **Queens:** Monday, February 3rd, 89-17 Sutphin Blvd
- **Manhattan:** Tuesday, February 4th, 40 Worth St
- **Brooklyn:** Wednesday, February 5th, 105 Court St
- **Bronx:** Thursday, February 6th, outside 349 E 149th St
- **Staten Island:** Friday, February 7th, 60 Bay St

“Our members are essential to ensuring that all New Yorkers, especially those who are underserved, receive the legal representation they need,” said Corinthia A. Carter, President of LSSA 2320. “But it's becoming increasingly difficult to continue this work effectively when wages are lagging behind inflation, and the salaries for members are so far below what is needed to attract and retain talent. We are standing up for fair pay, equitable working conditions, and the ability to do our work from home just like other employees.”

The union is calling on management to fulfill its duty to bargain in good faith and provide the fair wages and equitable work conditions that their workers deserve. “Management, do your job. Our members are committed to providing the services New Yorkers need, but we need fair compensation and treatment to continue doing that work,” said Laura Katz, LSSA 2320 member.

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