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INTERNATIONAL UNION, UNITED AUTOMOBILE, AEROSPACE & AGRICULTURAL IMPLEMENT WORKERS OF AMERICA - UAW

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July 21, 2026

To: John Deere Bargaining Committee, including Skilled Trades Sub Council Chairperson

Re: John Deere – Contract Extension Meeting

Greetings:

The meeting of the John Deere Bargaining Committee for the Contract Extension discussion will be on Wednesday, July 29, 2026, at the UAW Local 838 Union Hall 2615 Washington Street, Waterloo, IA 50702. This meeting will begin at 9:00 am. Travel days will be Tuesday, July 28, 2026, and Thursday, July 30, 2026.

Transportation

Attendees are responsible for making their own airline reservations. Travel days are **Tuesday, July 28, 2026, and Thursday, July 30, 2026.**

Transportation from Airport

Attendees are responsible for arranging their own transportation from the airport to Courtyard by Marriott 250 Westfield Avenue, Waterloo, IA 50701. Ride share or taxi available at the airport.

Accommodations

Attendees are responsible for making their own hotel reservations using the link below for the ***Courtyard by Marriott 250 Westfield Avenue, Waterloo, IA 50701***, rooms will be available on a first come, first serve basis, so we encourage you to secure your room(s) no later than, **Sunday, July 26, 2026, by using the link below.**

[Book your group rate for INTERNATIONAL UNION, UNITED AUTOMOBILE, AEROSPACE, AND AGRICULTURAL IMPLEMENT WORKERS OF AMERICA, UA](#)

Room rates are \$144.00 + tax per night. **Check-in time is 4:00pm, Check-out time is 11:00am.**

In solidarity,

Laura Dickerson
Vice President and Director
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