

2/22/2021 [Allunit] Three things for you to do

1. Sign to Bring Staff Back

If you haven't yet signed the petition demanding that the administration BRING STAFF BACK, ending all furloughs and involuntary reductions in time, take one minute and [sign it now](#).

2. Caravan for Full Staffing and Student Support

Join us on FRIDAY, February 26 – at 11:30 at Haigis Mall – for a car caravan in solidarity with students as well as the staff unions. We will drive around the dorms and show our love for our students, while demanding full staffing on campus to keep our students safe and our programs strong. [Register to join](#).



"[A]n emergency use of [UMass] cash reserves would be for a complete unforeseen cataclysm: a worldwide financial collapse, asteroid strike--and I'm not being facetious..."

- UMass Board of Trustees
Member Michael O'Brien

**JOIN THE "IT SHOULDN'T TAKE AN
ASTEROID" CAR RALLY
FEB. 26TH 11:30 AM-12:30 PM**

3. Vaccine Update

Along with the administration and our local legislators, we are demanding vaccines for faculty and staff who are ON CAMPUS this semester. If you're teaching/working/researching on campus this semester and willing to testify for a minute about why you want to be vaccinated, please [email us today](#).

Note: If you're in the Phase 2 groups currently eligible for vaccines (either age 65+ or with two medical conditions on the state list), there will be vaccines available at UMass beginning next week. Slots fill quickly [so check often](#).

Upcoming Dates

- Tuesday 2/23 & Wednesday 2/24, 12:00pm- Senior Lecturer promotion workshops
- Friday 2/26, 11:30am- Car caravan
- Friday 3/5, 12:00pm- MSP members open forum
- Thursday 4/29, 12:00pm- MSP General Assembly membership meeting

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