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Tentative Agreement to move forward in 2016 Collective Bargaining

Sackville, NB – On Nov 25th 2016, Mount Allison announced a tentative collective agreement

The Mount Allison Students' Union (MASU) is pleased to report that the Mount Allison Faculty Association (MAFA) and the University bargaining teams have reached a tentative agreement on new full-time and part-time collective agreements. "The potential of a strike was a source of stress for many students during last year's Students' Union elections and during this school year, so I am very happy to hear that both parties have been able to come to a resolution" says President Ryan LeBreton.

Moving forward, the tentative agreement is now subject for review and formal ratification by the MAFA membership and the University's Board of Regents. "I am confident that both parties will continue to work together with students' in mind as this long process comes to a close." says Mary Emma MacNeil, Vice President Academic Affairs. The formal ratification process may take a few weeks to complete.

Collective Bargaining is a natural part of a labour cycle. The MASU will inform students if any other pertinent information about this year's collective agreement comes forward. If you have any questions or further concerns regarding collective bargaining, you can email masuacademic@mta.ca.