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Dear Students,

When I wrote to you [last week](#), I indicated there was a possibility that our graduate student workers union (BUGWU) might go on strike. They have now indicated they will go on strike effective today, March 25, 2024.

As the strike proceeds, we are working hard to ensure your education proceeds as smoothly as possible. In the event you confront challenges emerging from the strike (e.g. discussion sections not meeting, etc.), we ask that you contact assigned staff in your school or college, and they will help you navigate the situation. You will find a list of those contact names on our [Support & Resources page](#) at the bottom of the first section.

I encourage you to visit [our website](#) where we offer additional resources and will continue to provide updates.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be "KL", written over a light blue horizontal line.

Kenneth Lutchen  
University Provost and Chief Academic Officer *ad interim*