

Snapshots of Local Labor Activities in 2006



1. April 10, 2006 Rally for Immigration Reform outside City Hall in downtown Manhattan. [Photo credit: Ernesto Mora, SEIU 32BJ].



2. Workers in Farmingdale, Long Island joined the Dec. 16th "National Day of Action" 15,000 members of the United Steelworkers on strike since Oct. 5th. Among the strike issues were: Goodyear's plans to close its third U.S. plant in four years while increasing its Chinese tire imports, and company efforts to replace retirees' current health benefits with what the unions regard as an inferior plan. [Photo credit: Long Island Federation of Labor].



3. Nick LaMorte, Regional President of the Civil Service Employees Association (AFL-CIO) addresses the annual Congressional Night of the Long Island Federation of Labor on 4/17/06. Congressional representatives present included Peter King, Timothy Bishop and Carolyn McCarthy. [Photo credit: Long Island Federation of Labor].



4. New findings from a survey of immigrant day labor hiring sites on Long Island were presented at a press conference in Freeport on 3/7/06. Seated left to right are: two of the reports main authors, Dr. Greg Maney (Hofstra Sociology professor), and Nadia Marin Mollina (Director, The Workplace Project), seated next to Enzo Bard. [Photo credit: University Relations Dept., Hofstra U.].

