



***** Media Advisory — Fri., March 27 at 10:00 AM *****

On behalf of MN50501, SEIU Local 26, Faith in MN, UNITE HERE, more

For Planning Purposes

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Following Shocking Video of Delta Flying Liam Ramos to ICE Detention Camp, Minnesotans to Deliver Letter and Demand Meeting with Delta on Their Actions and Silence During Operation Metro Surge

MSP AIRPORT – On Friday, March 27th, at 10:00 a.m. Minnesotans will hold a **virtual press conference** addressing location change circumstances and delivering a letter demanding a meeting with and answers from Delta leaders about their actions during Operation Metro Surge.

This follows [the widespread release](#), including detailed coverage on the [Rachel Maddow show](#), of shocking new footage showing the airline took Liam Ramos and his father to Texas where they were put in a detention camp, and raises questions about how else Delta made money off the pain of Minnesotans while remaining silent about the harm that was caused during the surge.

WHAT: Minnesotans to deliver letter and demands, including meeting with Delta on their actions and silence during Operation Metro Surge following release of video showing airline flying Liam Ramos to detention camp.

WHEN: Friday, March 27th, 10:00 a.m.

****UPDATED** WHERE: VIRTUAL** - <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/88087850683>

WHO: Local community groups, faith leaders, labor unions, and supporters

WHY: To demand meeting with Delta Air Lines leadership and deliver letter on Delta's actions and silence during Occupation Metro Surge

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[The Minneapolis Regional Labor Federation, AFL-CIO](#) is the umbrella organization of Minneapolis-area local unions and includes 175+ affiliated unions representing over 80,000 working people across seven Minnesotan counties.

[MN50501](#) is the Minnesota contingent of the 50501 Movement, a non-violent coalition of concerned citizens demanding justice, transparency, and accountability from the government. Our mission is to use grassroots energy to resist tyranny and demand a just, transparent, and accountable government, in order to establish a nation with true liberty and justice for all.

[SEIU Local 26](#) is Minnesota's Property Services Union, representing over 8,000 janitors, security officers, window cleaners and airport workers. The union is dedicated to advocating for the rights and interests of its members, who work across the Twin Cities metro region.

[Faith in Minnesota](#) is a social welfare organization founded by leaders who wanted to amplify the voices of people of faith calling for racial and economic justice in Minnesota. The organizations are governed independently but continue to share a common vision of a just and abundant Minnesota.

[UNITE HERE Local 17](#) is Minnesota's Hospitality Union. They represent more than 6,000 workers in hotels, restaurants, sports complexes, convention centers, and the airport in Minneapolis, Saint Paul, and surrounding suburbs.