

McDonald's workers to strike for \$15/hour



New York, May 15 (RHC)-- In U.S. labor news, McDonald's workers are planning a strike next Wednesday, May 19th, to demand a minimum wage of \$15 an hour.

Earlier this week, the fast-food giant announced it is raising wages at company-owned restaurants, but 95% of McDonald's branches are franchise locations that are not subject to the salary changes.

McDonald's worker and union organizer Doneshia Babbitt said: "[McDonald's is] raising pay for some of us and using fancy math tricks to gloss over the fact that they're selling most of us short. ... We won't stop fighting, striking and marching in the streets until we win \$15 and a union for all."



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