



## COP26 strike action in Glasgow to go ahead

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GMB has this afternoon told Glasgow City Council Chief Executive Anne Marie O'Donnell that members in the city's cleansing service will proceed with previously planned strike action from 00.01 hours Monday 1 November.

### **GMB Scotland Secretary Louise Gilmour said:**

"The council has failed to give our members the proper time and space to consider the 11th hour offer from COSLA, and the fact the council moved to block strike action in the Court of Session using anti-trade union legislation, means there is too much bad faith among members towards the employer.

"Therefore, our members in cleansing have informed us that they will still proceed with the planned strike action from 00.01 hours Monday 1 November. We are calling for an urgent meeting with the council as soon as possible and we will work until one-minute to midnight tonight to try and fix this.

"We have also made the Scottish Government aware of the situation and are liaising with the First Minister's Office, but without any further dialogue the cleansing service in Glasgow City Council will take strike action from tomorrow and throughout the first full week of the COP26 summit."

“Stand with us, and stand shoulder to shoulder in solidarity.”

Enough is enough. [#COP26Strike](#)



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— GMB Scotland (@GMBScotOrg) October 31, 2021

