LABOR CAUCUS

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A Pro-Worker Path Forward

Vision

Our Caucus is laser-focused on advancing a pro-worker policy agenda. We are committed to giving workers a seat at the table and prioritizing economic issues that support working people. That starts with the fundamental principle that collective bargaining is the strongest tool that workers have to create fair workplaces and an equitable economy.

Our agenda

While not an exhaustive list, our policy agenda is centered on:

Strengthening Worker Power

- Protecting and expanding all workers' rights to organize a union and cracking down on employers who violate workers' rights, such as illegal union-busting and wage theft.
- Building a tax code that rewards work and supports working people over corporations and the wealthy.
- Advancing a pro-worker immigration policy that raises standards for all, including by reforming employer-sponsored visa programs to give workers a voice on the job.

Raising Wages, Benefits, and Working Conditions

- Increasing workers' wages, including by raising the minimum wage, protecting and expanding prevailing wage requirements, and increasing overtime pay.
- Putting people over profits and keeping workers safe on the job by improving workplace safety and supporting robust labor enforcement and worker protection agencies.
- Improving access to high-quality paid leave, retirement, and health care options for all workers.

Creating Good Jobs at Home for Everyone

- Establishing fair trade that supports American workers, creates a race to the top, and brings American jobs back home.
- Supporting high-standard, pro-worker workforce development programs that prepare today's workers for the jobs of tomorrow.
- Strengthening America's industrial base through pro-worker industrial policy and strong Buy America requirements.