



## Establishing the Protecting Workers' Rights Committee

Resolution #2025.18

**WHEREAS**, from the beginning of the labor movement workers have created and joined unions to fight for and protect their hard-won labor rights; and

**WHEREAS**, monied interests perpetually fight to eliminate or degrade workers' rights under the law; and,

**WHEREAS**, our collective labor rights are under attack as never before, especially at the federal level; and,

**WHEREAS**, state level intervention on workers' behalf can strengthen workers' degraded rights; now therefore, be it,

**RESOLVED**, that the Washington State Labor Council (WSLC), AFL-CIO, will within one year establish a committee to explore state level policy options to strengthen workers' ability to come together and form unions, to improve the conditions, compensation, and social wages of work, and to defend our rights against the monied interests committed to our subjugation and the destruction of our power; and be it further,

**RESOLVED**, that the WSLC will support and advocate for legislation if produced by the committee; and be it finally,

**RESOLVED**, that the WSLC will inform and encourage support from all affiliated unions to support the committee's work and recommendations.