



Act Now for Indiana Workers!

The three key issues our Union has focused on this year at the Indiana State House are at a critical point and your help is needed right away.

In the House, Representatives are considering how to solve the crisis in Unemployment Insurance after the Senate passed a measure to limit eligible workers as well as reduce benefits. They are also on the verge of possibly supporting a clean-energy job-creating Renewable Energy standard and the vote is expected to be very close.

In the state Senate, the Tax and Fiscal Policy Committee is blocking our Buy America resolution from being heard and presented on the Senate floor.

Please take 2 minutes to place these calls and share the following messages....

1) Call or email your State Representative and ask him/her to--

- a) Please **do NOT cut Unemployment Benefits for laid off workers!** Do NOT cut back on who can receive these benefits. DO support a solution to the unemployment insurance crisis which does NOT penalize people out of work!
- b) Please **'VOTE YES' SB 300, the Green Jobs/Renewable Energy Standard bill,** to create the demand for industrial components for wind, solar and other clean energy. Indiana is the **ONLY** state in the Upper Midwest without such a policy. We have the potential for 40,000 good manufacturing jobs. Let's put people back to work NOW! (the vote is expected **Thursday April 9**)

2) Call or email your **State Senator** and ask him/her to--

- c) Please support the **"Buy America" Resolution (SR 37 "Stimulus Money")** to ensure our federal stimulus monies are used to buy American-made products. Our tax dollars should put Hoosiers back to work!

Main Phone Numbers:

House- 800-382-9842 Senate- 800-382-9467

You can go to the following link to find out who your legislators are:

<http://www.in.gov/legislative/legislators/>

Message from United Steelworkers District 7

For more information call:

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