WHY JOIN UFCW LOCAL 1994?

UFCW Local 1994 negotiates your contract — your working conditions, benefits, and salary — with your employer. We conduct our negotiations based on input from your coworkers who are members of Local 1994. If you aren’t a member, you don’t have any say! When it comes time to vote on your agreement, only members have a say.

YOU CAN’T VOTE IF YOU ARE NOT A MEMBER...

Local 1994 negotiates a collective bargaining agreements that cover your working life. If you want a strong contract, we need you and all of your coworkers to stand behind your bargaining team. Imagine how much better our negotiations could go if your employer knew everyone was united in their desire for a stronger, better contract.

YOU CAN’T HANDLE EVERY SITUATION ON YOUR OWN.

Everyone needs help once in a while. You may run into a situation you can’t handle, and your union brothers and sisters could be there for you. Your shop steward or field representative will fight for you if a supervisor has unfairly targeted you.

You have rights in your workplace — the right to be treated with respect and dignity, the right to a workplace free from harassment, the right to do your job and to not fear for your job just because your manager doesn’t like you.

Who won those rights? Your union. Your coworkers who joined together and created Local 1994 more than 30 years ago. Unless you want to say goodbye to those protections, we need every eligible employee to be a member of our union. Stand united! Together we are strong!

Complete a membership application! Contact your Field Representative at 301-977-2447 for more information.

THERE ARE OTHER BENEFITS TO BEING AN MEMBER

We have joined together with our International Union to provide special discounts and offers to members only. Mortgage programs, theme park passes, movie tickets, reduced rates for AT&T Wireless, even car and truck savings. We have also negotiated a Free College benefit. Scholarship programs offered by Local 1994 partners and the International Union are only available to members.

JUST ASK ANNIE

Local 1994 member Annie Thoopsyamoot was not a “believer in unions.” Bad experiences with her previous job at a union-represented airline had soured her on unions. That is, until recently.

Local 1994 Secretary-Treasurer Yvette Cuffie helped get Thoopsyamoot reinstated to her job with the Silver Spring Urban District after some problems she experienced.

“You have made me a believer. All of you worked very hard for me and that’s why we won!” said Thoopsyamoot.