

CWA SIF Request Form

for Support of Collective Bargaining Grants

General Information

Project Name:

Silo:

Senior Director:

1. Date:

2. Local / District/ Sector/Division

3. District/ Sector/Division Vice President:

4. Project Coordinator:

4(a). Phone Number:

5. Local Contact:

5(a). Phone Number:

6. Total Amount Requested:

7. What is the term of the grant you are requesting?

8. Has a previous SIF or Defense Fund request been approved for this employer and bargaining unit, whether in the current round of negotiations or for previous contracts?

9. What was the total dollar amount approved? When was this request approved?

10. Outline the bargaining strategy. Be specific.

11. Outline the goals of this plan. Be specific.

12. What measurements will be used to determine whether or not the planned activities have accomplished the set goals?

EMPLOYER SNAP SHOT

13. Employer Name:

14. Parent Company Name:

15. Attach a list of total number of employees at this employer. The list should include CWA members/non-members by local (if more than one local is involved).

16. List the number of employees and CWA members at the parent company.

17. List the geographical locations and occupational groups.

- 18. Include the business plan/focus for the employer/parent.**
- 19. Include financial information on the employer/parent.**
- 20. List any regulatory or legislative issues of critical interest to the employer/parent.**
- 21. Are there other CWA contracts with this employer/parent?**
- 22. Are there other unions that have contracts with this employer?**

BARGAINING

- 23. Contract expiration date?**
- 24. How many bargaining sessions have been held?**
- 25. Date of last bargaining?**
- 26. Are future bargaining sessions scheduled?**
- 27. Summarize bargaining, include specific management demands and proposals that are problematic.**
- 28. Name of the Union bargaining chair.**

MOBILIZATION

- 29. Does the local(s) have a mobilization structure? Describe.**
- 30. Provide a detailed summary of membership/community mobilization actions up to this date. Include number of members participating in actions or percent of members participating. List type of actions and provide numbers for projects and outcomes.**

(For example, if a letter writing campaign is underway, provide the number of letters sent. If a petition drive is underway, list the number of signatures obtained. Quantify actions as much as possible.)

LOCAL FUNDING

- 31. Indicate the funds the local has spent on this campaign. Be specific and indicate how the funds were spent.**
- 32. Indicate any future funds that the local plans to spend.**

PLAN AND BUDGET FOR SIF RESOURCES

- 33. Indicate how SIF funds will be spent.**

34. Explain how these expenditures will increase our bargaining power. Please be as specific as possible.

PARTNERS/ALLIES

35. List any allies or partners who are supporting this campaign and specifically what they are committed to do.