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Unemployment insurance is should only be available for involuntarily unemployed employees.

If a union member chooses to strike due to their union loyalty, they should have funds set aside for such events since it is always a possibility when belonging to a union.

Striking and ensuing unemployment is a choice, not involuntary unemployment.

My understanding is that employers pay the brunt of unemployment benefits and it would definitely affect businesses doing business here, or that are interested in moving to Oregon... though with Oregon's current leadership political philosophy and drug/shelterless chaos in the larger cities from ill-advised decisions, I don't know why a business would even consider Oregon at this point. What a shame, hope it will improve.

Please oppose SB916