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Chair Taylor, Vice Chair Bonham, and members of the committee,

My name is Joey Sorensen. I am a member of UFCW 555 at Safeway. I am submitting this written testimony in support of SB 916. We recently went on strike at Fred Meyer. SB 916 is about fairness. It's about ensuring that all workers have access to some financial support when they exercise their right to strike, enabling them to fight for better contracts. It aligns with the core principle of SB 916/HB 3434: ending the exclusion of Unemployment Insurance for striking workers. Fairness for all workers is essential.