

Project Labor Agreements

Protect Fair Competition and Taxpayer Dollars

What You Need to Know

What Are PLAs?

- Project Labor Agreements (PLAs) are special agreements that force public projects to use union-only labor, raising costs and limiting competition.

Why Should You Care?

- PLAs drive up costs on taxpayer-funded projects, meaning your tax dollars are wasted.
- Small businesses and non-union workers are effectively shut out of bidding, leaving the majority of the local workforce behind.

The Impact on Our Community

- Fewer local jobs for non-union workers.
- Increased costs lead to fewer projects and less investment in essential services like schools and roads.



+18% Higher Costs: PLAs can raise construction project costs by up to 18%, costing you more taxes.



87% of Workers Excluded: PLAs block 87% of non-union workers and local businesses from participating in projects.



Limited Job Opportunities: PLAs often exclude non-union workers, limiting job opportunities for local families and communities.

Take Action Now!

Contact Your Local Lawmakers

- Demand they oppose any new Project Labor Agreements (PLAs) on public projects.

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for more facts about PLAs and how they affect our community.

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