

Resolution to Endorse AFSCME 517's fight for a fair contract

Graduate Labor Union - UE 1105

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WHEREAS AFSCME Local 517 continues to negotiate for fair wages, affordable healthcare, strong mental health benefits and supportive policies, safe and sustainable staffing letters, and good faith bargaining,

WHEREAS AFSCME Local 517 has voted to reject Washington County's latest contract offer as of February 25th and has authorised a strike,

WHEREAS we continue to provide solidarity with Unions fighting for a fair contract,

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED

THAT GLU-UE 1105 stands in support of AFSCME 517's fight for a fair contract,

THAT GLU-UE 1105 endorses the Petition [at this link](#) and calls upon members to sign on in support, and

THAT GLU-UE 1105 further endorses the Rally for a Fair Contract on March 24th and other efforts by AFSCME 517 to ensure a fair contract.