At the 2017 AFL-CIO convention, the delegates passed a Workers Bill of Rights
All working people have the right to:

- A Good Job with Fair Wages: Everyone who wants to work has the right to a
good job where we earn a fair return on our work and receive a wage that allows us
to support ourselves and our families.
- Quality Health Care: Regardless of income, job or a pre-existing condition.
- A Safe Job: Free from harassment and violence.
- Paid Time Off and Flexible, Predictable Scheduling: To spend time with
family or care for ourselves or a loved one.
- Freedom from Discrimination: In hiring, firing and promotions.
- Retire with Dignity: And financial security.
- Education: Public K-12, higher education and career training that advances
our knowledge and skills without leaving us in debt.
- Freedom to Join Together: With our co-workers for better wages and
working conditions, whether we are in a union or not.
- A Voice in Democracy: To freely exercise our democratic voice through
voting and civic participation so that we can make sure our government stands up
for this Workers’ Bill of Rights.

In keeping with the spirit of this resolution, and to aid in bringing these standards to all
workers, IATSE Local 13 has adopted the following policies for all newly organized
workers:

- All workers in the bargaining unit of any newly organized employer will have a
voice in creating the contract with that employer and a vote on that contract
- All workers in the bargaining unit of any newly organized employer will be first
offered work with that employer before any other IATSE Local 13 referral.
- Upon ratification of the initial contract with a new employer, all workers in the
bargaining unit will be offered membership in IATSE Local 13, and the initiation
fee and processing fees will be waived.