



Food & Drug Council.

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Unions sharing common interests, working together...

in Arizona, California, Colorado, Nevada, Utah Tennessee and Washington State.



What is the Food & Drug Council?

The Food & Drug Council, Inc. is a 501(a), nonprofit, educational coalition of affiliated unions in the retail food and drug industries. It is a powerful vehicle to advance the causes of its membership.

Established in the 1940s, the FDC now represents some 375,000 union members throughout Arizona, California, Colorado, Nevada, Utah, Tennessee and Washington State.

In an era of unparalleled challenges confronting labor in general and food and drug industry unions in particular, farsighted labor leaders have forged a new and more proactive agenda for the FDC.

Affiliates of the Food & Drug Council include more than 40 local, regional and international associations of the Teamsters; the United Food and Commercial Workers; the Operating Engineers Union; the Longshore and Warehouse Union; the Bakery, Confectionary, Tobacco Workers and Grain Millers Union; the Machinists Union

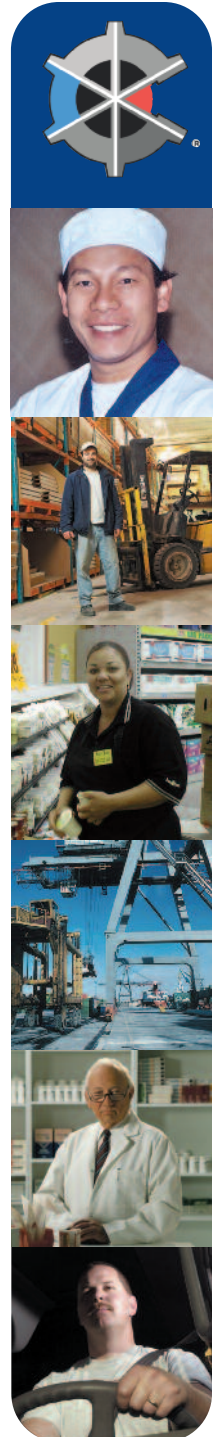
and Sprinkler Fitters. FDC affiliates also include the International Brotherhood of Teamsters, the International Longshore and Warehouse Union and the United Food and Commercial Workers International Union (see next page for affiliate listing).

The central axiom of the labor movement is “strength in numbers.” To that end, Food & Drug Council affiliates are committed to supporting each other in the fight to improve the lives of working people and their families.

The Food & Drug Council communicates a variety of messages on the vital importance of strong and vibrant trade unions. These messages go to union and non-union workers as well as the general public. In addition, the Food & Drug Council provides support to affiliates in contract negotiations, traditional and non-traditional organizing campaigns, boycott campaigns, informational demonstrations, leaflet campaigns, strikes and lock-outs. It also provides cutting-edge educational programs for its affiliates at its annual conference.

FDC Affiliates

International Brotherhood of Teamsters	Teamsters Local 630
United Food & Commercial Workers International Union	Teamsters Local 683
International Longshore & Warehouse Union	Teamsters Local 848
Teamsters Calif. Council of Cannery & Food Processors	Teamsters Local 853
Automotive Machinists Coordinating Committee	Teamsters Local 911
United Council of UFCW Local Unions	Teamsters Local 952
Teamsters Local 63	UFCW Local 5
Teamsters Local 70	UFCW 8-Golden State
Teamsters Local 150	UFCW Local 99
Teamsters Local 166	UFCW Local 101
Teamsters Local 186	UFCW Local 135
Teamsters Local 315	UFCW Local 324
Teamsters Local 439	UFCW Local 367
Teamsters Local 455	UFCW Local 648
Teamsters Local 490	UFCW Local 770
Teamsters Local 495	UFCW Local 711
Teamsters Local 517	UFCW Local 1167
Teamsters Local 542	UFCW Local 1428
Teamsters Local 572	UFCW Local 1439
	UFCW Local 1442
	UFCW Local 1529
	ILWU Local 26
	IUOE Local 501
	IAMAW District Lodge 190
	Sprinkler Fitters Local 709
	BCTGM Local 85





The FDC's Big Rig, "Double Trouble," is a spotless, custom 18-wheel Freightliner tractor-trailer. It offers a dramatic and visible statement of support for any union cause or campaign. It is available to affiliates at no cost (except for fuel reimbursement).

The FDC Big Rig is available for:

- Picket lines
- Negotiations
- Rallies
- Organizing campaigns
- Working families who need help

**To watch "Double Trouble" in action, visit
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