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POLICY ADVOCACY

Office of Labor Standards & Enforcement

WE DID IT!

ON MAY 4, THE COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS VOTED TO CREATE AN

OFFICE OF LABOR STANDARDS & ENFORCEMENT

THIS IS A HUGE VICTORY FOR WORKERS!
After years of advocacy, we won a County Office of Labor Standards and Enforcement!

Thank you to Employee Rights Center, SEIU 221, and other Invest in San Diego Families partners who have advocated with us and to everyone who called in, signed the petition, and spread the word. We're grateful to Supervisor Nathan Fletcher for bringing this proposal forward to the Board of Supervisors.

This is a much needed first step in protecting workers' rights. To protect workers this office must be worker-centered, proactively investigate industries with high cases of wage theft, and use their power to receive back pay and settlements for workers. We will also continue pushing for regional policies that protect workers and living wages.

READ MORE

Community Budget Alliance

SAVE THE DATE

San Diego City Council will vote on Mayor Todd Gloria's revised budget on Monday, June 14.

Last week, San Diego Mayor Todd Gloria released his May Revise of the budget, and it was disappointing to see the police continue to be a priority while our communities
Save the date for **Monday, June 14** when the San Diego City Council votes on the mayor’s revised budget. You can catch up on our recent panels and news [on our website](#).

This work moves quickly and the best way to stay up to date is by following the CBA on [Facebook](#) and [Instagram](#).

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**Invest in San Diego Families**

**ISDF County Budget Action Training Series**

**Budget Action Training #2**

**Thursday, June 3**

5:30-7:00 PM

Register:

[bit.ly/isdf_budget_training2](#)

[Closed Captioning & Spanish Language Interpretation Provided](#)

Thank you to everyone who attended our first budget training. If you missed it, you can watch the recording [on our website](#).

We are hosting part two on **Thursday, June 3**. This will be an interactive workshop where we will provide training and practice together how to tell your story and advocate for a budget that uplifts San Diego and its residents. You’ll get to practice telling your story in small groups in breakout rooms.

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[SIGN UP](#)
Last summer, San Diego Unified School District (SDUSD) unanimously passed our coalition’s community schools resolution. Since then, we’ve been working with the district on implementation of the resolution to transform SDUSD public schools into community schools.

Tomorrow, May 25 at 3:30pm, the district is hosting an info session for anyone interested in learning more about the process of applying for a community school designation. This info session is open to anyone (school administrators, teachers, parents, students, community members) interested in learning more about community schools.

SIGN UP

CPI IN THE MEDIA

- San Diego council lobbying for new youth office to make city more family-friendly (May 2021, San Diego Union-Tribune)
• Activists Want More Police Cuts In Mayor’s Final Budget Proposal (May 2021, KPBS)
• Wage Theft Is Common for Low-Level Workers, and Officials Are Starting to Take Notice (May 2021, Voice of San Diego)
• Community Budget Alliance seeks to re-allocate SDPD funding (May 2021, SD News)
• Budget hearing held to discuss $19 million increase for San Diego Police (May 2021, ABC 10)
• San Diego community and youth leaders sound off on mayor’s proposed budget over increased police funding (May 2021, ABC 10)
• City leaders begin talks on Mayor Gloria’s budget, $19 million increase for SDPD (May 2021,
• Why Is San Diego’s Mayor Adding $19M To The Police Budget? (April 2021, KPBS)
• One Councilman Wants to Trash the People’s Ordinance (April 2021, Voice of San Diego)

MORE IN OUR PRESS ROOM

JOIN OUR TEAM

We are currently hiring for the following positions. Click to learn more:

• Coalition Organizer
• Communications Specialist - Digital Communications
• Communications Specialist - Copywriting & Media Relations

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