

AFSCME WISCONSIN COUNCIL 32
2025 CONVENTION RESOLUTION #1

In Support of Federal Workers

1 **WHEREAS,** AFSCME was founded more than 90 years ago in our home state of Wisconsin so that civil
2 servants could organize and stand together in order to protect the dignity and safety of public
3 service workers; and

4 **WHEREAS,** AFSCME has always maintained that a strong democracy relies upon independent and ethical
5 civil servants free from patronage and corruption; and

6 **WHEREAS,** AFSCME members in Wisconsin have spent the last 15 years learning through painful
7 experience what the attacks on public workers and their unions mean not only for their own
8 families but also for the communities where they live and serve; and

9 **WHEREAS,** AFSCME members in Wisconsin can see clearly the threat to honest, effective and ethical
10 public service posed by the Trump Administration, the billionaires they serve and the
11 destruction of the Constitutional order which they represent; and

12 **THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED,** that the delegates to this annual convention of AFSCME Council 32
13 assembled in Wisconsin Dells, Wisconsin, April 11-12, 2025, hereby declare our solidarity
14 with the public servants who work within our federal government and who right now stand on
15 the front lines against the corruption and patronage our union was organized to combat; and

16 **BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED,** that the delegates that AFSCME Council 32 will make public our
17 declaration of support for our embattled federal employee peers through our formal
18 communications and social media; and

19 **BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED,** that each delegate to this convention shall commit to take action through
20 public advocacy and direct contact with elected officials regardless of political party and
21 position demanding fair treatment of all public workers and a restoration of Constitutional
22 checks and balances to protect the interests of the American people.

23 Submitted by,

24 Paul Spink, President AFSCME Council 32 and Midwestern Region International Vice President

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