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more money flowing into local economies, more revenue in state coffers, and more financial security for working families.

HB 6932: Paid Family and Medical Leave would provide critical support for working families when they need it most. Many of our clients support family members in other countries. This legislation would make it much easier for them to travel to care for a loved one that is ailing or dying. This is no trivial matter, because sometimes the grief of not being able to say goodbye can be a larger burden than the loss itself. Importantly, as workers would self-fund such a program, this bill also puts very little cost on employers.

HB 6933: We support this legislation because it creates an opportunity for more stability for working families. Too many workers are subject to fluctuations in wages from week to week because of employers' unfair scheduling practices. This is a particularly difficult situation for working parents who must make arrangements for childcare. Workers deserve predictability in their schedules.

Respectfully submitted,
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