



FIGHT BACK PITTSBURGH

The Pittsburgh Chapter of the United Steelworkers Associate Member Program



Fight Back Pittsburgh/USW Local 3657 Organizing Committee

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- On November 3rd, Fight Back Pittsburgh, in conjunction with Local 3657, the USW International and several other local and national organizations, hosted the Pittsburgh Rock Against the TPP at Mr. Smalls in Millvale. The event was a major success with over 500 people in attendance and major coverage from local newspapers.
- As a follow-up to the Rock Against the TPP, Fight Back Pittsburgh hosted a teach-in on the TPP at the USW headquarters on November 16th.
- On November 29th, Fight Back Pittsburgh is joined our allies from the Fight for \$15 for the March to Take Back Our Economy at the Federal Building. The event is part of the national strike for \$15 and a union.
- On November 30th, Fight Back Pittsburgh will be joining a delegation of farm workers from the Coalition of Immokalee Workers for a picket at the Wendy's at the corner of 40th and Butler in Lawrenceville. For years the CIW has been working with fast food chains to improve wages and working conditions for farm workers growing their vegetables. To evade calls for improved conditions, Wendy's has started importing vegetables from Mexico.
- Fight Back Pittsburgh is currently meeting with two promising organizing leads. We will provide updates and additional information if those efforts move forward.