

# Speak Out Now at Kaiser

A workplace newsletter for Kaiser Oakland workers

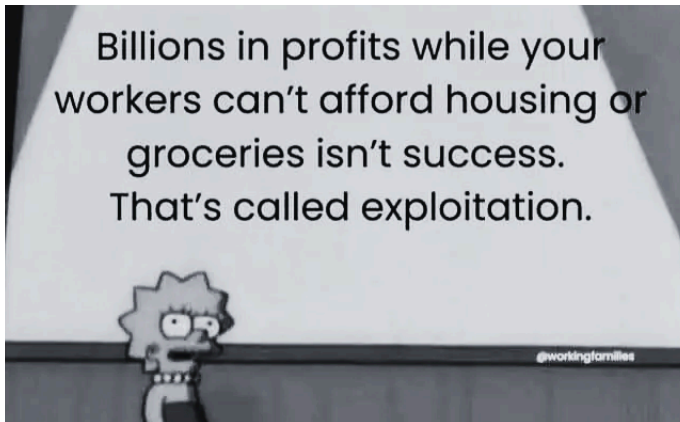
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## WHY MAY DAY?

Today our collective struggle for a better tomorrow can be won. May Day, is a time to remember history and also make our history. Work is currently organized around a cheap exploited labor class. The work is done by us, we know how to work to make things move, the bosses need us more than we need them.

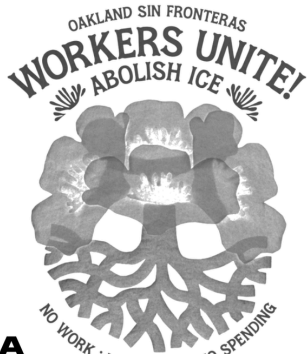
This system takes and takes from the moment we are born trying to reduce us to things that make profits for their oppressive system.

We must mobilize our working class and act in solidarity. We must begin to move away from a thing oriented society to a people oriented society. We must have the confidence in ourselves to act. To practice a culture of giving and sharing to build a better future for each other. The only ones that can save us is us. Now is the time to make justice a reality for all children.



**MARCH WITH  
SPEAK OUT SOCIALISTS**

# MAY DAY



**FRIDAY, MAY 1**  
**FRUITVALE PLAZA**  
35<sup>TH</sup> & INTERNATIONAL BLVD.

## 2PM

RESOURCE FAIR. LOOK FOR THE "SPEAK OUT SOCIALISTS" TABLE!

## 3PM

JOIN US FOR THE RALLY AND MARCH!

[SPEAKOUTSOCIALISTS.ORG](http://SPEAKOUTSOCIALISTS.ORG)  
[INSTAGRAM.COM/SONSOCIALISTS](https://www.instagram.com/SONSOCIALISTS)



## KILLER CARGO OUT OF OAKLAND AIRPORT!

There were some flyers around Kaiser last week for a mass meeting for the Oakland Arms Embargo campaign, which took place on Sunday April 19 in Oakland. This meeting had over 500 attendees.

The meeting was in response to the revelation that Oakland Airport is a crucial part of the supply chain for US military aid to Israel. The Oakland Airport is responsible for regularly shipping components to Israel that are used in their F-35 warplanes which have regularly dropped bombs on Gaza, Iran, and Lebanon.

Many working people here in the U.S. just like us are unknowingly going to work each day, and are getting paid to be a cog in the machine of U.S./Israeli war in the Middle East! What if we decided we didn't want to be apart of their system anymore, and wanted to reorganize things in our interests?

## NO TO HEALTHCARE LAYOFFS!

In the last few months, there has been a fight by healthcare workers at Highland Hospital to stop large layoffs at the hospital. This is not unusual for Kaiser workers to hear about, as layoffs have impacted Kaiser workers over the years. We need to oppose layoffs at Kaiser and of other healthcare workers in our community! Join AHS workers and fellow community members on May 5th from 4-6pm for a rally outside the Alameda Health System (AHS) executives' Jack London Square offices!

AHS executives are spending millions of taxpayer dollars on waterfront offices, despite already having perfectly good office space inside Highland Hospital. These executives are the same ones orchestrating the layoffs of hundreds of AHS workers. It must be nice to sign away people's jobs from a luxury office suite overlooking the Bay.

The layoffs are currently deferred until June while the county looks for funding solutions. But AHS workers demand that the layoffs be stopped and not just deferred. The executives need to stop wasting money on fancy offices and keep our public healthcare infrastructure off the chopping block!

 **STOP THE LAYOFFS**  
**+ SAVE OUR PUBLIC HEALTHCARE +**

**Tuesday, May 5th**  
4:00PM - 6:00PM

**55 Harrison St**  
(Jack London Square)

**Join us to demand:**

- STOP WASTING MONEY
- STOP THE LAYOFFS

\*and eat some tacos