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ILWU Statement on the Passing of Richard Trumka

The entire ILWU family mourns the loss of AFL-CIO President Richard Trumka who passed away unexpectedly last night. Our condolences go out to Mr. Trumka's family and all our siblings in the labor movement.

"Richard Trumka's working-class values and commitment to organized labor were forged in the mines of Pennsylvania. He was a labor warrior with an unwavering commitment to uplifting all workers, improving workplace safety, and fighting to ensure that workers have a voice on the job," said ILWU International President Willie Adams. "We will honor his legacy by continuing to organize the unorganized, and fight to win passage of the PRO Act and President Biden's infrastructure package. Rest in power, Rich."