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Speaker of the House

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Dear Friends:

It is an honor to send my warm greetings to the men and women of the Chicago Federation of Musicians. Every day, your incredible talents and hard work enrich the community.

Democrats stand in solidarity with you in asking the Chicago Symphony to come to the table with respect for the value of your work. We recognize that there is no symphony without musicians and that the symphony's success is only possible because of your talent and dedication.

As negotiations continue, it is critical that you and all American workers have the chance to build a stable economic future for yourselves and your children. Democrats are committed to ensuring that every worker has the freedom to fight for higher wages, better working conditions, quality health care benefits, and the dignity of a good retirement that you have earned!

Unions have always been the backbone of the middle class, which is the foundation of our democracy. Thank you for your continued leadership in the fight to lift up all Americans and keep our country moving forward while you inspire us with your talent.

best regards,

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