



Dear Employer,

We are writing to respectfully request that you allow employees to arrange time off without retaliation in order to participate in the May 1st statewide march and national day of action in Milwaukee from 11am-2pm.

This Wisconsin tradition elevates the national and state demands of the immigrant rights movement. This year our principal demand is to call on Republicans in the Joint Finance Committee to vote to keep state driver licenses for immigrants in the state budget. Restoring driver licenses will generate revenue for our state, make our roads safer, and help immigrant workers and their families who are essential to our economy and communities throughout Wisconsin.

The Milwaukee civil rights march, will start on Monday, May 1, 2023, and is part of a national day of action calling on the expansion of Temporary Protected Status (TPS), and end to 287G programs, and passage of immigration reform.

We are asking employers to either scale back or close operations to allow workers to participate. Please feel free to contact my assistant Cassandra Cruz at 414-384-4275 or via email at ccruz@vdlf.org if you have any questions or need further information.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads 'Christine Neumann-Ortiz'.

Christine Neumann-Ortiz

Executive Director of Voces de la Frontera