The Documentary Producers Alliance Statement in Support of International Documentary Association Workers

On behalf of our more than 400 diverse members working as documentary producers throughout the world, we stand in solidarity with the International Documentary Association (IDA) workers in their pursuit of unionizing. We applaud the IDA Management for voluntarily recognizing the union, and will hold them to their word.

As documentary producers, we know how important working conditions are. When people come together to demand better working conditions we will support them. This is true in all fields, especially in our own backyard. The Documentary Producers Alliance supports the IDA workers. We #StandWithIDAWorkers as they embark on negotiating their first contract.

Signed,
The Documentary Producers Alliance Labor Committee
with support from the DPA Committee Chairs

Established in 2016, the Documentary Producers Alliance (DPA) is a diverse coalition of more than 450 members worldwide, ranging from emerging to Academy Award-winning producers.

The DPA sets standards for inclusive, sustainable and equitable business practices; amplifies the voice of all documentary producers; and educates the industry about producers’ essential role as filmmakers.