## MEATPACKING WORKERS AND THEIR COMMUNITIES CAN TELL YOU...

## Uncontrolled Power By Huge Companies Threatens Jobs and Destabilizes Local Economies

Hundreds of thousands of workers clock in every day to process America's meat supply. And when giant pork and beef companies close plants to move production closer to the livestock they own, jobs are lost and local economies never recover.

That's why the 1.3 million members of the United Food and Commercial Workers International Union urge Senators to **Support the Packer Ownership Ban in the Farm Bill** (*S. 2302*, *Sec. 10207*).

When meatpacking giants control all the levels of production, our jobs are at risk. Over the past ten years, companies like Smithfield have closed plants to move production closer to the hogs they own —rather than buy on the open market.

Ban Packer Ownership of Livestock.

## Our Jobs, Our Communities, and the Environment Depend on It

