

## **WORKPLACE RIGHTS BUREAU**

The mission of the Workplace Rights Bureau is to protect and advance the employment rights of Illinois residents, particularly and low and moderate-income residents and vulnerable immigrant residents. The Bureau investigates and litigates cases involving serious or persistent wage law violations or other significant labor and employment practices. The Bureau monitors and proposes legislation concerning labor and employment issues. The Bureau drafts *amicus curiae* briefs on important employment law matters and also comments on proposed regulatory changes. Additionally, the Bureau conducts outreach and partners with other governmental entities, community groups, unions, and businesses to increase the public's understanding of their employment rights and to better identify potentially non-compliant employers.