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Shawn Fain, Candidate for UAW President

Dear Shawn,

As candidates for the highest office in the UAW, we must both be committed to transparency and the highest standards of ethics for our great institution.

As we know all too well from national politics, with money comes influence over a candidate. Transparency about those transactions is necessary to make sure that outsiders do not control our union.

You have stated that you have accepted money from people and outside entities that have never paid dues into our union. UAW members deserve to know who they are.

That is why I am calling for you to disclose the names and donation amounts from non-UAW members, non-UAW entities including corporations, non-profit organizations and outside political organizations that you have accepted since December 1, 2022.

Specifically, our members deserve to know about all non-UAW contributions to:

- Shawn Fain for One UAW
- UAW Members United
- United All Workers for Democracy

As you know, your campaign disclosure form (which I can view as a candidate) does not disclose the relationship of your contributors to our union. Only you know who these outsiders are. Also, the Monitor has required that all candidates inform donors that their information may be disclosed so there is no issue of privacy.

In contrast to your stance on funding your campaign, I have taken the pledge to not accept contributions from non-UAW members and require that all contributors both state that they are an active or retired UAW member and provide their local union number.

Ballots are out. Members are voting. I call on you to immediately share this information with UAW members so they may make an informed decision about their next president.

I hope you will agree that our members deserve transparency and that you have nothing to hide by disclosing your outside donors. I look forward to receiving your response.

Regardless of your answer, starting today, our campaign will be releasing that information to UAW members.

We owe it to our membership to practice the transparency that we advocate.

In Solidarity

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