



# EXERCISE: MAP YOUR WORKPLACE

## PART 2

**Mark the groups.** Identify the people who form each work group and each social group, using a different color or symbol for each group.

*Who works together?*

*Who are all the smokers?*

*Who carools together?*

*Who are the Spanish-speakers?*

As you identify groups, discuss them.

*How does this group relate to management?*

*What are the biggest problems affecting this group?*

Keep your observations respectful and factual, not gossipy. The idea is to find insights that will help you organize with these co-workers, not repeat stereotypes or gripes about them.

**Mark the leaders.** Indicate each group's leader with an appropriate color.

*Who's the main leader in this group?*

*Are there other leaders in this group?*

**Map out union support.** Who's part of your organizing team so far? If there's not a formal group, choose some criteria.

*Who gathered signatures on the latest petition?*

*Who's helping to make this map?*

Also mark the wider circle of union supporters.

*Who signed the last petition?*

*Who is a dues-paying member?*

