

Resolution in Support of the California Faculty Association

Whereas, the California Faculty Association represents 23,000 faculty members with the California State University system; and

Whereas, a stable, supported workforce and workplace means quality education for CSU students; and

Whereas, the CSU Administration has rejected the recommendations of two independent fact-finders to provide some of the negotiated raises in the CFA 2008/2009 and 2009/2010 contracts;

Whereas, because the CSU Administration appears unwilling to negotiate, insisting solely on take-backs in ongoing CFA/CSU successor contract negotiations; and

Whereas, because we agree with CFA that lavish giveaways to CSU executives, fee hikes, and take-back bargaining proposals need to end; and

Whereas, because the CSU Trustees must be sent a wake-up call not to balance their budget on the backs of faculty and students;

Therefore be it Resolved the San Francisco Labor Council hereby supports the California Faculty Association in its plans for concerted strike actions on November 17th, 2011 at CSU East Bay and CSU Dominguez Hills and

Be it Finally Resolved the San Francisco Labor Council supports CFA as it works hard to maintain the professional working conditions of faculty to ensure quality learning conditions for their students.

Submitted by Catherine Powell, CFA.