

## SUPPORT FROM TUSD EMPLOYEE GROUPS

**PREFACE: All four of TUSD's employee bargaining units wholeheartedly are supporting an override election in November. The leaders of these units have given permission to use their names and e-mails.**

### **TUCSON EDUCATION ASSOCIATION (TEA)**

**From:** STEVE.COURTER@ARIZONAEA.ORG

**Sent:** Thursday, January 24, 2008 11:08 AM

**To:** Governing Board

**Cc:** Pfeuffer, Roger

**Subject: Override position**

**Alex,**

I would like for you to share with your colleagues that yesterday's meeting of the Association Representatives included action on a motion to support a November 2008 override. The motion passed overwhelmingly, so we are now officially in support of this being on the ballot, and will pledge our best efforts to getting it approved by the voters. Thank you.

**Steve Courter, President, Tucson Education Association**

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### **AMERICAN FEDERAL, STATE, COUNTY & MUNICIPAL EMPLOYEES (AFSCME)**

**From:** Slabaugh, Robert

**Sent:** Wed 1/30/2008 12:46 PM

**To:** Rodriguez, Alex (Gov Board); Grijalva, Adelita; Burke, Bruce; Burns, Judy; Ireland, Joel

**Cc:** 'Brenda Lambach'; 'jerseykate@netscape.com'; Kiser, Shirley; [steve.courter@arizonaea.org](mailto:steve.courter@arizonaea.org); Clarridge, Pamela; 'Linda@cwa7000.org'; Pfeuffer, Roger; Slabaugh, Robert

**Subject: override support**

**Alex,**

Please be advised that AFSCME endorses the proposed override wholeheartedly and will devote whatever resources necessary to ensure its passage.

**R. Bruce Slabaugh, President, AFSCME Local 449**

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### **EDUCATIONAL LEADERS, INC. (ELI)**

Educational Leaders, Inc. fully supports the proposal for an override election. We recognize first hand what the two initiatives, Reduced Class Size and Opening Minds through the Arts, have contributed to student success in our schools. ELI pledges to do what is necessary to ensure that the override is successful.

**Pamela Brown Clarridge, President, ELI & Principal, Kellond Elementary School**

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### **COMMUNICATION WORKERS OF AMERICA (CWA)**

**From:** Baker, James

**Sent:** Mon 2/4/2008 11:54 AM

**To:** Grijalva, Adelita; Burke, Bruce; Burns, Judy; Ireland, Joel; Rodriguez, Alex (Gov Board)

**Cc:** Kiser, Shirley; [linda@cwa7000.org](mailto:linda@cwa7000.org)

**Subject: Override support**

**Alex,**

Please be advised that Communications Workers of America Local 7000 supports the proposed override and will devote time and people to ensure its successful passage. Thank you.

**James Baker, Executive Vice-President, CWA Local 7000**