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Dr. Kenneth Mash
President
Association of Pennsylvania State College & University Faculties
Transmitted via e-mail to: kmash@apscuf.org

Dear President Mash:

I am writing to express support and encouragement for the members of the Association of Pennsylvania State College & University Faculties who are currently on strike. Their brave efforts to reach a fair and equitable settlement will help ensure that students have the state system of higher education they deserve.

As educators, we are deeply committed to the success of our students. We regret the disruption of learning time, yet we know the measures for which we are fighting will attract and retain quality educators, thereby benefiting generations of students and working families.

Your persistent efforts to stand up to the State System – after nearly two years of bargaining – will ultimately help to ensure you are treated fairly and PASSHE students have access to a quality education.

We hope for a quick resolution so you can get back to your important work; preparing students to succeed. NEA members across the nation are proud of your courage and resilience during this difficult time. Stay strong and united and continue to stand together for the professional respect that you so rightfully deserve!

Please convey to your members that they have the full support of their union, and don't hesitate to let me know if NEA can assist you in this struggle.

In Solidarity,

Lily Eskelsen García
NEA President