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Dear Member:

The Executive Board would like to apologize for the delay in notifying the membership with regard to the Professional Growth Fund. The International Brotherhood of Teamsters recently concluded an audit of the Local's finances of which included the Professional Growth Fund.

As a part of this audit, we were informed that the Local for the past several years has withdrawn \$48,000.00 yearly from the Fund for administrative costs to disburse funds. The finding is that the Local may be responsible for the repayment of a portion of these funds. We have been instructed to provide a cost analysis to administer funds and report our findings to members.

The School District is providing \$500 per member for the Professional Growth Fund this year. After careful scrutinization and consideration, we have determined that the Fund can afford an addition \$100 to add to the distribution to members. The amount to be paid out to members this year will be \$600 per member.

It is our intent to work tirelessly to maintain the Professional Growth Fund and return the distribution to its previously allotted \$750 per member.

The guidelines for expenditures and due date for submission is forthcoming, and we thank you for your patience with this matter.

In solidarity,

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