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Dear Colleague,

Welcome to the Associate Faculty of MiraCosta College! We're glad you are part of our faculty.

Since 1998, the MiraCosta College Academic Associate Faculty CCA/CTA/NEA has represented Associate Faculty in our efforts to improve our working conditions, including pay, benefits, and protection from unfair treatment.

We invite you to become a member of our faculty Union. Now, it's easier than ever to join. Our parent union, CTA, has an online enrollment process that you can complete in a few minutes. You may access our online enrollment here:

https://join.cta.org/

Dues are \$36.41 for each of eight pay periods. Dues are deducted automatically.

You benefit in a number of ways by joining your union.

- 1. Your membership shows the district that you want to be treated fairly. The more members we have, the more seriously the district has to consider your demands. That translates into improved working conditions for you and all of us.
- 2. You are entitled to a \$1,000,000 insurance policy to be used if you are sued in the course of your teaching by a student or other party and you are found innocent. You also have access to legal assistance for job related problems.
- 3. You can get discounts for other types of insurance coverage and other products.
- 4. You have the right to vote in union elections and to run for positions on the Executive Board.
- 5. You are represented by your union when the district wants to call you in for a meeting about your teaching, or a complaint, or other matters.
- 6. You have the satisfaction of knowing that your union membership helps all of us obtain the working conditions that make it better for us to help our students learn and succeed.

Please join your union. Help yourself. Help all of us. Together we are stronger!

In Unity,

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