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To Whom It May Concern:

At our July meeting of Carpenters Local Union 224, the members voted unanimously to support our brother and sister teamsters in their quest for a new CBA with the Evansville Vanderburgh School Corporation (EVSC).

Over 1400 members of Carpenters Local Union 224 are very concerned about our children's safety. We know that the dedicated and trained professionals of Teamsters Local Union 215 take great care of the children of the community when getting them to and from school as well as helping educate them. With members of Teamsters Local Union 215 transporting our children, this is one less thing we, as parents, must worry about. Knowing that our children are safe in very capable hands takes priority over everything else.

Over the years, we've appreciated the opportunities to work with the EVSC through our contractors and we hope for many more to come. With the school year almost upon us, the membership of Carpenters Local Union 224 urge the EVSC to return to the table with a fair and equitable approach to the negotiations as there are many other important matters that need attention such as school safety, bullying, class room size and most importantly, the education of our children.

Respectfully Submitted on Behalf of the Membership of Carpenters Local Union 224,

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