**CAUSE ADVISORY**

**District fails to Fulfill Its Commitment to Kindergarten Faculty, Students, and their Families**

**Elementary Teachers & Instructional Aides**

**Set the Record Straight @ Tuesday's School Board Meeting**

**\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

Greetings, CUSD Colleagues,

Have you watched Tuesday's School Board Meeting?   If not, take a look for yourself !   [*See minute  00:52:27* ]

                                        [**https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=R8RKxebai5U**](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=R8RKxebai5U)

Union Leadership expresses it's appreciation to these committed professionals, CUSD elementary teachers and instructional aides, who sacrificed more of their personal time to inform District Leadership on two important topics?

(1.) The harm created by even further budget cuts to CUSD's highly qualified Instructional Aides, who go above and beyond in their service to both our colleagues and the students they serve.

(B.) The harm created by the District's failure to provide kindergarten students and faculty adequate instructional aide coverage; as promised by, Superintendent Rigby & Human Resource Director Zapata.

[*Note: Prior to reaching an agreement to extend the length of the kindergarten instructional day for the 2018-2019 school year, Superintendent Rigby assured K-faculty and Union Leadership that students and faculty would receive 6 hours of Instructional Aide coverage a day.   Although the Union and K-teachers extended the instructional day and fulfilled their part of the agreement, District Leadership did not.  Instead, District leadership has only provided half of that coverage; approximately 3 hours a day.   And the students continue to suffer*.]

**\* C.A.U.S.E. - Yes We Can ! \***