EXECUTIVE BOARD
AGENDA
January 9, 2012

I. Officers'/Administrative Reports

A. Recording Secretary
   1. Approve minutes of November 28, 2011 Meeting

B. Financial Report

C. Financial Secretary
   1. Membership
   2. Financial Secretary Report

D. Vice President

II. President’s Address

III. Items for Action

A. Resolution to Support Zion-Benton Teachers
   
   Be it resolved, that the Chicago Teachers Union will support the Zion-Benton teachers strike with public expressions of solidarity.

B. Resolution to Support The National Employment Emergency Defense (NEED) Act, H.R. 2990
   
   Be it resolved, that the Chicago Teachers Union goes on record to support The National Employment Emergency Defense (NEED) Act, H.R. 2990, because:
   - The NEED Act puts back the money creation powers under public checks and balances through their Congressional representatives;
   - The NEED Act puts any necessary functions of the Federal Reserve under public administration to be in alignment with the U.S. Constitution;
   - The NEED Act uses the money creation powers to give millions of people at all governmental levels work to improve the infrastructure of the country;
   - The NEED Act allows state and local government to determine where one-fourth of the federal monies created shall be used;
   - The NEED Act allows full funding for teaching positions, pension obligations and the building of schools.

IV. Committee Reports

A. Organizing Department

B. PERA Bargaining Committee

C. Political Action Committee

V. New Business/ Question & Answer

VI. Adjournment

Michael Brunson
Michael Baldwin
Kristine Mayle
Jesse Sharkey
Karen GJ Lewis
Norine Gutekanst
Carol Caref
Gloria Higgins
Regina O’Connor
RESOLUTION TO SUPPORT:
THE NATIONAL EMPLOYMENT EMERGENCY DEFENSE (NEED) ACT, H.R. 2990

Whereas: Because of the Federal Reserve’s admitted mismanagement; our economy is in depression;

There is a cutback in all services that specifically includes teachers being laid off, pensions not being funded and pay raises not being given;

The present system is mis-structured to create money for the interests of the banks and Wall Street, but not for the People and Main Street;

The U.S. Constitution says that Congress shall have the power to create money (Article 1, Section 8);

The present system allows the banks, instead of Congress, to create practically all of the nation’s money supply out of thin air and to control where it goes;

Therefore: Be it resolved, that the Chicago Teachers Union goes on record to support The National Employment Emergency Defense (NEED) Act, H.R. 2990, because:

The NEED Act puts back the money creation powers under public checks and balances through their Congressional representatives;

The NEED Act puts any necessary functions of the Federal Reserve under public administrations to be in alignment with the U.S. Constitution;

The NEED Act uses the money creation powers to give millions of people at all governmental levels work to improve the infrastructure of the country;

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☑ Adopted     ☐ Adopted as amended     ☐ Defeated     ☐ Tabled     ☐ Other