



NEW HAVEN PUBLIC SCHOOLS

January 19, 2023

Tyisha Walker-Myers
President, Board of Alders
City of New Haven
165 Church St, 2nd Floor
New Haven, CT 06520

Re: Local 933 – New Haven Federation of Teachers Negotiations

Dear President Walker-Meyers,

I respectfully submit the enclosed submission requesting the approval of the Board of Alders for the recently concluded Agreement between the New Haven Board of Education and the New Haven Federation of Teachers, Local 933, AFT, AFL-CIO, July 1, 2023 – June 30, 2026.

The new agreement calls for a 5.94% increase for 23/24; 4.92% for 24/25; and 3.93% for 25/26. The incremental cost over the three years is \$20,125,636.00 or 14.79%.

As this contract was concluded pursuant to the Connecticut Teachers Negotiation Act, Conn. Gen. Stat. §10-153d (b) and §10-153d (c) require submission of the contract to the Board of Alders prior to the start of the budget calendar. The concurrence or rejection of the Agreement is required with 30 days of the submission.

The Board of Education negotiating team believes this is a fair contract; and was approved by the Full Board of Education at its January 9, 2023 meeting. Thank you for your consideration of this new agreement, which provides job security in the current year and fair salary, increases for future years for our hardworking teachers; while remaining fiscally responsible to the District budget and City tax payers. We look forward to the Alders' concurrence and approval of the Agreement.

Thank you again for your time and attention.

Respectfully submitted,

Dr. Michael Finley
Chief of Staff