Email from RTO District 22

Mr. Hammond,
On behalf of us all thank you for your hard work.

Please find below an organisation to add to the list of organisations who support ETFO. It would be good for teachers to know. Here is the extract found in the Winter 2020 Newsletter.

**Source:** District 22 Etobicoke and City of York - The Retired Teachers of Ontario - Les enseignantes et enseignants retraités de l’Ontario

Winter 2020 Newsletter.

RTOERO have received questions from members about ways to best support our members and colleagues who are actively working in education and they offer the following guidance:

- RTOERO have publicly expressed opposition to the education funding cuts. They have met with each union and offered support at the provincial and local levels. They encourage districts to support local unions as you can, within the resources available in your area.

- RTOERO provides a small amount of funding for districts to provide refreshments or other similar support for those participating in job action in your community. District executives have information about how to apply for these funds. • (..)

- RTOERO supports the right of education staff to fair collective bargaining and to strike. They encourage our members to think about ways to best express that support on a personal level. (..)

Janis McCaskill - Political Advocacy

Sincerely,

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