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CCSO Position on 2010-11 State Budget Proposals

Dear CCSO Supervisors:

The Governor presented his 2010-11 State Budget Proposals to the legislators and the public last week. The proposal to stop furloughs, if passed, would become effective the end of June. CCSO supports that proposal, as the self-directed furloughs are illegal. CCSO is working to obtain compensation for anyone that is currently under a self-directed furlough and has banked furlough days. CCPOA has won their court action, but the State is appealing Judge Roesch's decision. The appeal process takes time, and we recommend that members follow the existing furlough schedule until the Supreme Court makes the final decision.

The most damaging solution to solving the \$20 billion budget problem is to cut state workers pay by 5%, have state workers pay 5% more towards their retirement contribution, and to reduce the state workforce by 5%. CCSO opposes these reductions and will use all our means to fight the passage of these proposals.

I have the CCSO lobbyists joining other unions to become a force within the Capitol to stop these proposals from becoming law. We cannot tolerate pay cuts or reduced benefits of state workers.

CCSO is united in the fight to keep your pay and benefits secured.

Cordially,

Richard Tatum
State President