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San Francisco Community College Board of Trustees officially endorses the passage of the Employee Free Choice Act of 2009

San Francisco – The San Francisco Community College District’s Board of Trustees, at the urging of AFT local 2121, has endorsed the Employee Free Choice Act of 2009 (EFCA). The EFCA would allow workers, not employers, the choice of either majority sign-up or a secret ballot election, and would greatly increase employer penalties for violating workers’ rights in union organizing campaigns. For example, The Act authorizes trebling back pay for workers illegally fired for supporting union representation.

The resolution was heard last night at the SFCCD board of trustees meeting.

Ed Murray, Vice President of AFT Local 2121 and a longtime faculty member said “City College of San Francisco, where the vast majority of workers enjoy union representation, and has a positive working environment along with decent wages and benefits, is one of the great educational institutions in our country because of the strength of its workforce and the respect that unionized workers share with all other constituent groups at the college.”

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