

June 9, 2010

Janice Manchee, Director  
Labour Program and Services  
Canadian Labour Congress  
2841 Riverside Drive  
Ottawa, ON K1V 8X7

Dear Ms Manchee:

The Ontario English Catholic Teachers' Association (OECTA) is pleased to support the 2010 United Way Campaign in communities across Ontario. OECTA supports the United Way's mission "to improve lives and build community by engaging individuals and mobilizing collective action."

As teachers, OECTA members know that whether students come to school ready to learn is largely dependent on social forces outside school walls. Involvement in the United Way allows us to reach out to the community in order to make a difference to our students and their families.

In solidarity,



James Ryan  
President

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