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Dr. Hector Garcia
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Dear Dr. Garcia,

On behalf of the members of CCAFT, we want to thank you for your support and participation at the December 13, 1977, School Board meeting regarding three-year terms. It gives us encouragement and faith in the democratic system of government to be a part of the wide-spread community support on such an issue involving our right to vote.

We appreciate the support of Trustees James Albright, Clemente Garcia, and Cornell Barnard. However, the position taken by Trustees McQueen, Hutson, Hornsby, and Bass reveals a political philosophy which Americans cannot ignore. In the future, our organization will work with other groups to investigate alternative means of dealing with the School Board's disregard for the will of the people. Hopefully, all the organizations and individuals who have labored thus far toward the goal of School Board reform will continue to work together on this common issue. We will be persistent and determined in our quest for School Board reform, and we are confident that justice can not be extinguished in such an arbitrary manner as that demonstrated by our School Board.

Sincerely yours,

John Cole, President
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Mary K. Lamont, Chair
CCAFT Committee On Political Education

Barry Dalton, Chair
CCAFT Task Force on School Board Reform

cc: School Board members